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Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 12:48 PM
To: BATTISTA Jasmin (CAB-OETTINGER)
Subject: request for a meeting on 13th April with Birdlife

Dear Ms Battista,

I am writing to ask if you would be available to meet with **African and European representatives of BirdLife International** on the **morning of Wednesday 13th April** to discuss the **impact of EU biofuels policies in Africa**.

We would like to introduce to you representatives of ***Nature Kenya*** and the ***Wildlife Conservation Society of Tanzania*** who will be visiting Brussels. We are keen to discuss the impact of the targets in the Renewable Energy Directive, consequent large scale biofuels proposals, and the overlap between EU development, environment and energy objectives. This is of particular relevance to decisions that the EU will be taking this year such as accounting for Indirect Land Use Change impacts, and looking at sustainability issues around biofuels and biomass policies.

BirdLife International is a global Partnership of conservation organisations that strives to conserve birds, their habitats and global biodiversity, working with people towards sustainability in the use of natural resources. We're the world's largest partnership of conservation organisations, operating in over 100 countries, and collaborating regionally in every continent.

I hope you will be able to meet us and look forward to hearing from you.

Yours Sincerely

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