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**National event within the framework of the European Union for Environment Programme:
Launch of the Report *Identification of High Conservation Value Forests in the Republic of Moldova***

Preserving and expanding Moldova's forests is crucial for the country's environmental and economic resilience. Forests are an asset that not only contributes to the economy, but also ensures the well-being of people and environment. Forests are our allies in the fight against climate change and water scarcity. The findings of this new study inform the decision-making and action on sustainable forestry in the Republic of Moldova. As a candidate country, Moldova will need to embrace EU policies and practices in this sector.

Media representatives are invited to attend and report on:

What? Launch of the report/study under the EU- funded EU4Environment programme

Where? Radisson Blu Hotel, Mitropolit Varlaam St 77, Chisinau, Conference Room "Begonia".

When? 16 February 2024, 09:00-11:00 local time.

Participants: National stakeholders, government representatives from the Eastern Partnership (EaP) countries, representatives of EU institutions, the World Bank, IFIs, CSOs, and academia.

The event is organized by the World Bank and funded by the European Union.

The event's agenda is attached.

Languages:

The working languages of this hybrid event are English and Romanian. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided. For online participation, please register [here](#).

Media accreditation is required, please contact - Aurel Lozan, Country Activity Coordinator for EU4Environment in Moldova, at - alozan@worldbank.org.

Background information:

The "[European Union for Environment](#)" (EU4Environment) programme helps the Eastern Partnership countries preserve their natural capital and increase people's environmental well-being. This is done by supporting environment-related action, demonstrating and unlocking opportunities for greener growth, and setting mechanisms to better manage environmental risks and impacts. The programme is funded by the European Union and implemented by the World Bank, OECD, UNECE, UNEP, and UNIDO over the 2019-2024 period, with a budget of EUR 20 million.

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