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Geneva, 6 January 2010

Sir/Madam,

You may recall that at its 28th Session (Budapest, April 2008) the Panel decided to prepare a Special Report on Renewable Energy Sources and Climate Change Mitigation (SRREN).

I have the honour to announce the availability of the First Order Draft (FOD) of this report. According to IPCC procedures for preparing IPCC reports: "the first draft reports should be sent to Government Focal Points, for information, along with a list of those to whom the report has been sent for review in that country".

This report is accessible on the IPCC Working Group III website at:

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Please note that this is a confidential document which must not be distributed, cited or quoted. We therefore kindly request you not to share the access code to the draft report. The list of reviewers is attached.

The expert review period started on Tuesday 22 December 2009 and will end Monday 8 February 2010, noon CET.

A copy of this letter is being sent to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of your country for information.

Yours sincerely,



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Secretary of the IPCC