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To: ICG/CARIBE EWS Tsunami Warning Focal Points (TWFP) and Tsunami National Contacts (TNC)
ICG/CARIBE EWS Chair and Vice-Chairs

Subject: **Joint CARIBE Wave 2011 and LANTEX 2011 exercise in the Western Atlantic, Caribbean and Adjacent Regions on March 23rd, 2011, DRAFT IOC Technical Series, 93 for comments**

The Fifth Session of the Intergovernmental Coordination Group for the Tsunami and Other Coastal Hazards Warning System for the Caribbean and Adjacent Regions (ICG/CARIBE EWS-IV) held in Managua, Nicaragua, 15 –17 March 2010 decided to conduct a joint CARIBE Wave 2011 and LANTEX 2011 exercise in the Western Atlantic, Caribbean and Adjacent Regions on March 23rd, 2011. For this purpose, the ICG endorsed the establishment of a Task Team which includes the ICG Officers, Technical Secretary of ICG CARIBE-EWS, Manager of Caribbean Tsunami Warning Programme (CTWP), Directors of PTWC and WCATWC and representatives of CEPREDENAC and CDEMA to oversee the exercise.

The above mentioned Task team has delivered the attached “**Exercise CARIBE WAVE 11/ LANTEX11 Participant Handbook**”. This document is now open for comments from CARIBE EWS Tsunami Warning Focal Points (TWFPs) and Tsunami National Contacts (TNCs). Please send your comments **on or before 15 October 2010** to b.aliaga@unesco.org and Christa.vonH@noaa.gov

With the assurances of my highest consideration, I remain,

Sincerely Yours,

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Attachment: “Exercise CARIBE WAVE 11/ LANTEX11 Participant Handbook”

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