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Sent: Tuesday, March 18, 2014 4:08 PM
To: 'ivo.vanek@nho.cz'
Subject: RE: Invitation letter BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague 2014

Dear Mr Vaněk,

Thank you very much for the kind invitation to our mayor for your conference.

Unfortunately our mayor,
Mr Van der Laan is not able to come to Prague
because of other obligations on 12 and 14 May.

We wish you a very successful meeting.

Kind regards,

drs. Wouter van der Heijde

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To: 'ivo.vanek@nho.cz'
Subject: Regarding your conference invitation

Dear Mr Vanek

Mr Stange, to whom you have addressed your email below,
is no longer employed in our office. Consequently,
in Mr Stange's absence, I allow myself to answer on his behalf.

Thank you for your kind email,
in which you invite the Lord Mayor of Copenhagen,
Mr Frank Jensen, to attend your conference
on Better Cities for Better Life.

Unfortunately, the Lord Mayor is unable to participate.
He does, however, extend his best wishes and hopes for your conference.

Kind regards

Mads Peter Aagaard Madsen

Project Assistant

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Sent: Tuesday, March 18, 2014 8:31 AM
To: 'Ivo Vanek'
Subject: RE: Invitation letter BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague 2014 - frist 17/3

Dear Ivo Vaněk

Thank You very much for the invitation to Mayor Morten Kabell to attend BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE.

Unfortunately Morten Kabell is very busy at that time, and is not able to participate in the conference.

I hope You will have an inspiring conference.

Kind regards

Thomas Højlt
Chefkonsulent
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From: Mayor of London [mailto:mayor@london.gov.uk]
Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2013 5:42 PM
To: ivo.vanek@nho.cz
Subject: RE: MGLA141013-8862 RE: MGLA020713-0274

Dear Ivo Vanek

Thank you for your follow-up email asking if the Mayor or a representative can attend the Better Cities for Life international conference in Prague.

I have checked the website of the Conference and note that the dates of the conference have now changed to 12-13 May 2014. Your offer of covering the expenses of the Mayor or his representative is very generous, however it is not yet possible for the Mayor to consider invitations to events taking place in May next year.

If you would like to extend the invitation to the Mayor for the new dates of the conference I would recommend submitting your invitation 2-3 months before the start of the conference.

Once again, thank you for your very kind invitation and best wishes for organising the event.

Yours sincerely,

Simon Rees
Mayor's Office

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Thomas Højlt

From: Annika Jagander [mailto:annika.jagander@gov.se]
Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2014 11:01 AM
To: Ivo Vaněk
Cc: 'Gabriela Dufková'; Helen Alterius; Helena Stiessová; Birgitta Olofsson
Subject: RE: BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague 2014

Dear Mr Vaněk

Thank you for explaining the possible reasons for the apparent lack of information among City of Prague officials about your conference.

I share your hope that the new political situation will lead to a more mature and responsible political climate, where pressing issues such as those addressed by an initiative such as yours shall be taken with the seriousness and resolve they deserve.

I also hope you will have better luck this time in getting positive answers from Stockholm, Göteborg and Malmö.

Yours sincerely

Annika Jagander

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 Annika Jagander*

*Anna Schilirò
 Náměstek generálního tajemníka
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Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2013 4:47 PM
To: ivo.vanek@nho.cz
Subject: Absage GM vom 11. Mai 2014 - "Better cities for a better life"

Sehr geehrter Herr Vanek

Ich beziehe mich auf Ihre Email an Herrn Regierungspräsident Dr. Guy Morin vom 10. November 2013.

Primär möchte ich mich bei Ihnen für die verspätete Rückmeldung entschuldigen. Dennoch muss ich Ihnen leider mitteilen, dass es Herrn Dr. Guy Morin infolge anderweitiger Verpflichtungen, welche seine persönliche Anwesenheit erfordern, nicht möglich sein wird, an der internationalen Konferenz „Better cities for a better life“ vom 11. Mai 2014 in Prag teilzunehmen, was er sehr bedauert.

Ich bitte Sie höflich, dass Fernbleiben von Herrn Dr. Guy Morin zu entschuldigen und wünsche Ihnen in diesem Zusammenhang bereits heute eine interessante und vor allem erfolgreiche Konferenz.

