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NOTIFICATION

Subject: Launch of the IAI Open Data Portal

Dear Madam/Sir,

I am pleased to announce the launch of the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research (IAI) Open Data Portal where data and information generated by IAI scientific projects is made publicly available.

This important initiative supports Article II of the *Agreement establishing the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research* and several Decisions adopted on open science and open data by the IAI Conference of the Parties.

The IAI Open Data Portal is available at: <a href="http://www.iai.int/en/post/detail/open-dataopen-dat

The IAI Directorate is grateful for the advice, assistance and support of the United States, through the National Science Foundation, Uruguay, through the Agency for Electronic Government and Information and Knowledge Society and the Center for Earth Observation Sciences of the University of Alberta which made this project possible.

Please accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Marcos Regis da Silva Executive Director