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The World Internet of Things Convention, or WIOTC, is an innovative and nonprofit international organization focusing on the internet of things and digital economy with global impact. The United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres participated in and addressed the World Internet of Things Convention via video link (The UN official website published the speech), which shows his attention to WIOTC and the topics and work that WIOTC is contributing to. At the same time, the heads of states including former President of the Republic of the Philippines Rodrigo Duterte sent the congratulatory messages to the World Internet of Things Convention for consecutive 4 years during his term. Other Ministerial level leaders and international organization leaders also participated in the global event on a regular basis. Thanks to years of development, WIOTC has emerged as the most influential and authoritative organization focusing on the internet of things and digital economy in the world.

To promote the innovative development of world economy and society, facilitate the digital economy transformation and the upgrading of IoT across countries, and bridge the digital divide, thereby supporting the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and benefiting people in terms of smart life and work, WIOTC will convene the **World Internet of Things Convention 2024** (WIOTC Annual Convention 2024) **November 3 to 5, 2024 in Beijing, China**.

Themed "**Opening Up a New Era of the Intelligently Interconnected Digital Economy**", this annual convention will consist of Opening Ceremony, Ambassador Forum, World New Economic Forum, Sustainable Development Forum on Digital Economy, International Cooperation Forum, Local Government Special Sessions as well as dozens of industrial forums involving industry, agriculture, energy, transportation, intelligent



vehicles, healthcare, etc. In addition to this, we will also issue the World Internet of Things Convention White Paper on the Intelligently Interconnected Digital Economy, which we hope can provide a reference for the world to build a global market of IoT digital economy and for the progress and development of mankind. During the time, we plan to invite government leaders from various countries, the UN Secretary-General, leaders of international organizations as well as diplomatic envoys from nearly one hundred countries and thousands of corporate representatives to participate in the annual conference.

The annual conference will also announce the World Digital Economy Rankings, establish model enterprises in the global intelligent IoT digital economy, and support the digital economic transformation and upgrading of countries worldwide. It is our constant commitment to bridging global divides through cooperative innovation, promote the construction of a global intelligent IoT digital economy market, and jointly create a new era of human economic and social development.

Based on the investment and construction as well as development demands related to IoT, smart technology and digital transition, we especially invite Your Excellency to participate in the World Internet of Things Convention 2024 and speak at the Opening Ceremony via video link to share your views on the cooperation of digital technology and economy, introduce the situation of digital advancement and present economic development and cooperation demands or investment opportunities before the global audience.

In order to support the development of digital economy and technologies for your national development strategy and grasp the opportunities for attracting investment related to IoT and smart technologies across sectors, we would like to discuss cooperation with your side.



Please make schedule for this important participation.

With very kind regards,

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