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NOTIFICATION

Subject: Summary for decision makers on water security in the Americas

Dear Madam or Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that as a result of a series of joint meetings between the staff of the IAI Directorate and experts from the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) who are linked to the IAI through their Science Advisory Committee (SAC) and Science-Policy Advisory Committee (SPAC), a summary for decision makers was developed. This summary compiles the most important messages regarding water security in the Americas from the Sixth Assessment Report of the IPCC. The summary includes the main trends and impacts of climate change on the continent's water security, as well as potential adaptation and mitigation actions.

The IAI Directorate appreciates your assistance in distributing this document to the national and local authorities responsible for water management in your country, and hopes that the document will help inform the decisions that need to be made to address the challenges posed by climate change.

You can find the summary on the IAI's website at this link.

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

Yours sincerely,

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