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REMINDER

RBA Joint Informal Meeting of the FAO Council, IFAD Executive Board and WFP Executive Board

FAO Headquarters (Plenary Hall), Friday 15 September 2017 (10.00-12.00 hours)

The Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the President of the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and the Executive Director of the World Food Programme (WFP) wish to remind Members of the RBA Joint Informal Meeting taking place at FAO Headquarters on Friday 15 September 2017 from 10.00 to 12.00 hours. Members are informed that, due to the expected high number of participants, the informal meeting will be held in the Plenary Hall (and not the Green Room as previously communicated). Consequently, each Member will be allocated three seats, with sufficient overflow seats to accommodate additional members of delegations if required.

As previously communicated, Members of the three Rome-based Agencies who are not members of the three aforementioned Governing Bodies, are invited to participate in an observer capacity and will be able to intervene during the Question and Answer segment after Members of the three Governing Bodies have taken the floor.

Members are further reminded that the purpose of the meeting is to provide a forum for informal dialogue on ongoing RBA collaboration and an opportunity to share information on issues of mutual interest. In line with the informal nature of the event, there will be no pre-session documents, verbatim records nor outcome report.

For ease of reference, the Provisional Agenda, previously circulated, is attached herewith.

Members who have not yet confirmed their participation are kindly requested to do so as soon as possible by email to FAO-Council@fao.org.

The RBA Joint Informal Meeting will be held in Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish.