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**TO:** SPREP National Focal Points  
from Pacific Island Countries  
Climate change focal points  
CROP Organisations

**SUBJECT:** Save the date: IMPACT Pre-COP25 Pacific Preparatory Meeting  
5 – 8 November 2019, Pacific Climate Change Centre, SPREP, Apia, Samoa

Dear Focal Points,

The Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) in partnership with Climate Analytics and the One CROP+ team will be convening a COP25 Preparatory Meeting under the IMPACT project from 5 - 8 November 2019 at the Pacific Climate Change Centre at SPREP in Apia, Samoa. This email is to kindly request that you save these dates in your calendars.

Strong engagement by Pacific SIDS will be critical at this year's COP25 in Santiago, Chile, given that COP24 in Katowice, Poland in 2018 did not see the full finalization of the Paris Agreement Work Programme and the full consideration of the IPCC Special Report on 1.5 degrees. It will therefore be valuable to have as many ministers and negotiators planning to attend COP25 as possible at the IMPACT preparatory meeting.

We expect to be able to fund participation of two delegates per country. We will be sending a formal invitation at a later date with nomination and travel support details. For any queries in the interim, please contact Espen Ronneberg at [espenr@sprep.org](mailto:espenr@sprep.org). You can also find information on IMPACT at the IMPACT webpage:  
<http://climateanalytics.org/projects/impact-climate-action.html>

Kind regards,



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