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Attachments:

NNL WG Members.xls; List of ALL expressions of interest organisations.xls

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Merci,

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Dear '



First of all, please accept our apologies for the late reply. Referring to your mail dated 17th June, we are sending you below the outstanding information:

- 1. List of Members of the NNL Working Group: attached hereto
- 2. List of organisations who had applied for membership: attached hereto
- 3. Criteria for selection:

The Working Group is composed of Member State representatives and stakeholders, selected with the aim of ensuring a geographical balance of Member State representatives; a balanced representation of different interests, with priority given to organisations representing the views of stakeholders at EU level. The Working Group also includes a limited number of experts with direct technical experience of NNL and offset projects. The aim is to keep the size of the Working Group to a manageable size, to allow for active participation from all members.

- 4. Closing down of group: the group will no longer be active after it has delivered its recommendations around July 2013.
- 5. How is this group feeding in the actual policy making? Which other feedback is the Commission getting to design biodiversity offsets?

The European Commission will consider the output from the Working Group when developing its proposal. The Commission will also undertake a formal consultation through internet and will develop an impact assessment (dates not fixed yet).

6. What is the timeline and process for a policy on biodiversity offsets? When is the Commission bringing a proposal?

As foreseen in the EU Biodiversity Strategy to 2020, the No Net Loss initiative is foreseen for 2015.

I hope this will answer your questions.

Best regards,

European Commission DG Environment