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2014 China International Friendship Cities Conference Guangzhou

International Urban Innovation Conference

Dear Mayor,

The 2014 China International Friendship Cities Conference & Guangzhou International Urban Innovation Conference will be held from 27 to 29 November this year in Guangzhou, the third largest city in China. Hereon, Mme. Li Xiaolin, President of the Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries (CPAFFC) and President of China International Friendship Cities Association (CIFCA), and Mr. Chen Jianhua, Mayor of Guangzhou and Co-President of United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG) would like to express the assurance of our highest consideration and cordial greetings to the leaders of global friendship cities, international friendship-city organizations and members of UCLG, and to extend an invitation to you and your delegation for the events in Guangzhou in November.

Guangzhou, with a history of over 2200 years, is the celebrated "South Gate" of China, the cultural center of southern China, and the foreland of China's reform and opening up, enjoying the fame of being a thousand-year-old commerce city. With the theme of "My City My Dream", this conference will gather representatives from various fields such as local governments, international organizations, economic and academic organizations. Problems faced by the cities during development will be discussed; experiences and fruitful results among friendship cities will be shared. The Urban Innovation Seminar and the Ceremony of the 2nd Guangzhou International Award for Urban Innovation will be held as part of the event.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Guangzhou in November for our ever-lasting friendship and mutual development.

Yours sincerely,

(Li Xiaolin)
President of CPAFFC & CIFCA

(Chen Jianhua)
Mayor of Guangzhou
Co-President of UCLG