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## Ms. Doreen Bogdan-Martin

Secretary-General International Telecommunication Union Place de Nations Geneva 20 Switzerland

Dear Secretary General,

On behalf of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN), thank you for your recent letter confirming the ITU's formal acceptance to join the Coalition for Digital Africa, the signed statement of agreement in support of its vision and the ITU's commitment to its guiding principles. We appreciate this partnership with the ITU and look forward to collaborating together to advance the Coalition's efforts aimed at strengthening Internet infrastructure to support the growth of Africa's digital economy.

As Interim President and Chief Executive Officer of ICANN, I look forward to meeting with you and continuing our excellent working relationship with the ITU.

Sincerely,

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