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Subject: 4th Steering Committee Meeting of the Centres of Excellence Network for Africa,"

Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, '8' 10 November 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), we would like to invite your organization to participate in the Fourth Steering Committee Meeting of the Centres of Excellence for Africa, to be held at Azalaï Hotel Abidjan, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire from 8 to 10 November 2017. The meeting is kindly hosted by Ecole Supérieure Africaine des TIC the implementation of the activities planned for 2017, make an assessment of the agreement for the cycle 2015 2018 and plan the activities for the remaining period of the cycle. Please find attached the draft

agenda (Annex 1) of the meeting for your consideration.

You are invited to submit the name/s of the representative/s of your organization to this meeting by completing the attached registration form (Annex 2) and return it by **27** October 2017 at the latest to Mrs. Oumou Niang e mail <a href="mailto:oumou.niang@itu.int">oumou.niang@itu.int</a> with a copy to Mr Rodolphe Kossonou, <a href="mailto:rodophe.kossonou@esatic.ci">rodophe.kossonou@esatic.ci</a>.

More information including the list of proposed hotels and visa formalities can be found on the ITU Academy portal at: http://academy.itu.int.

We look forward to your participation and invaluable contribution.

Yours faithfully,

Andrew Rugege Regional Director for Africa and Liaison to ECA and AU

Annexes: 1. Draft agenda

2. Registration form

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