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NOTE VERBALE

The Asia-Pacific Space Cooperation Organization (APSCO) presents its compliments to the National Digital Economy and Society Commission (ONDE), Kingdom of Thailand and has the honor to inform as follows:

The Secretariat of APSCO is pleased to make an announcement for Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) Program 2020 on Space Technology and its' Applications (DOCSTA), and MASTA 2020 Program on Space Technology Applications (MASTA) on four research directions 1) Satellite Communications and Global Navigation Satellite Systems (SC&GNSS), 2) Remote Sensing and Geo-information System (RS&GIS), 3) Space Law and Policy, 4) Space Science and Environment. Both MASTA and DOCSTA program will be organized at the Beihang University of China.

In this connection, the Secretariat of APSCO would like to request focal organizations in the Member States to nominate candidates as following:

- ◇ 2 (two) candidates for SC&GNSS of MASTA Program
- ◇ 2 (two) candidates for RS&GIS of MASTA Program
- ◇ 2 (two) candidates for Space Law and Policy of MASTA Program
- ◇ 2 (two) candidates for Space Science and Environment of MASTA Program
- ◇ 2 (two) candidate for DOCSTA Program

The total nominated candidates should not exceed 12 (twelve) candidates for all majors put together. For details of the application and requirements, please carefully consult the attached announcement leaflet from Beihang University.

After rigorous evaluation process by both APSCO and Beihang University, qualified applications will be recommended to the University for getting full scholarships excluding international air tickets. However, APSCO will reimburse the international round-trip air ticket cost for selected candidates for one time only.

It would be highly appreciated if the nominated participants fill out the application forms as mentioned in the Application Procedures and Required Materials section of the attached announcement documents, and send it back with all necessary supporting documents to the APSCO Secretariat to the Contact person: Jessica Zhuang, Department of Education and Training, Asia-Pacific Space Cooperation Organization (APSCO), Address: Building 13&14, Section 3, No.188, South West Fourth Ring, Fengtai District, Beijing 100070, China, Tel: 86 10 6370 2677 Ext. 405, Fax: 86 10 63702286, E-mail: jessica@apsco.int **no later than 8 March, 2020.**

APSCO would like to avail itself of this opportunity to renew to the National Digital Economy and Society Commission (ONDE), Thailand the assurances of its highest considerations.



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