International Potato Center/Centro Internacional de la Papa

Our vision is roots and tubers improving the lives of the poor.

Nuestra visión es mejorar las condiciones de vida de los pobres a través de las raíces y tubérculos.

MEDIA ADVISORY

On the occasion of the 45th Anniversary Celebration of the International Potato Center (CIP)

When: Friday, September 16, 2016

Where: JW Marriott Hotel • Malecón de la Reserva 615, Miraflores / Room San Martin ABC

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

News focus:

1. 45 years of CIP's presence in Peru

- 2. Global food security and nutrition
- 3. CIP's role in biofortification. The Africa model.
- 4. 2016 World Food Prize Laureates
- 5. Launching of CIP's new logo

Possibility of interviews with:

- 1. Barbara Wells, CIP Director General
- 2. Mrs. Nane Annan, Lawyer, artist and wife of UN's Nobel Laureate, Mr. Kofi Annan
- 3. Dr. Jan Low, CIP, World Food Prize Laureate 2016
- 4. Dr. Maria Andrade, CIP, World Food Prize Laureate 2016
- 5. Dr. Robert Mwanga, CIP, World Food Prize Laureate 2016

Program:

9:30 Arrival

10:00 Welcome by Mrs. Sol Carreño

-Introduction by Dr. Barbara Wells, Director General, CIP

-Keynote address by Mrs. Nane Annan

-2016 World Food Prize Laureates panel discussion with Dr. Jan Low, Dr. Maria Andrade, Dr. Robert Mwanga and accompanied by Dr. Graham Thiele, CIP -Closing remarks by Dr. Oscar Ortiz, Deputy Director General for Research and

Development, CIP

12:00 Cocktail hour to celebrate CIP's 45th Anniversary and new logo unveiling

13:00 Adjourn

Media registration

Please provide full name, title, media outlet, e-mail address and mobile telephone number to m.lanatta@cgiar.org/ 349-6017, ext. 3010, #981187198, Maria Elena Lanatta, CIP's Media Liaison contact.

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B-roll, photography, speeches and program of the event, will be available after the event

