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National Focal points of Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Chile, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam.

One-year master's Scholarship Program of KDI School of Public Policy and Management in the Republic of Korea - Spring 2022

Greetings from the Colombo Plan Secretariat!

The Colombo Plan Secretariat is pleased to announce that the KDI School of Public Policy and Management in the Republic of Korea has invited applications for one year Master's Programs on Public policy and Management for the Spring 2022 intake.

In this connection, the Colombo Plan member countries are kindly requested to encourage suitable candidates from the government service to apply for these degree programs through the online registration portal of the KDI School (https://www.kdischool.ac.kr/#/admissions/cp/international/application_guideline) Attached is a copy of the application guidelines that outlines the application process. Please advise interested candidates to pursue the details carefully and fully understand the nature of the scholarship and the procedures of submitting the applications.

The member countries are further requested to notify the recommended candidates to the Colombo Plan Secretariat in writing along with a copy of their applications on or before **Monday, 27th September 2021**. Please note that no consideration will be given to late and incomplete application submissions. The final selection and the announcement of the results will be done by the KDI School directly.

This scholarship program is jointly organized by the Colombo Plan Secretariat and the KDI School of Public Policy and Management in Korea. Therefore, the Colombo Plan Secretariat will bear the cost of return economy class air tickets while KDI School will provide the admission fees, tuition, accommodation and living stipends.

Your kind co-operation in disseminating the above information among the relevant government institutions and reverting to the Secretariat with the list of applicants in keeping with the timeline would be much appreciated.

Thank you.

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Secretary General