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On the occasion of the launch of a new report *Climate-related security risks – towards an integrated approach*, SIPRI in cooperation with the Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs is pleased to invite you to a launch event discussion:

Climate change implications for security what options for policy?

Climate change is widely recognized as one of the major forces shaping the future. It is also an example of how human actions fundamentally affect the basic physical processes of the world with potentially disastrous consequences for human societies.

Given the profound impact of climate change, it is increasingly being viewed as a source of security risks. What are these exactly and what instruments are there for policy to address those risks?

Thursday, 15 December 2016, 15.00-16.30 at Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Gustaf Adolfs torg 1, Room Sofia Albertina

Programme Coffee will be served from 14.30



Introduction and welcome

Dan Smith, Director of the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI)



Key address

H.E. Isabella Lövin, Minister for International Development Cooperation and Climate, and Deputy Prime Minister



Report presentation

Malin Mobjörk, Senior Researcher and Head of SIPRI's Programme on Climate Security



Discussants

HE Lameck Nthekela, Ambassador of the Republic of Botswana to Sweden *Anna Axelsson*, Policy Advisor Climate Change, Diakonia



Concluding remarks

Ulrika Modéer, State Secretary, Development Cooperation

Please confirm your participation (first come first serve) by **Monday**, **12 December** to *Ms Cynthia Loo*, SIPRI Senior Management Assistant, Tel: 08-655 97 51, email: cloo@sipri.org.

Copies of the report will be available onsite.

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