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Mr. H. Zhao, Director of TSB
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Dear Mr. Zhao:

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I trust that this arrangement is satisfactory to the ISO and ITU-T.

Yours truly,


Michael Adams

cc: Mr. Keith Brannon
Ms. Yukiko Ogura, ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 29 Secretariat

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