Freundliche Grüsse

Anna Schilirò

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Sent: Wednesday, December 11, 2013 4:40 PM
To: ivo.vanek@ivovanek.cz
Subject: International Conference "Better Cities for better Life"

Dear Mr. Vaněk,

the Lord Mayor Elbers would like to thank you for your invitation to the International Conference "Better Cities for better Life" on **11 to 13 May 2014** in Prague.

As Lord Mayor Elbers already has fixed appointments at this time, he politely requests your understanding of the fact that he unfortunately will not be able to attend your invitation.

Lord Mayor Elbers wishes the conference every success.

With best regards
 On behalf of

Frank Scholz

Mit freundlichen Grüßen
 Im Auftrag

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Mr.
 Ivo Vaněk
 President of the International Conference
 Better Cities for better Life

by e-mail: ivo.vanek@ivovanek.cz

09 December 2013

Dear Mr. Vaněk,

Lord Mayor Elbers would like to thank you for your invitation to the International Conference "Better Cities for better Life" on **11 to 13 May 2014** in Prague.

As Lord Mayor Elbers already has fixed appointments at this time, he politely requests your understanding of the fact that he unfortunately will not be able to attend your conference.

Lord Mayor Elbers wishes the conference every success.

With best regards
 On behalf of

Frank Scholz
 Frank Scholz

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 Daniela Kannengiesser*

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Sent: Wednesday, April 16, 2014 10:17 PM
To: ivo.vanek@nho.cz
Subject: Better Cities For Better Life 12-13May 2014

Dear Mr Ivo Vanek,

On behalf of Mayor Anneli Hulthén,
I thank you for your kind invitation to participate
at Better Cities For Better Life 12-13 May 2014 in Prague.

I regret to inform you that Mayor Anneli Hulthén
will not be able to attend due to other commitments.

However, I would like to take this opportunity
to wish you a successful event.

On behalf of the Mayor

Best regards

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:37 PM
To: ivo.vanek@nho.cz
Subject: Re: Invitation letter BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague 2014]

Dear Mr. Vanek,

Thank you very much for your invitation to Lord Mayor Ude to attend the Better Cities for Better Life Conference Prague 2014 that the Lord Mayor was honored to receive.

Unfortunately, due to an internal office mixup, your request could only be processed today. The remaining time is not enough to draft the text for the Blue-Green Book by 31 March 2014. Furthermore, local elections just took place in Bavaria and the new City Council and the new Lord Mayor will only be sworn in on 2 May 2014. This means that it will not be possible for an official representative from the City of Munich to actively take part in the conference.

Please accept the Lord Mayor's best wishes for the Better Cities for Better Life Conference in Prague in May.

Kind regards,

Martina Boegl

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To: Ivo Vaněk
Subject: RE: Idalberto (scientific information)

Dear Ivo:

I'll be pleased to attend to your conference, but at this time have not chance to do it. These days I'm in Cuba, I'm the director of the center for energy and environmental technologies assessments at the Central University, and eventually the dean of the faculty of mechanical engineering till July.

Receive my best wishes for a successful and fruitful conference.

Kindest regards,

Idalberto.

Dr. Idalberto Herrera Moya



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*Oddělení hospodářského rozvoje
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Subject: 28-29 conference
To: jiri.ammer@gmail.com

Hello,

Thank you for invitation,
 from Rustavi City Hall Mayor David Jikia
 and Deputy Mayor Giorgi Tabatadze
 will take part in conference.

We'll need invitation letter for them and Agenda.

Please let us know what kind
 of presentation would be required from our side.

Best regards.

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Date: 2013/11/1

Subject: RE: International Conference
BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE
- Summary of successful solution

To: jiri.ammer@gmail.com

Dear Mr. Vaněk,

For us it is impossible to send our paper till 4 th November.
Could you confirm that the participation in the conference
without a paper / report is possible.
We would be able to send our paper till 12 th November,
if it uses anything.

What is the deadline to confirm
the participation of our delegates?

