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The Caribbean Regional Climate Outlook Forum (CariCOF)

Georgetown, Guyana

November 29th – 30th, 2017

AGENDA

Wednesday, 29th November, 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER/FACILITATOR
0900 - 0930	Welcome, Opening remarks, outline of the day	Adrian Trotman, CIMH Garvin Cummings, Hydromet Guyana Minister of Agriculture, Guyana
0930 - 0950	Dry Season Climatology of the Caribbean Review of the 2016 Dry Season in the Caribbean	Wazita Scott, CIMH
0950 - 1020	Dry Season Climate Outlook (rainfall, temperature, wet days/wet spells, drought, coral bleaching outlook)	Hydromet. Guyana
1020 - 1045	Discussion- Expected climate impacts from the outlook	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
1045 - 1100	COFFEE BREAK	
1100 - 1145	Break out groups by sector Implications of forecasts and outlooks Recommendations	
1145 - 1200	Sector Reports	
1200 - 1215	Discussion	
1215 - 1330	LUNCH	

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Wednesday, 29th November, 2017 (Contd.)

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER/FACILITATOR
1330 - 1445	Session on Agriculture	Adrian Trotman
	Dry Spells Outlooks	Cédric Van Meerbeeck, CIMH
	Probability of Exceedance	Shontelle Stoute, CIMH
	PICSA	Cyril Roberts, CARDI
	REACH	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
	Discussion	Adrian Trotman, CIMH
1445 - 1500	COFFEE BREAK	
1500 - 1700	Session on Hurricane Season 2017	Elizabeth Riley, CDEMA
	Introduction and Coordinating Unit experiences	Elizabeth Riley, CDEMA
	The climate context of the 2017 season	Cedric Van Meerbeeck, CIMH
	Impacts related to the the 2017 Hurricane Season	Shawn Boyce, CIMH
	Experiences from the impacted countries	Dominica, BVI, TCI, Anguilla
	Experiences from the Tourism Sector	Kennedy Pemberton, CTO
	Discussion: Early warning information for preparation,	Elizabeth Riley, CDEMA
	rescue and recovery	

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Thursday November 30th, 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	PRESENTER/FACILITATOR
0900 - 0915	Recap of Day 1	Lisa Kirton-Reed, CIMH
0915 - 1030	Session on EWISACTs Release of DJF issue of sector-specific bulletins Advancing Sectoral EWISACTs in the Caribbean: June-November 2017 Progress Sector information at the national Level: Possible pathways Towards a Sectoral EWISACTs Roadmap and Plan of Action: Preliminary Insights Break-out group set-up/assignment	Roche Mahon
1030 - 1045	COFFEE BREAK	
1045 - 1200	Session on EWISACTs Break-out group discussion Reporting out / Plenary discussion	Roche Mahon
1200 - 1315	Lunch	
1315 - 1515	Session on Drought Management Planning Establishing Drought Management Plans – a recommended approach Break Out Group Discussion and reporting	Adrian Trotman Adrian Trotman, Roche Mahon
1515 - 1530	Way Forward and Closing Remarks	Adrian Trotman, CIMH

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