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**Dear colleagues,**

We are pleased to present to you the project of the IV International Webinar Program on the topic "Status of the Caspian Seal (*Pusa caspica*) Population – Present and Future."

We invite you to participate in the webinar to exchange experiences, present the results of your research, and discuss the raised issues, including examples of assessments of the status and conservation of other pinniped species.

The webinar is scheduled for August 8-9, 2023. The sessions will take place from 10:00 to 17:00 Astana time (Kazakhstan) in an online format. The webinar will be conducted in Russian and English with simultaneous translation.

If you are interested in giving a presentation, please submit your Participation Application by July 21, 2023, to the following email addresses: [a\\_baimukanova@ihe.kz](mailto:a_baimukanova@ihe.kz); [s\\_ryskulov@ihe.kz](mailto:s_ryskulov@ihe.kz).

As part of the Participation Application, we kindly ask you to provide the following information: speaker's full name, country, language of the presentation, and topic.

Sincerely,

Director

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