Best regards,

Alexander Shovgenin

International Officer

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Sent: Thursday, October 31, 2013 2:58 PM
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Subject: RE: International Conference BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE - Summary of successful solution

APRECIADOS AMIGOS

EN NOMBRE DEL ALCALDE DE AREQUIPA DR. ALFREDO ZEGARRA TEJADA ME PONGO EN COMUNICACIÓN CON USTEDES PARA MANIFESTARLES QUE SE HA TOMADO LA DETERMINACIÓN DE ACEPTAR SU CORDIAL INVITACIÓN PARA ASISTIR TAN MAGNO EVENTO A REALIZARSE EN PRAGA

POR ELLO DEBO INFORMARLES QUE ESTARÁN VIAJANDO LOS SGTES REPRESENTANTES:

JORGE ZUMARI BUENDIA REGIDOR DE LA MUNICIPALIDAD DE AREQUIPA EN REPRESENTACION DEL ALCALDE

JORGE LUIS NUÑEZ ZEVALLOS GERENTE DE SERVICIO AL CIUDADANO (ESPECIALISTA EN MEDIO AMBIENTE)

POR ESTA RAZÓN SOLICITAMOS A USTEDES CONSIDERAR A DICHAS PERSONAS Y MANTENER LA INFORMACIÓN PARA PRÓXIMAS ACCIONES A TOMARSE

SALUDOS CORDIALES

FREDDY PADILLA GUZMAN

GERENTE DE RELACIONES EXTERIORES Y TURISMO

MUNICIPALIDAD DE AREQUIPA

Date: Thu, 31 Oct 2013 08:26:14 -0500
Subject: Fwd: International Conference BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE - Summary of successful solution
From: alcaldia.mpa@gmail.com
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From: 1 [mailto:frd@yerevan.am]
Sent: Thursday, October 31, 2013 2:56 PM
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Subject: Управление внешних связей мэрии Еревана

Уважаемая Алжбета!!

Добрый день!

Спасибо за приглашение принять участие в конференции.
Прошу ответить на наши некоторые вопросы:
1.Какая часть расходов берет на себя приглашающая сторона.
2.На данный момент кто из приглашенных мэров подтвердил участие в конференции.
3.В прошлый раз где проходила конференция /если возможно направьте пожалуйста ссылки/.

С ожиданием скорого ответа и с уважением

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Harutyun Hakobyan

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Claudia Luna*

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On Behalf Of Mayor Scheduling
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Subject: International Conference Better Cities for Better Life

Mr. Vanek,

Thank you for the cordial invitation extended to Mayor Garcetti.
I am sorry to inform you that due to scheduling conflicts,
the Mayor will not be able to attend
the International Conference Better Cities for Better Life.

On behalf of the Mayor we ask that you please accept his sincere regrets and best wishes.
Should the Mayor's schedule change, the Scheduling Office will notify you immediately.

Sincerely,

Claudia Luna

Office of Mayor Eric Garcetti
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Petr Gandalovič
Ambassador

November 4, 2013

The Honorable Michael R. Bloomberg
Mayor of the City of New York
City Hall
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Dear Mayor:

I would like to invite you to the International Conference BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE that will take place in the Czech capital Prague on November 28 and 29, 2013.

In the spirit of thinking globally and acting locally, the conference is aiming to share worldwide best practices of urban communities in dealing with noise and air pollution and the way they impact the health of city-dwellers. The conference is planned to result in a World Blue-green Book summarizing innovative health-improving solutions in the field.

Confirmed attendees range from officials of the Czech Government, World Health Organization (www.who.int), European Noise Barrier Federation (www.enbf.org) and European Union Road Federation (www.erf.be) to representatives of about a hundred cities including, *inter alia*, London, United Kingdom; Sao Paulo, Brazil; Bangkok, Thailand; Casablanca, Morocco; Cape Town, South Africa; and Sydney, Australia.

English is an official language of the conference.

This invitation is transferable within the mayoral administration. If New York City attends the conference at mayoral or vice-mayoral level, the conference will pay for the participant's air travel, local transport, meals and lodging; if the City is represented by a noise and/or air pollution expert, expenses for local transport, meals and lodging will be borne. In either case, attendance at the conference is free of charge.

For more information, please go to www.better-cities.eu or refer to the President of the International Conference Ivo Vaněk at ivo.vanek@nho.cz.

Yours respectfully,

ambasador
velvyslanectví České republiky v New Yorku
Petr Gandalovič

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Президенту Международной
конференции BETTER CITIES FOR
BETTER LIFE, Prague 2013

Иво Ванеку

11.11.2013 № 0139/01-10/6153
На № 01-44-456 от 29.10.2013

О направлении ответа

Уважаемый господин Ванек!

