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To: Communications Administrations, ITU-D Sector Members and Associates; Regional organizations

Subject:

Regional ITU Forum on Topical Matters of Telecommunication Regulation and Radio Frequency Spectrum Use for CIS and Europe, to take place in Kiev, Ukraine, 11-13 September 2012

Dear Mr/Mrs,

I am pleased to inform you that the International Telecommunication Union in collaboration with the National Commission for the State Regulation of Communications and Informatization (NCCIR), Ukraine is organizing the the Regional Forum on Topical Matters of Telecommunication Regulation and Radio Frequency Spectrum Use for CIS and Europe, which will be held in Kiev, Ukraine from 11 to 13 September.

The Forum is destined for representatives of ministries, regulators, telecommunication operators, universities, and other interested organizations of the ITU Member States, the ITU-D Sector Member States and Associates from the CIS Region and Europe.

The Forum is supposed to become an avenue for exchange of experience in the key issues of telecommunication regulation. In particular, it is planned to consider following questions: aspects of access to the telecommunication market; approaches to RF resource regulation on national and international levels; improvement of legislation in the field of RF resource control and state supervision; ways of involving ICT in economics and society reforming.

The Forum working languages are Russian and English. Simultaneous interpretation from/into English will be provided.

The Forum will be paperless. All the Forum materials, including presentations will be available on the ITU site: http://www.itu.int/ITU-D/tech/events/index.html

No registration fee will be required. All expenses of the Forum participants are to be covered by the sending organization.

If you wish to participate in the workshop, you are kindly requested to fill out the Registration Form (Annex 2) and send it to the contacts indicated in the Form not later than **3 September 2012.**

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Sincerely,

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