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The Secretary General

By fax

Mr Sarbuland Khan
Director Division for Economic and Social
Council (ECOSOC) Support and
Coordination.

29 July 2004 MLC/MF/am

Re. Business participation in the Internet Governance Working Group

Dear Sarbuland,

I am pleased to support the setting up of an Internet Governance Working Group under the auspices of the UN Secretary General. ICC has led business input to the WSIS process to date, and we will continue to provide business insights to ongoing discussions.

Following my recent meeting with Marcus Kummer, I understand that it would be helpful for ICC and the Coordinating Committee of Business Interlocutors (CCBI) to put forward business representatives for your consideration. In this regard, I would like to suggest the following individuals:

Juan Carloes Moreno Solines
Charles Sha'ban
Cid Torquato
Dr. Adel Danish
Dr. Rainer Händel

Juridico Asociados Solines (Ecuador)
Talal Abu-Ghazaleh International (Lebanon)
Camara-e.net (Brazil)
Xceed (Egypt)
Siemens (Germany)

Ayesha Hassan
Allen Miller

ICC International Secretariat
IT Association of America, (USA)
World Information Technology
Association

As you can see, we have made every effort to propose a group of business representatives that is diverse geographically and across sectors.

ICC strongly endorses the inclusion of membership associations such as ICC and ITAA/WITSA. Many companies around the world look to their representative organizations to provide input to and manage their relationships with other organizations. Allowing ICC and ITAA/WITSA to participate in the Internet

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Governance Working Group will allow many more companies to provide their expertise and input to this process. I hope you will be able to facilitate our participation in this way.

ICC and CCBI will be available to provide further input regarding business representatives to the Internet Governance Working Group, if you would find this helpful. I, personally, would be pleased to serve on the Advisory Group.

With kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Maria Livanos Cattai', written in a cursive style.

Maria Livanos Cattai

cc Marcus Kummer
 Talal Abu-Ghazaleh