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Dear Delegate,

We are delighted that you will be joining us for this year's Performance BIB Meeting on 24 and 25 October 2012 in Bristol. We have an excellent line up of speakers and presentation topics as you will see in the attached schedule.

The main topics of the meeting 'Wine Shelf Life' and 'Communications', are based around the two current work groups of Performance BIB. As always with Performance BIB, both groups are working hard to ensure accurate, scientifically proven information is available to all parties interested or involved in the BIB industry. The leaflet, already offered in its electronic version (<http://www.b-i-b.com/bib/web/downloads/PerformanceBIBonlineLeaflet.pdf>), was developed by the Education Work Group and is designed to be appropriate for all sectors of the industry. The final, printed version will be available at the Meeting so do look out for it.

The accompanying information should provide you with all the information you need for getting to and from the Meeting and for during the Meeting. There are just a few things I'd like you to note:

- Do please ensure you have booked your accommodation at the Mercure Holland House Hotel.
- Lunch is included on both days so please do join us if you are able to. It will be served in the hotel restaurant on the ground floor. *Please could you let us know as soon as possible if you have any dietary specific requirements and we'll ensure the hotel and restaurant are aware.*
- Should you wish to bring any examples of wine in BIB packaging you are very welcome to especially if they have specific relevance to the Meeting topics. We can arrange corkage for BIB wines at both the hotel and Bordeaux Quay restaurant.
- Please be aware that there will be a General Assembly of Performance BIB at 9:00 on Thursday morning 25 October. If you have any items which you'd like adding to the agenda please let us know.

Finally, we hope that you'll enjoy the meeting and look forward to seeing you in Bristol in a few weeks time!

Kindest regards

Jennifer Bond

(President)