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Dear VP26 Session Chairs,

With just **under two months** before the [26th Plenary Meeting](#), I would like to share some important planning updates:

- **Early bird (reduced fees) registration will close on Monday, 9th February 23:59 UTC.** Secure your ticket [HERE](#) before the price increases!
- **VP26 [Presentation slides](#)** template available.
- **[Zoom backgrounds](#)** are available.
- **Support provided** during your session and a **Guidance on How to Prepare and Deliver a Virtual Session.** [Download here.](#)

All VP26 planning updates are available on this [web page](#).

If you have any questions, please contact [secretariat@rda-foundation.org](mailto:secretariat@rda-foundation.org).

Kind regards,

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