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To Member States of ITU

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Subject: **Place of the 2025 World Telecommunication Development Conference (WTDC-25)**

Dear Madam/Sir,

As you may recall, the 2022 ITU Plenipotentiary Conference adopted Resolution 77 (Rev. Bucharest, 2022) on scheduling and duration of conferences, forums, assemblies, and Council sessions of the Union (2023-2027) resolving that the next WTDC will be held in Bangkok, Thailand in the last quarter of 2025.

On 7 December 2023, I have been officially informed by the Office of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission that due to unforeseen circumstance, Thailand will unfortunately not be in a position to host the Conference.

I would therefore like to invite Member States that would be interested to host the WTDC-25 to inform me accordingly. Expressions of interest would be welcome prior to the next Council session scheduled on 4-14 June 2024.

I take this opportunity to wish you a very happy holiday season.

Yours faithfully,

(signed)

Doreen Bogdan-Martin
Secretary-General