

Seventy-eighth session
Quito, Ecuador, 27 and 28 June 2006

INFORMATION NOTE N° 2

1. Accommodation

Delegates are requested to fill in the attached Accommodation Application Form and return it to the address below, **indicating their Credit Card number**:

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Reservations have to be made **by 12 June 2006** so that delegates can get the special rates that have been negotiated.

Below please find the discounted rates for the selected hotels:

Hotel	Type of accommodation and rates in US dollars		Buffet breakfast
Swissôtel ***** 12de Octubre 1820 y Cordero Tel.: (+593 -2) 2567600 Fax: (+593 -2) 2568080 conciERGE.quito@Swissotel.com www.Swissotel.com	Luxury single \$ 90.00	Luxury double \$ 90.00	\$ 10.00
JW Marriott***** Orellana 1172 y Amazonas Tel.: (+593 -2) 2972000 Fax: (+593 -2) 2972050 reservations.quito@marriotthotels.com www.marriotthotels.com	Luxury Single \$ 90.00	Executive single or double \$ 109.00	\$ 10.00
Hilton Colon***** Amazonas y Patria Tel.: (+593 -2) 2560666 Fax: (+593 -2) 2563903 reserv@hiltoncolon.com www.hilton.com	luxury Single or double \$ 70.00	Executive Single or double \$ 100.00	\$ 8.00

Hotel	Type of accommodation and rates in US dollars		Buffet breakfast
Sheraton***** Republica del Salvador N36-212 y Naciones Unidas Tel.: (+593 -2) 2970002 Fax: (+593 -2) 2433906 hotel@sheraton-quito.com www.sheraton-quito.com	Single \$ 75.00	Double \$ 85.00	 \$ 10.00
Dann Carlton***** Republica del Salvador N34-377 e Irlanda Tel.: (+593 -2) 2249008 Fax: (+593 -2) 2240917 reservas@danncarlton.com.ec www.danncarltonquito.com	Single \$ 50.00	Double \$ 50.00	 \$ 4.00
Akros**** Av. 6 de Diciembre N34-120 y Checoslovaquia Tel.: (+593 -2) 2430600 Fax: (+593 -2) 243-1727 operaciones@hotelakros.com www.hotelakros.com	Single \$ 38.00	Double \$ 38.00	 \$ 3.50

- These rates do not include 22 % taxes.
- The last 5 hotels of this list are located at 10 minutes drive from the meeting venue at the **Swissôtel Hotel**.

Rates are indicated in dollars and should be paid in this currency. The rates do not include breakfast and taxes. In case of no-show, the price of one night will be charged.

2. Organized tours

Below please find a list of organized tours, prepared by the host country:

Otavallo: Snack and lunch (daily)

Price: USD87 (minimum 4 people)

From Quito on northward, drive to Otavalo and enjoy magnificent scenery along the way and close to arrival, spectacular views of San Pablo Lake. In Cayambe we make our first stop at a rose plantation and enjoy a snack at the old San Juan mill. Browse through the open-air Otavalo market where beautiful and colorful weavings are displayed. Afterwards you can choose between different options according to your interest. Visit one of the workshops in Peguche or San Antonio de Ibarra or take a walk at the Cuicocha lagoon. Typical lunch in one of the Haciendas of the area. Afternoon return to Quito.

The price includes private transportation, bilingual guide, snack and lunch. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Papallacta Thermal Baths and lunch (daily)

Price: USD87 (minimum 4 people)

Discover the adventure spirit at the gatherings, walks and tours through the fascinating Andes' high plateau. Go inside the habitat of the condor, puma, bears and other species, which belong to this area. The "Termas de Papallacta" owns the "Rancho del Cañón", a protected area of 250 hectares (625 acres) located at the entrance of the ecological reserve Cayambe-Coca. The Papallacta River crosses both the hacienda as well as the high section of the valley, and it offers to the visitor a spectacular view of the Antisana Volcano (5.704 meters / 19800 feet). At this beautiful area we offer walks through ecological paths, where nature lovers can appreciate the local flora and fauna with its unique endemic species. This area constitutes an ideal place for ornithologists, with more than 160 different species of birds, including hummingbirds, tangaras and occasionally the great Andean Condor. Afterwards enjoy the Hot Springs of Papallacta, whose thermal waters emerge from deep geological layers through fissures up to the surface with all its healthy potential. Enjoy a day of nature, health and relaxation.

The price includes private transportation, bilingual guide, snack, entrance fee to the private Thermal Springs and lunch. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Private tour to Mindo Cloud Forest and lunch (daily)**Price: USD87 (minimum 4 people)**

Mindo, situated approximately 2 hours northwest of Quito, is the country's most important nature reserve for bird watching. Roughly 500 species of birds can be found in this cloud forest. The area is home to humid semitropical, primary, and secondary forest with altitude ranges between 1600 - 4780 meters above sea level. In the midst of this entire exuberant flora, a variety of mammals, reptiles, and brightly colored butterflies thrive. Rivers and waterfalls enhance the parks beauty and offer various opportunities for water sports. Hikes can be done in different levels of difficulty. This cloud forest is a unique ecosystem and a paradise for nature lovers.

