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Dear Federation Presidents:

Angola, Botswana, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe

**6th ZONE IV INVITATIONAL TRAINING CAMP AND SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS
5 - 11 January 2009, Johannesburg, South Africa**

Swimming South Africa is privileged to host the 6th Zone IV Invitational Swimming Championships. It is a great pleasure for us to extend a warm invitation to your Federation to participate in the swimming event which will be held at the **Ellis Park Aquatic Centre, Johannesburg from the 8 - 10 January 2009. The Training Camp will take place from the 5 – 7 January 2009 at the Wits Campus. The 3km Open Water Event will take place on the 11th January at the Homestead Park Lake, in Benoni.**

Please join us and enjoy the hospitality of the City of Johannesburg and of South Africa. Our Organising Committee is hard at work to ensure not only an excellent event, but that your participation and visit to South Africa will be a very memorable one.

Please complete the attached 'Intention to Compete' form indicating your Federation's desire to compete and return to the **Event Management, Attn: Dave Norman** by fax (+27 11 402 2486/+27 866 159979) or e-mail to (dave@swimsa.co.za) before **Friday 10th October 2008**. All Federations who return the '**Intention to Compete**' form, will receive a comprehensive information pack containing accommodation arrangements, and event logistics. If you decide to attend the 6th Zone IV Invitational Swimming Championships, your delegation may be required to show a visa upon entering South Africa. For further information re visa requirements, please contact the South African Embassy or High Commission in your country. If you encounter any difficulties regarding visa applications, forward a list of Team Members detailing passport numbers, issue and expiry dates.

If you have any questions regarding the 6th Zone IV Invitational Swimming Championships in Johannesburg, do not hesitate to contact the **Event Management**, using contact details above.

Look forward to seeing you in Johannesburg.

Yours in swimming,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. van der Walt", is written over a circular stamp or seal.

President
Swimming South Africa