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Addendum 1 to Circular Letter 8/LCCE/139 16 November 2005

To Administrations of Member States of the ITU and Radiocommunication Sector Members participating in the work of Working Party 8F of Radiocommunication Study Group 8

Subject: Eighteenth meeting of Working Party 8F on IMT-2000 and systems beyond

IMT-2000

Please find attached additional information for participants and the hotel reservation form.

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Annex 1

Participation's information on the 18th meeting of Working Party 8F

(Bangkok, Thailand, 25 January – 1 February 2006)

1 Meeting information

Meeting venue

The Landmark Bangkok Hotel 138 Sukhumvit Road Bangkok 10110 Thailand

Tel: 66 (0) 2254 -0404 Fax: 66 (0) 2253-4259

E-mail: email@landmarkbangkok.com

For more information about the Landmark Bangkok Hotel, please visit the following website: http://www.landmarkbangkok.com

Hotel reservation

200 rooms are available at the Landmark Bangkok Hotel, as specified in the following categories. NOTE – Hotel rooms should be reserved as soon as possible, but not later than January 9, 2006. The confirmation after the mentioned date shall be subject to availability. Please use the hotel reservation form attached.

The special rates will be arranged for all participants at the Landmark Bangkok Hotel. In order to receive this special rate, the hotel reservation form must be sent to the local secretariat (Thailand) as follows:

Ms. Srisuda Prommanuwat International Organization Bureau National Telecommunications Commission

Tel: +66 2 272-7054 Fax: +66 2 2781736

Email: <u>srisuda@ntc.or.th</u>, inter org@ntc.or.th

The Landmark Bangkok Hotel rates

Room Requirement	Room Rate/night			
80 Superior Rooms	US\$ 105++			
50 Deluxe Rooms	US\$ 115++			
30 Superior Room on Club Floors	US\$ 130++			
20 Superior Room on Lifestyle Floors	US\$ 130++			
20 Deluxe Room on Club Floors	US\$ 140++			
The rate is subject to 10% service charge, VAT and	inclusive buffet breakfast.			

2 Transportation

Airport arrivals

The Landmark Bangkok offers a personalized airport arrival service to ensure your smooth transfer to the hotel.

All limousines offer daily newspaper, cold towels and water.

One Way Airport transfer (2 pax)

US\$ 37.50 per way

Round Trip Transfer US\$ 70 nett

Deluxe Mini Van transfer (6 pax)

US\$ 47.50 per way

Round Trip Transfer US\$ 90 nett

However, you can choose the following transportations which are available from the airport to the hotel:

- Public Meter Taxi is available at the authorized taxi stand outside the arrival hall of the airport. You have to pay 50 baht in addition to the meter fare as service charge.
- Airport Limousine Service is available at the Limousine Counter inside the arrival hall of the airport. Please contact the counter if you want the service.
- Airport Bus is available for you to the various routes inside the city. The bus stand is located outside the arrival hall. You are requested to take the Bus No. A3
 (Sukhumvit/Prakanong Route) and drop down the opposite side of the Landmark Hotel bus stop.

Local travel

Taxis cruising the streets of Bangkok, and designated "taxi-meters" charge 35 baht for the first 3 kilometers. Tuk-Tuk or three wheel taxis are quite popular among the tourists for short journeys inside Bangkok. Fares range from a minimum of 30 baht to a maximum of 150 baht. Fares must be bargained for. The Skytrain and new Underground rail system is the new convenient options for traveling around the centre places.

3 Passport and visa

All visitors entering Thailand must possess valid passports or accepted travel documents and appropriate visas before entering the country. Visitors from certain countries may now visit Thailand without requiring visas. Please check the visa requirements with the nearest Royal Thai Embassy of each country, the Embassy may take up to 2 weeks for the visa proceeding.

Further information on Thai Immigration requirements can be found at http://www.mfa.go.th

4 Contact point

For any further information you may require or if you need a personal invitation letter or official document for your visa application, please contact:

Ms. Wajana Chuentongkam Executive Director International Organization Bureau National Telecommunications Commission

Tel: +66 2 272-7054 Fax: +66 2 2781736 Email: wajana@ntc.or.th

5 Practical information

About Thailand

Bangkok or Krung Thep which means the City of Angels was constructed in 1782 or 223 years ago. Presently, Bangkok has approximately 10 million populations and it is considered one of the biggest city in the world. Bangkok has retained its traditional charm with a mixture of old cultural heritage and new modern skyscrapers, luxurious hotels, shopping centers, street shoppings, famous Thai food, restaurants, sports, entertainment.

Weather

Thailand is a warm and rather humid tropical country with monsoonal climate. During January to February the average temperature is 32 degrees Celsius to below 20 degrees Celsius with a drop in humidity.

Language

English and some European Languages are spoken in most hotels, shops and restaurants in major tourist destinations, and Thai-English road and street signs are found nationwide.

Time

The time in Thailand is seven hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (+7 hours GMT).

Electricity

The electric current is 220 volt AC (50 cycles) throughout the country. Many different types of plugs and sockets are in use. Travellers with electric shavers, hair dryers, tape recorders and other appliances should carry a plug adapter kit. The better hotels will make available 110-volt transformers.

Currency

The Baht is the standard currency unit. 1 Baht = 100 satangs, Bank Notes: 20, 50, 100, 500, 1,000 baht, Coins: 1, 5, and 10 baht

Business hours

Government and business offices are open from 8:30 to 16:30 hours, Monday to Friday.

Annex 2

HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

THE LANDMARK BANGKOK

ITU-R WP 8F Meeting

Ja.nuary 24-February 1, 2006

Please complete this form and return b Surname					
Company name	Addres	S			
TelephoneF	Address E-mail				
Room Accommodation					
Check-in Date	Chec	k-out Date			
<u>Landmark Floor</u>	Club Floor		<u>Lifestyle Floor</u>		
Superior □ USD 105++ Superior	□ USD 13	0++ Superio	or	□ USD 130++	
Deluxe □ USD 115++ De	eluxe 🗖 l	JSD 140++	Deluxe	□ USD 140++	
The above rates subject to 10% service	charge and	7% governme	nt tax.		
Smoking Non Smoking					
 Daily American Buffet Breakfast. Welcome drink. Free use of "Fitness First" Health Club. Fruit and flowers in room upon arrival. Daily newspaper. Late check-out until 3:00 p.m. Airline ticket re-confirmation. 	•	(Choice of Set Breakfast. 2 hours complithe floor. Choice of new Journal, Bangk Deluxe in-room 3 pieces of colper stay. 10% discount of Complimentar Late check ou	menu) o mentary spapers sok Post co a ameniti mpliment on busine on food ir y DVD Plot t until 18:	es. tary laundry / pressing ss facilities. n all restaurant.	
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Method Payment: Cash Master C	Card 🗖 Din	ers Club 🗖 VIS	A 🗆 A1	MEX Other	
Credit Card NumberCardholder's Signature					