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MEMORANDUM

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FROM : **THE UNDERSECRETARY**
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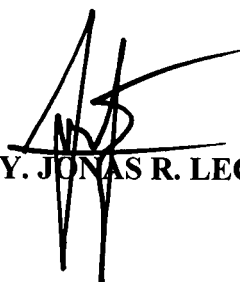
SUBJECT : **ENVIRONMENTAL GOVERNANCE UPDATE – OCTOBER 2020**

This refers to the email dated October 27, 2020 from Mr. Jorge Laguna-Celis, Secretary of Governing Bodies, UN Environment Programme, relative to the Environmental Governance Update – October 2020, which features key highlights of the work of the Environmental Governance Sub-Programme for the period June 2020 to October 2020.

The aforementioned document can be accessed through the following link :
<https://spark.adobe.com/page/YMcTxosemfSVJ/>.

Should you have any comments, questions or need more information, please contact Fadi.abouelias@un.org, with a copy to Catherine.Abuto@un.org and Paula.Waibochi@un.org.

For your information and reference.


ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES

Let's Go Green!!!



Luz Jarne <jarmeluz@gmail.com>

Fwd: Environmental Governance Update - October 2020

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Tue, Oct 27, 2020 at 10:03 PM

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From: **OUEIEA Secretariat** <oueiea.denr@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Oct 27, 2020 at 10:03 PM
Subject: Fwd: Environmental Governance Update - October 2020
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From: **UNEP Secretariat of Governing Bodies** <unep-sgb@un.org>
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Subject: Environmental Governance Update - October 2020
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Excellency,

UNEP stands in solidarity with the billions of people around the world who are suffering from the impacts of COVID-19. We are working in collaboration with governments, the World Health Organization, the UN Development Programme (UNDP), the Global Environment Facility (GEF) and nongovernmental organizations to mitigate the adverse impacts on global environment from the increase of waste produced in response to the COVID-19 crisis, through controlling releases of harmful chemicals in the atmosphere, land and water. Through sound environmental governance, we continue to support Member States and partners to "build back better" and capture opportunities for leapfrogging and safeguarding human health, including the avoidance of future pandemics.

I am pleased to share with you our Environmental Governance Update - October 2020, which features key highlights of the work of the Environmental Governance Sub-programme for the period June 2020 to October 2020.

I encourage you to also share this with interested peers, colleagues, and friends. The update will also be shortly available on the environmental governance web-pages. I am happy to receive your feedback and inputs for the next issue.

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Please accept, Excellency, the assurance of my highest consideration.

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