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Dear friends:

Conservation International is pleased to invite you to participate in the 3rd National Conference on Population, Health and Environment (PHE) to be held in Tagaytay City on 5-7 March 2008. CI is hosting the event in connection with our membership to the PHE Network, which is a national formation of government and non-government agencies who espouse the integration of PHE programs that promote equity, health, and environmental stewardship. The 2008 conference theme, "Scaling Up Population, Health, and Environment," is aligned to the Network's vision of healthy people living harmoniously with nature in a healthy environment.

Likewise, we invite you to route this announcement to your network and encourage your partners and stakeholders to present papers that highlight models in the integration of PHE, join learning opportunities, share experiences and strengthen linkages for better partnerships. A study tour to any of terrestrial, coastal and urban sites that demonstrate the integration of PHE follows after the Conference on March 8.

Please be informed that the organizers offer partial sponsorship to the Conference with support from Packard Foundation, the Population Reference Bureau and other donors from the Philippines. For further information and advanced registration, contact Ms. Michelle Encomienda at tel. +632 924 8235 or email mencomienda@gmail.com.

We do look forward to a productive interaction with you and your partners in Tagaytay City!

Sincerely,

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