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Cairo, Egypt 5<sup>th</sup> May 2008

#### Dear Colleagues and Friends,

#### **Welcome to Cairo!**

I am delighted that you are able to join us in this vibrant capital for the 14<sup>th</sup> Stop TB Partnership Coordinating Board Meeting. I hope that your flight and arrival in Cairo went smoothly. I am looking forward to successful and inspiring couple of days!

This letter contains practical information to help make your stay more enjoyable and our meetings more productive.

## Stop TB Partnership Coordinating Board Meeting venue:

**InterContinental Cairo Citystars** 

Obar Ibn Khattab Street, Heliopolis, Cairo, Egypt.

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#### Stop TB Partnership Coordinating Board Meeting Schedule:

## Tuesday 6th May 2008:

- 09.00 Opening Ceremony
- 13.00 Lunch at Esplande Restaurant, InterContinental Cairo Citystars
- 19.00 "Partners' in Health" Gala Event

Transport is provided to the "Partners' in Health" Gala Event, held at Fairmont Hotel, Cairo.

"Partners' in Health" will see the launch of the Regional Stop TB Partnership for EMRO and celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of WHO.

# Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2008:

- 08.30 Meeting re-commences
- 12.30 Lunch at Esplande Restaurant, InterContinental Cairo Citystars
- 12.30 Meeting of Kochon Prize Selection Committee, Board Room, InterContinental Cairo Citystars
- 18.15 Meeting closes

### Stop TB Private Sector Constituency Meeting:

The Stop TB Private Sector Constituency Meeting organized by the World Economic Forum (WEF), will be held in Cairo on 8-9 May.

During the Stop TB Partnership Coordinating Board Meeting, you may be asked by a member of the Secretariat to do a brief television interview. Testimonies are being filmed for the "Call to Stop TB". The film will be used at the TB-HIV Global Leaders' Forum, 9<sup>th</sup> June, and at the Partners' Forum, March 2009.

If you need assistance during your stay, Stop TB Partnership personnel and Secretariat staff will be available at the conference secretariat and the meeting room at the InterContinental Cairo Citystars to help.

For any additional assistance, please do feel free to get in touch with:

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With my warmest regards,

Marcos Espinal

**Executive Secretary**