

Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS), 'Ocean Valley', Pragathi Nagar (B.O.), Nizampet (S.O.), Hyderabad – 500 090, India. Phone: +91 40 2389 5013; Fax: +91 40 2389 5001; e-mail: <u>iogoos@incois.gov.in</u>

# **IOGOOS Circular Letter No.2014:06/01**

# June 23, 2014

To: IOGOOS Officers, IOGOOS Members and Associate Members, Experts and Special Invitees

# Subject: IOGOOS Workshop and Eleventh Annual Meeting (IOGOOS XI) during October 29-30, 2014 at Phuket, Thailand.

I have the honour to invite you to the IOGOOS Workshop and Eleventh Annual Meeting (IOGOOS XI) scheduled to be held at Phuket, Thailand during October 29-30, 2014. The IOGOOS XI is being held in conjunction with SIBER-5 and IRF-5 meetings so as to facilitate the invitees with a good opportunity to have discussions with the high-level officials, panel members and other relevant agency representatives.

I am happy to inform you that Thailand-China Joint Laboratory for Climate and Marine Ecosystem, Phuket, Thailand and Phuket Marine Biological Center, Phuket, Thailand has kindly agreed to host this important meeting. UNESCO Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission.(IOC) has also kindly agreed to provide sponsorship through its Perth Regional Programme Office, Australia.

The venue of the meeting will be Reference Collection Build, Phuket Marine Biological Center, Phuket, Thailand. The meeting agenda, information on local logistics, weather, etc and other necessary documents are being compiled and will be made available shortly by e-mail as well as on the IOGOOS Website <a href="http://www.incois.gov.in/Incois/iogoos/home.jsp">http://www.incois.gov.in/Incois/iogoos/home.jsp</a>.

I encourage you to distribute this notice to others in your community that might have an interest in participating. Please have them contact me for additional advice or information. Considering that funds to support travel and accommodation are limited, delegates are requested to support their own travel and accommodation.

I also request you to kindly confirm your willingness to participate in this important meeting at the earliest.

With best regards,

Yours Sincerely,

(M. Nagaraja Kumar) Secretary, IOGOOS

## Chairman

Dr. Andreas Schiller, Program Leader, Ocean Observation, CSIRO Marine and Atmospheric Research, Castray Esplanade, Hobart TAS 7000, AUSTRALIA

## Officer

Dr T Srinivasa Kumar Head, Advisory Services & Satellite Oceanography Group (ASG), INCOIS Pragathi Nagar BO, Nizampet SO, Hyderabad – 500090,AP, INDIA

## Officer

Dr. Rezah Badal, Officer-In charge, Mauritius Oceanography Institute France Centre, Victoria Avenue Quatre-Bornes, MAURITIUS

#### Officer

Dr. Somkiat Khokiattiwong, Phuket Marine Biological Center, P.O.Box 60, Phuket 83000 THAILAND Officer :

Dr. Yukio Masumoto, Principal Scientist, Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC), Yokohama, JAPAN

#### Secretary

Mr M Nagaraja Kumar Scientist, INCOIS Pragathi Nagar BO, Nizampet SO, Hyderabad – 500090,AP, INDIA