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To Member States of ITU

Subject: Plenipotentiary Conference (PP-18)

Letter sent on behalf of the Government of the United Arab Emirates

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that, following the kind invitation by the Government of the United Arab Emirates, and in accordance with Resolution 77 (Rev. Busan, 2014) which resolved to hold the 2018 Plenipotentiary Conference (PP-18) in the United Arab Emirates, the Council, at its 2016 session, confirmed the city of Dubai as the venue for PP-18 (C16/110). Further to this decision, the majority of the Member States of the Union concurred with the proposal from United Arab Emirates to hold PP-18 for a three-week period, from Monday, 29 October to Friday, 16 November 2018 at the Dubai World Trade Center (CL-17/06).

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter I, Section 1 of the General Rules of Conferences, Assemblies and Meetings of the Union, the Government of the United Arab Emirates has the honour to invite your Government to participate in this Conference and requests the latter to communicate to the Secretary-General of the ITU at <u>sg-registration@itu.int</u>, at your earliest convenience, whether your Government accepts the invitation.

Looking forward to receiving your reply, I remain,

Yours faithfully,

(signed)

Houlin Zhao Secretary-General