The price includes private transportation, bilingual guide, snack, entrance fee and lunch. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Private tour to Cotopaxi National Park and lunch at Tambopaxi (daily)**Price: USD 94 (minimum 4 people)**

The white-coned summit of the symmetrical Cotopaxi volcano takes pride of place along the avenue of the volcanoes. Named King of the Andes, the glaciated summit is located at 5897 meters (19,700 feet) above sea level and is the highest active volcano in the world. Visit of Cotopaxi National Park Museum and Limpiopungo lake. Typical lunch at Hacienda Tambopaxi. Enjoy the area during a walk out of our base camp. Return to Quito.

The price includes private transportation, bilingual guide, entrance fee and lunch. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Two days tours:**Otavalo and Surroundings****Price: USD254 (minimum 4 people)****(Daily from Quito, the price includes accommodation and all meals)**

Day 1: Experience the Otavalo indigenous culture. Via the Pan-American Highway drive north of Quito and enjoy magnificent scenery along the way and close to arrival, spectacular views of San Pablo Lake. In Cayambe we make our first stop at a rose plantation. Afterwards browse through the open-air Otavalo market where beautiful and colorful weavings are displayed. Typical lunch in one of the Haciendas of the area. After lunch, visit one of the typical houses in Peguche and to Cotacachi with its famous leather shops. Check in at a Hacienda for dinner and overnight.

Day 2 offers two options: After the breakfast, visit to San Antonio de Ibarra village, known by its wooden crafts and to Peguche, where natives make their tissues. Lunch in San Juan mill in Cayambe and return to Quito.

The second itinerary can be according to the participants' wishes. Visit points may change depending of the departure days!

The price includes private transportation, bilingual guide, accommodation, full board and entrance fees. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Soft Adventure at Cotopaxi with Hacienda Porvenir

Price: USD193 in double room

(Daily. The price includes accommodation and all meals)

Hacienda el Porvenir is located on one of the most beautiful and privileged places in Ecuador, surrounded by four volcanoes, amongst them Cotopaxi, considered as the highest active volcano in the world. You will be lodged in a comfortable, functional and traditional Andean Hacienda house built with native materials that have been used since immemorial times. We offer tailor made tours according to your planned itineraries while assuring personal service and flexibility. A broad range of activities are available: Horseback riding, mountain biking, trekking, hiking, mountain climbing, rappelling, bird watching, camping, cultural experience and the best attraction, the Canopy Tour high above the canyons.

The price includes transport to and from the Hacienda, accommodation, all meals, activities (one main activity per day), bilingual guide, and equipment for activities. It doesn't include beverages, entrance fee to Cotopaxi National Park (USD10.00 per person), personal implements for activities, tips and personal expenses.

Antisana Volcano and Papallacta Thermal Baths

Price: USD266 in double room

(Daily. The price includes accommodation, all meals and entrance fees)

Day 1: Departure east of Quito by the through valleys of Tumbaco and Puembo towards Pintag village to take the road of the desert of AntiSanaa. It is a private reserve of bamboo and bromeliads forests. On the top, on the plateau, there is the Mica lake, rich in sylvan animals. After a ride, lunch at the hacienda AntiSanaa. In the afternoon, after another ride, relax in the hacienda and dinner.

Day 2: After breakfast, opportunity to walk on marked paths, where nature lovers can appreciate the local flora and fauna with its unique endemic species. Lunch at Termas de Papallacta and time at leisure to relax before returning to Quito.

The price includes private transport, bilingual guide, accommodation, full board and entrance fees. It doesn't include beverages, tips and personal expenses.

Cruisers in Galapagos

Participants may register for one of the following cruisers:

- from 3 to 6 July (4 days and 3 nights)
- from 6 to 10 July (5 days and 4 nights)
- from 3 to 10 July (8 days and 7 nights)

Price : USD150 per day and person. It includes:

- accomodation in double room
- breakfast, buffet lunch and dinner
- 2 daily visits to the islands
- multilingual nature guide
- possibility of making snorkel
- transfers inside the islands

It doesn't include:

- air transport Quito – Galapagos (two ways)
- Galapagos National Parc taxes
- snorkel equipements
- beverages



ACCOMMODATION APPLICATION FORM

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
(seventy-eighth session)

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- ◆ First name
- ◆ Official title
- ◆ Country
- ◆ Organization
- Telephone (country code, area code, telephone number)
- Fax (country code, area code, telephone number)
- E-mail
- ◆ Arrival date Departure date

Hotel Selected

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