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**Expert Group Meeting on " Implementation of the Third United Nations Decade for the
Eradication of Poverty (2018-2027)"**

**ACCELERATING GLOBAL ACTIONS FOR A WORLD WITHOUT POVERTY: GAPS,
CHALLENGES AND PROGRESS**

4-6 March 2020

**Headquarters of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
Rome, Italy**

Logistical Information

I. Place and Time of Meeting

The Expert Group Meeting on " Implementation of the Third United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2018-2027)" will be held from 4 to 6 March 2020 in the **Iraq Conference Room** at FAO headquarters in Rome, Italy. The building is located on Viale delle Terme di Caracalla, in front of the Circo Massimo. It can be reached by car, bus, tram and metro line B (Circo Massimo stop).

The opening session of the meeting will be on Wednesday, 4 March 2020, at 9:20AM in the Iraq Conference Room. All participants are expected to attend the opening session.

Sessions on Thursday, 5 March 2020 and Friday, 6 March 2020 will begin at 9:00AM. The Expert Group Meeting will close in the afternoon of Friday, 6 March 2020 at 1:00PM.

II. Registration and Identification Badges

Access to FAO Headquarters is restricted to persons in possession of a valid building pass. Meeting participants can enter FAO only through Building A Entrance (Visitor Centre-access through Viale Aventino next to metro exit Circo Massimo), where you may collect your building pass. Registration will take place on Wednesday, 4 March 2020 from 8:30AM to 9:00AM. Please bring your invitation letter and national passport. Identification badges must be worn visibly at all times while on FAO premises.

***FAO Security Office operates from 7:30 to 17:30 hours. To contact the Security Guards in Building A, dial ext. 53145, or 06 -5705-3145 from outside of FAO Headquarters.

III. Hotel Accommodations

Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for accommodation in Rome. Please provide your hotel information and phone number during your stay in Rome to the Secretariat of the Meeting. Contact details of the Secretariat can be found on the next page.

IV. Medical clearance/insurance

The United Nations assumes that participants are in good health and have no illness or disability that might prevent them from travelling to or participating in the meeting as required by the Organization. It is the responsibility of the participants to inform the United Nations of any such health impediment prior to accepting the invitation. In addition, participants with accessibility needs should inform the Organization. Participants are advised to arrange at their own expense for insurance coverage including life, health and other forms deemed appropriate.

V. Presentation

Participants are requested to send by email their short papers and presentation by Monday, 21 February 2020 to Ms. Meron Sherif (sherif4@un.org) and Ms. Hantamalala Rafalimanana (rafalimanana@un.org).

The webpage link for the expert group meeting will be circulated shortly. All briefs and presentations will be posted on the meeting's webpage.

VI. Secretariat of the Meeting

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