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Dear Colleague

We are delighted to invite you to attend the 12th National Business Leaders Forum on Sustainable Development, to be held at Parliament House in Canberra, Australia on **Thursday 16th and Friday 17th June 2011**.

The theme of the 2011 Forum is **Business Leadership in the New Global Green Economy – The Race is On**. The Forum will showcase the best current thinking and practice from prominent international leaders in business and government. In particular, we are honoured to have confirmed **Mr Kishor Chaukar, Managing Director of TATA in India**, whose innovation and leadership is a great inspiration. There are a limited number of tables available to book for your clients, business associates and executive staff to hear **Mr Kishor Chaukar's** dinner address (book now at www.nblf.com.au).

In addition, the Forum will include discussion on the critical sustainable development issues facing the Australian and global economy, with climate change adaptation, Indian and Chinese business leadership, transitioning to the global green economy, as well as green growth strategies in Europe, energy, transportation, behaviour change strategies, governance, fair trade, green jobs, and rural business strategies. We believe that your participation in the Forum will enhance the discussion and outcomes on these critical issues. Participation is by invitation only.

The Forum has a distinguished track record for leadership in sustainable business since 1997. It has created a vibrant platform to profile exceptional business leadership and has created a network of excellence and innovation for sustainable development in business. The Forum provides corporate executives with the opportunity to engage with leaders from business, government, science and academe about important emerging sustainability opportunities and how companies can benefit from these innovative business practices.

The Executive Director of the United Nations Global Compact, Georg Kell, has said of the Forum "It is the most senior group of business and civic leaders reflecting more deeply on the critical issues of our time."

We hope that this invitation is of significant interest to you and that you will be able to join us. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Molly Harriss Olson on mobile 0409 368 436 or email Olson@ecofutures.com. To view the draft program and register your attendance at the forum please go to www.nblf.com.au.

Yours sincerely

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