Dear Madam/Sir,

The Chamber of Deputies of Argentina and the Parliamentary Track of the United Nations Internet Governance Forum (IGF) have the honour to invite you to the First Regional Summit of Parliamentarians: Artificial Intelligence and the Latin American Agenda, to be held at the Chamber of Deputies in Buenos Aires City, Argentina, from 13 to 14 June 2024.

The Summit will showcase the critical role of parliaments and anticipatory parliamentary practice on Artificial Intelligence (AI) issues in the Latin American region. It will encourage regional collaboration and the exchange of knowledge and best practices related to AI technologies for further decision-making. Specifically, the Summit will delve into the governance of AI, unpacking issues such as regulation and legislation, global legislative practices, the socio-economic impact, ethical and human rights implications and the role of youth. It will also explore concrete actions to consolidate a common regional position on AI-related issues, create appropriate regulatory frameworks, and promote responsible innovation while protecting fundamental rights and values. The programme of the Summit will feature panel discussions with distinguished speakers, as well as workgroups.

As a global multistakeholder platform that facilitates discussion of digital public policy issues, the IGF has sought to strengthen the participation of parliamentarians in discussions on some of the most pressing issues related to the use, evolution and governance of the Internet and related digital technologies. Starting with the First Regional Summit, the IGF will develop a series of activities dedicated to parliamentarians from the region to have sustained conversations. The IGF plans on hosting a Parliamentary Track alongside the Latin America and the Caribbean IGF to be held in November 2024 in Chile, leading up to the annual IGF taking place from 15 to 19 December 2024 in Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

Please confirm your participation by completing this registration form.

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We look forward to your participation.

Please accept the assurance of our highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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