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My Dear Secretary General,

I would like to sincerely thank you for your attendance during the celebration of the 150th Anniversary of the International Telecommunications Union (ITU), held on May 5th, which was organized by the State Secretariat for Telecommunications and for the Information Society which is a department of the Industry, Energy and Tourism Ministry, along with the Official College of Telecommunications Engineers (COIT).

It was truly an honour for the Institution that I represent, that you shared the commemoration of the Madrid Conference held in 1932, presided by HM King Felipe VI, with a broad representation of Spanish Information and Communications Technologies Industry professionals, in the same Sessions Chamber of the Spanish Senate in which you delivered your speech in commemoration of 150 years of the ITU.

On behalf of all of those present during this celebration, I would like to respectfully express our warmest thanks and recognition for delivering your address in the Language of Cervantes.

I hereby express my full support for your wish that Spain reinforce its presence in the ITU and provides its humble cooperation, by joining the campaign that you have launched on a Global scale to attract and strengthen the presence of Institutions within the International Telecommunications Union, stemming from the celebration of this 150th anniversary. To this end, we will gamer the necessary support from the Spanish Administration.

I trust that the Official College of Telecommunications Engineers (COIT) can be an important dynamic agent in the future of the ITU.

I would also like to thank you for granting us an interview with BIT magazine which is published by COIT. In the next few days we will send a transcript of this interview to the ITU press and communications departments.

Mr. Zhao, it has been a pleasure meeting you personally and I trust that you have taken with you a fond memory of your stay among us.

With my very but regards, COLEGIO OFICIAL DE INGENIEROS DE TELECOMUNICACION