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Message from the Honorary Chairman of the Conference

It gives me a great pleasure to welcome and congratulate ali the participants to the International Conference on Water Problems in the Mediterranean Countries. I feel very excited and honored to host at the Near East University this happy event which will gather many scientists and engineers from ali over the world.

This International forum will create an excellent platform to introduce, discuss and exchange the latest developments on the water problems. The conference will further stimulate scientifıc research on tomorrow' s most critically important subject, "WATER".

Several social events will be offered to you for your entertainment, thus also allowing you to enjoy our country and participate in the lively activities it has to offer.

I hope your stay in North Cyprus will be a memorable one.

Yours faithfully,

Dr. Suat İ. GÜNSEL President

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Message from the Chairman of the Conference

Dear Colleagues,

We are very honored and very pleased to invite you to the International Conference on the Water Problenıs in the Mediterranean Countries to be held in Nicosia, North Cyprus

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The need for solving water problenıs arises fronı the value of water to the conınıunity. As the global population expands, world-wide in Iustries develop and the environnıental poJlution increases, the water resources beconıe nıore scarce and polluted, rendering the availability of clean water increasingly nıore inıportant than ever to nıankind.

The conference will be addressing all aspects of water problenıs in the Mediterranean çourıtries and new scientific developnıents will be discussed in detail during the sessions. The participation of well-known scientists will ensure insight into the latest researches.

Since we are sure that the conference will be enriching both scientifically and culturally we wish you will join us in Nicosia. Its success is dependent on your presence.

Looking forward to nıeeting you soon, I renıain.

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