По поручению главы Администрации города Екатеринбурга, благодарю Вас за приглашение приехать в Прагу на Международную конференцию BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague 2013, где будут рассмотрены очень важные для всех мегаполисов вопросы, касающиеся снижения уровня шума и степени загрязнения атмосферного воздуха. В связи с необходимостью участия в ранее запланированных мероприятиях, принять Ваше приглашение не представляется возможным. Однако для нас очень важны и актуальны решения по данным проблемам других городов мира, и мы будем очень признательны, если Вы найдете возможность представить материалы конференции для рассмотрения и использования в работе по созданию комфортной среды обитания и снижению риска здоровью населения города Екатеринбурга.

Заместитель главы Администрации города
Екатеринбурга по вопросам благоустройства,
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Arnaldo Samaniego



Rio de Janeiro, 06 November 2013.

Mr. Ivo Vanek
President
International Conference Better Cities for Better Life

Dear Mr. Vanek,

It was with satisfaction that Mayor Eduardo Paes received your invitation to attend the International Conference Better Cities for Better Life, to be held in Prague from November 28th to 29th, 2013.

Air and noise pollution are great challenges to all megacities. The Rio de Janeiro City Hall is committed to working on policies to address these issues.

Unfortunately, previously scheduled engagements prevent him from leaving Rio to attend this event. Nonetheless, we look forward to receiving the outcome documents.

I wish you success in organizing the event.

Yours sincerely,

Laudemar Aguiar
Head of International Relations

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Municipalidad de la Ciudad de Asunción
Intendencia Municipal



Asunción, 08 de Mayo de 2014.-

NRI SP N° 71 / 14

Estimado Señor:

Es un inmenso placer saludarlo desde la Intendencia Municipal de la Ciudad de Asunción, Capital de la República del Paraguay y a la vez expresarle mis más sinceros respetos.

Es muy importante para Nuestro Municipio participar en eventos de esta naturaleza, más aún de esta Conferencia Internacional "Mejores Ciudades para mejor vida", teniendo en cuenta la iniciativa que estamos llevando adelante, la cual es la de convertir a la Ciudad de Asunción en la "Capital Verde de Iberoamérica", con todos los elementos que esto implica.

En este orden de cosas, y debido al carácter de este trascendental evento, en nuestra calidad de participantes nos permitimos solicitar la **SEDE DE LA 2ª CONFERENCIA INTERNACIONAL BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, para ser desarrollada en el año 2015 en nuestro País.**

Finalmente deseamos ratificar que las puertas de la *Ciudad de Asunción Madre de Ciudades* estarán siempre abiertas para estrechar lazos de amistad y cooperación.

Atentamente.



ECON. ARNALDO SAMANIEGO
Intendente Municipal de Asunción

SEÑOR
IVO VANEK, Presidente
Conferencia Internacional "Better Cities for Better Life"
Ciudad de Praga
República Checa
Presente

vedoucí mezinárodních vztahů
ěsto Rio de Janeiro
Laudemar Aguiar

รายชื่อคณะของกรุงเทพมหานครในการเดินทางเยือนสหพันธ์สาธารณรัฐเยอรมนี และสาธารณรัฐเชค ระหว่างวันที่ 24 – 30 พฤศจิกายน 2556

เพื่อเข้าร่วมการประชุม Green Cities – Green Industries – The 2nd Magdeburg Conference 2013 ระหว่างวันที่ 25 – 27 พฤศจิกายน 2556 ณ เมืองมักเดอบูร์ก

และการประชุม International Conference on Noise and Air Pollution: Better Cities for Better Life, Prague 2013 ระหว่างวันที่ 28 – 29 พฤศจิกายน 2556 ณ กรุงปราก

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Dear Ivo VANEK,
President of the International Conference,

I would like to thank you for your kind invitation to the International Conference "Better Cities For Better Life" which will be held in Prague on 28-29 November 2013.

However I shall inform you with great regret that due to my current heavy Schedule, I will not be able to attend this meaningful Conference.

Hereby, I wish my very best for this particular Conference and I extend my deepest respects to you.

Sincerely,

Aziz KOCAOĞLU
Mayor of Izmir Metropolitan Municipality



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Secretaria Municipal de Desenvolvimento
Secretaria Municipal Adjunta de Relações Internacionais

GP. EXTERN-0407/OF

Belo Horizonte, October 9th 2013.

Mr. President,

1. With my compliments, I thank your Excellency to kindly invitation to attend the International Conference *Better Cities for Better Life*, to be held on 28 and 29 November m.p., in Prague, Czech Republic.

