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Dear Colleagues,

Please find attached the preliminary agenda of the first Plenary Meeting of FAIRMODE, the Forum for AIR quality MODelling in Europe.

The FAIRMODE kick-off meeting will take place on 10th October in Cavtat, Croatia, following the 12th International Conference on Harmonisation within Atmospheric Dispersion Modelling for Regulatory Purposes (HARMO, 6th – 9th October 2008). This invitation is open to anyone in the EU Member States and the EEA Member Countries who is interested in the FAIRMODE initiative. Both, model users as well as model developers and scientists are welcome.

Please sign up to the FAIRMODE meeting by 26 September at the very latest:

<http://www.eionet.europa.eu/events/FAIRMODE%20-%20kick-off/>.

If you encounter any problems, please contact catherine.brytygier@eea.europa.eu.

The first FAIRMODE Plenary Meeting is hosted by the Joint Research Centre and the Meteorological and Hydrological Service of Croatia (Zagreb), as the HARMO Conference. Meeting place on 10th October is Hotel CROATIA in Cavtat. Please organize your travel arrangements and accommodation via the HARMO web site: <http://meteo.hr/harmo12/>.

EEA will only cover the hotel and travel costs for the five EIONET model users who are members of the FAIRMODE Steering Committee.

We look forward to seeing you in Croatia.

Best regards,



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