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Secretary-General



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Dear Mr. Martin Chungong,

As you approach your retirement on 30 June, coinciding with the International Day of Parliamentarism, I wish, in my capacity as Secretary General of the Asian Parliamentary Assembly (APA), to convey my sincere appreciation for your dedicated service and distinguished leadership of the Inter-Parliamentary Union throughout your tenure.

Your steadfast commitment to strengthening parliamentary diplomacy, fostering dialogue among nations, and advancing the role of parliaments worldwide has left a lasting mark on the Organization and its members.

The coincidence of your retirement with this important day provides a symbolic and particularly appropriate occasion to recognize and commend your significant contributions to the global parliamentary community.

We are deeply grateful for your valuable service and for the excellent cooperation that has existed between the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Asian Parliamentary Assembly under your leadership. We wish you good health, happiness, and continued success in your future endeavors.

At the same time, we look forward to working closely with your successor, Her Excellency, Ambassador Anda Filip, whose extensive experience of more than two decades in parliamentary affairs will undoubtedly contribute to the continued strengthening of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

We are confident that the constructive cooperation between the Asian Parliamentary Assembly and the Inter-Parliamentary Union will continue to flourish under her leadership.

Please accept, Dear Mr. Chungong, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Best Regards,

Mohammad Reza Majidi