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To: Chief Commissioners
International Commissioners
Chief Scout Executives

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Asia-Pacific Regional Scout Education Forum 2017

Dear Colleagues:

Greetings!

The 40th World Scout Conference adopted resolution No. 8/14, where one of the points stated was to "strongly request the regions to organise regional educational fora to create a common understanding within WOSM regarding Youth Programme.

In order to contribute in achieving the said World Scout Conference resolution, the Asia-Pacific Region has incorporated in the APR Plan 2015-2018, under priority area "Young People" under Objective No. 1, Action Step 1.1, the organisation of a regional education forum in the third quarter of 2017.

The event will serve as an evaluation on how the regions progress, as well as the National Scout Organizations (NSO), taking into consideration the outcomes of the World Scout Education Congress emphasizing the implementation of the World Youth Programme Policy in the NSOs' Youth Programme.

The basic concept of the regional education forum are as follows:

Aim:

To create a common understanding of all educational matters that World and Regional Scouting are offering for young people of the region.

Objectives:

At the end of the forum, the participants will be able to:

- identify the main changes in educational matters in Scouting at World and Regional level;
- analyse the Scouting educational needs for their NSOs;
- meet with different expertise in Scouting education;
- share their experiences on Educational Methods;
- create partnerships with each other to strengthen their work in the area of educational methods; and
- discuss and create common understanding on different educational matters

We are inviting national Scout organizations, who are interested to host this historical regional event to signify their interest and contact us by the **end of 15 August 2016**.

If you need more information, please contact Mr Syd Castillo, Director, Youth Programme at <syd@scout.org>.

Thank you and best regards.


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