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Subject: Invitation to the EAFM Technical Working Group Online Preparatory Meeting
on **10 February 2025**

Ecosystems Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM) Technical Working Group
Coral Triangle Initiative on Coral Reefs, Fisheries and Food Security
(Distribution list can be found in “Attachment 1”)

Dear Distinguished Representatives,

Let me first express my gratitude to all of you for the continued support and cooperation extended to the CTI-CFF Regional Secretariat in particular on the Ecosystems Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM) Technical Working Group.

On behalf of the Regional Secretariat, I am pleased to invite the Ecosystems Approach to Fisheries Management (EAFM) Technical Working Group (TWG) to the first online preparatory meeting for the calendar year 2025. We anticipate the **EAFM TWG respective Focal Points, Alternate Focal Points, and NCC representatives** to participate in this very important meeting. This virtual preparatory meeting will commence the discussions on the EAFM TWG activities and upcoming events in 2025, and consolidate the approved Workplan 2025 with our strategic and development partners.

The meeting will be conducted on **Monday, 10 February 2025, at 09.00 am** (Manado Time +8 GMT).

Please find attached for your reference:

1. The Tentative Agenda (Attachment 2)
2. EAFM TWG Workplan and Budget 2025 (Attachment 3)

Please confirm your participation through the registration link:

<https://zoom.us/meeting/register/wOO5S3NlShmLP2Lzu6ZJnA>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Thank you and we look forward to your participation in this important meeting.

Yours sincerely,

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1. Alternative EAFM TWG Focal Points from the CT6
2. NCCs from CT6 member countries
3. CTI Partners

Attachments:

1. Distribution List of EAFM TWG Focal Points
2. The Tentative Agenda
3. EAFM TWG Workplan and Budget 2025



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Attachment 1
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