2. Unable to attend, I congratulate you on the initiative carrying out the event, which has a staff of great scope and interest to all who care about and work for the quality of life of people worldwide.

3. I would like to record that the themes of this Conference, housed in the general challenge of combating noise pollution and air pollution, integrate, in a fundamental way, the priorities of the Public Administration of Belo Horizonte, where we have sought to reconcile the demands of economic growth and environmental sustainability.

4. Despite the efforts that we, local governments, conducted the defense of the environment and quality of life in large urban areas, we know that, in the long term, the impacts of climate and noise pollution can be minimized from global decisions and attitudes in a worldwide agreement that satisfies a large number of countries, cities, governments, business and civil society.

5. I am sure that this conference will be another key step for us to move forward on this issue, with decisions and actions of practical outcomes that will contribute to stop the process of degradation of environmental conditions worldwide.

6. On occasion, I renew my admiration for the work done by the coordination of *Better Cities for Better Life* and wish you success in your discussions and deliberations.

Cordially,

MÁRCIO A. DE LACERDA
Mayor

To Excellency Mr.

IVO VANEK

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Ivo Vanek

President of the International Conference
Better Cities for Better Life

Dear Mr. Ivo Vanek,

I would like to thank you for the invitation to the "Better cities for better life" conference which will be held from 28-29 November 2013 in Prague, Czech Republic.

I deeply regret that I cannot able to participate in this Conference for the implementation of number of municipal project planned in advance. However our delegation led by Vugar Agamaliyev – First adviser of the Foreign Relations Department of the Executive Power of Baku city and Kazimova Leyli- Head adviser of the Foreign Relations Department will take part in this event.

Taking this opportunity I wish You and participants of Conference big successes.

Sincerely,

Head of the Executive Power
of Baku city,
Professor

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International Conference of Mayors of Capital Cities, November 28-29

Dear Ivo Vanek,

Thank you for your letter to the Mayor of Reykjavík, Mr. Jón Gnarr, regarding an invitation to an international conference on air pollution, Better Cities for Better Life, which will be held in Prague in November.

Although honored by the kind invitation, Mayor Jón Gnarr will not be able to accept due to a busy scheduling during that time.

Information regarding your conference has been forwarded to the Department of Environment and Planning and the chairman of the Political Council of Environment and Planning for their attention.

Mayor Jón Gnarr sends you his very best regards and hopes that the conference will be a success.

Sincerely yours,

Kristín Vilhjálmsdóttir
Administrative Assistant



Australian Government
Austrade

23 October 2013

Professor Igor Agranovski
Griffith University

Dear Professor Agranovski,

Please, accept my invitation to the *Better Cities for Better Life* International Conference on Reducing Noise and Air Pollution in Cities to Improve the Health of the Population. The conference will take place in Prague, Czech Republic on 28-29 November 2013. Further details can be found at www.better-cities.eu.

The event introduces a unique opportunity to present Australian successes in the above area to international audience. You may consider active participation to highlight and share your achievements within a framework of Conference program and to establish new useful contacts with the key representatives in international R&D and commercial community. If you think the Conference could be of interest to any of your colleagues I will appreciate if you would pass the information on them.

You may wish to register online via the following link:

<https://payment.org.au/better-cities/UserPages/InteractiveAppForms.aspx>

You may also contact the Conference President for more information regarding the conference and participation:

Mr Ivo VANEK

E-mail: ivo.vanek@nho.cz

Australian Trade Commission is supporting this event and is helping the organisers in preparation. We will be very pleased to assist you on the accommodation and conference logistics matter. If you find it useful, please copy me in your correspondence with Mr Vaneck (my email address is petr.vodvarka@ustrade.gov.au). Your response by Thursday 31 October would be most appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Petr Vodvarka
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Cc: Denver Van Schalkwyk
Subject: RE: International Conference BETTER CITIES FOR BETTER LIFE, Prague
Importance: High

Dear Mrs Kralova

The attached correspondence refers: The Executive Mayor of the City of Cape Town, Ms Patricia de Lille would like to express her gratitude for being invited to participate in the Better Cities for Better Life Conference to be hosted in Prague, Czech Republic, from November 28th to 29th. Please note that due to a prior commitment, the Executive Mayor would unfortunately be unable to attend the Conference.

The Executive Mayor and the City of Cape Town trust that the Conference will be a success and wish you well in your endeavours.

Yours faithfully,

Dr Denver van Schalkwyk

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