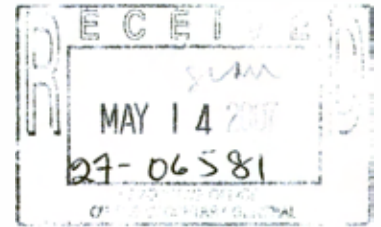


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NOTE TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Student Observance of World Environment Day
Dag Hammarskjold Library Auditorium, 1 June 2007

The Department of Public Information will organize the seventh annual student observance of World Environment Day in the Dag Hammarskjold Library Auditorium on Friday, 1 June 2007, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. This year's observance, co-hosted by the Department of Public Information and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), will have as its theme "Melting Ice: A Hot Topic?"

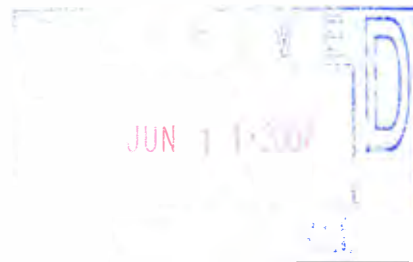
The student event, which will be webcast, will take the form of a videoconference connecting students at sites in Pakistan and the United States, as well as an indigenous community in Canada, with others at United Nations Headquarters. Invitations to participate have been extended to Andrew Revkin, *New York Times* award-winning environmental columnist and author of *The North Pole Was Here*, and to artist and urban planner Mejora Carter, a recipient of the 2005 MacArthur Foundation "genius grant", for her "greening" work in poor inner-city communities in the United States.

We would be honoured if you would open the student event with a short greeting. We should also like to extend an invitation to Mrs. Ban, whose presence would uniquely benefit the students of our programme.

Thank you for your consideration.

Kiyo Akasaka
11 May 2007

cc: Mr. Sommereyns



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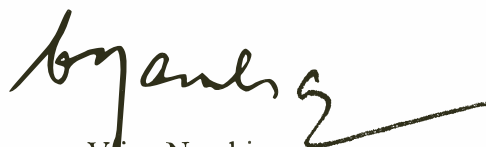
Note to Mr. Akasaka

**Student Observance of World Environment Day
Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium**

Further to your note to the Secretary-General of 11 May, I am pleased to inform you that the Secretary-General **has** agreed to drop by the seventh annual student observance of World Environment Day on 1 June 2007 at the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

It would be appreciated if the Department of Public Information would contact directly the Scheduling Office of the Secretary-General to discuss his participation.

Thank you.


Vijay Nambiar
24 May 2007

cc: Ms. Annika Savill

Note to the Secretary-General
Drop-by at the World Environment Day Student Observance
Hosted by DPI and UNEP

Friday, 1 June 2007

As you may recall, you have agreed to drop by and deliver brief remarks at the World Environment Day Student Observance on Friday, 1 June at the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

Please find attached a proposed scenario.

Thank you.

Vijay Nambiar
31 May 2007

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Proposed scenario for the Secretary-General

Drop-by at the World Environment Day Student Observance Hosted by DPI and UNEP

Friday, 1 June 2007

Time: 11:00 – 11:15 a.m.

Venue: Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

11:00 a.m.:

- The Secretary-General arrives at Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium and takes his seat on the stage with the keynote speaker, Mr. Andrew Revkin (NY Times environment columnist), Mr. James Sniffen (Information Officer, UNEP) and Mr. Raymond Sommereyns (Director, Outreach Div., DPI).
- Mr. Sommereyns introduces the Secretary-General and gives the floor.
- The Secretary-General proceeds to the podium.
- **Remarks by the Secretary-General (4 min)**
- Mr. Sommereyns thanks the Secretary-General

11:15 a.m.:

- The Secretary-General departs.