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Dear Prospective Participant,

On behalf of the Controlled Release Society, thank you for your interest in participating in the 36th Annual Meeting & Exposition of the Controlled Release Society. More than 1700 attendees from all controlled release and delivery disciplines are expected to attend this five-day scientific meeting, which will be held July 18 – 22, 2009, at the Bella Center in Copenhagen, Denmark. The primary purpose of this meeting is to share scientific research. In addition, more than 100 companies will showcase their latest products and services for controlled release and delivery professions.

We would be delighted to have you join us in Copenhagen. **Personal invitations are not necessary to attend meetings of the Controlled Release Society.** All of the Society's meetings are open scientific events. CRS welcomes all persons who are interested, pay the necessary registration fees, and otherwise conform to the Society's bylaws for its meetings. Each annual meeting is announced to the scientific community through publication of the call for papers and the technical program inside the Society's Program Guide.

CRS does not provide financial support to meeting participants. The registration fee, airfare, ground transportation, hotel, meals, travel insurance, and any other local expenses are the responsibility of each meeting participant.

If you need to apply for a temporary non-immigrant visa to attend the CRS meeting, you are advised to apply for your visa as soon as travel to Denmark is contemplated and not later than 3-4 months in advance. All applicants must be able to qualify for a visa on their own merits. The Society cannot intervene with embassies in other countries on behalf of any meeting participants. You may submit this letter with your visa application to verify the name, dates, location and purpose of the CRS meeting. Once you have registered for the meeting, you may also take your registration confirmation paperwork to your visa interview. However, CRS will not be able to provide additional visa support nor will CRS call or generate personal letters to the embassy or consulate.

We look forward to your participation in the 36th Annual Meeting & Exposition of the Controlled Release Society.

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CRS is the premier multidisciplinary society dedicated to promoting the science, technology, and innovation of delivery of bioactives for the benefit of the world population.