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Ngozi OKONJO-IWEALA
Director-General

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Dear Mr Mehta,

I have decided to establish a Civil Society Advisory Group, made up of a select and diverse number of civil society leaders, and I would like to invite you to join my Group.

Your insights on a number of societal needs and challenges can assist me in determining WTO's role in dealing with the some of the most pressing crises that the world is facing at present.

I therefore believe your participation would be a great asset to the Advisory Group and its members and of enormous value to my role as Director-General. I would be honoured if you accept this invitation to be a member of my Advisory Group.

My intention is to meet two times a year - either virtually or in person at the WTO in Geneva. A first virtual meeting will be held in May. We will come back with more details soon.

Should you or your office need any further information, please contact Mr. Bernard Kuiten, Head of External Relations at +41 22 739 5676 or bernard.kuiten@wto.org.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala".

Dr Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala

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