COP31 TÜRKİYE ANTALYA

SUBJECT: Invitation to Participate in the Antalya Initiative for Health Resilience (AIR)

On behalf of the COP31 Presidency, we extend our respects to you, and it is our honour to inform you of the following.

As we prepare for the upcoming 31st Conference of the Parties (COP31) to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change in Antalya, our focus is on translating collective climate ambition into concrete and practical action. Through the COP31 Action Agenda, we are placing implementation at the heart of our efforts. Building on the framework of the Global Climate Action Agenda, we designed the COP31 Action Agenda as a practical implementation platform that complements formal negotiations by mobilising voluntary action, partnerships and coalitions among Parties and non-Party stakeholders to accelerate implementation and deliver tangible results across ten priority areas for climate action.

As part of this effort, the COP31 Presidency is honoured to share the attached concept note for the Antalya Initiative for Health Resilience (AIR) aimed at advancing dynamic and resilient health systems as a practical response to the growing health risks created by climate change.

The AIR initiative addresses the increasing impacts of climate change on health systems, including a rising burden of disease, threats to food and water security, mental health challenges, and disruptions associated with extreme weather events. Through a consensus-driven process, an implementation guidance for dynamic and resilient health systems will be developed to support Parties and non-Party stakeholders with experience-based and implementation-oriented pool of practices across key health system dimensions.

On behalf of the COP31 Presidency, we would like to invite you to participate in the Antalya Initiative for Health Resilience. Your cooperation would be highly appreciated as we advance our joint efforts towards COP31 and beyond.

For further information or to express your support, please contact disab.uk@saglik.gov.tr and omer@iklim.gov.tr.

We look forward to working with you towards a successful COP31 in Antalya.

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