



Misión Permanente del Ecuador
ante la ONU y otros Organismos Internacionales
Ginebra - Suiza

Geneva July 27, 2015

Dear Sir / Madam,

It is my pleasure to refer to the First Session of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on Transnational Corporations and other Business Enterprises (OEIGWG) with respect to human rights, which was held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, from July 06th to 10th, 2015, with the mandate to elaborate an international legally binding instrument to regulate, in international human rights law, the activities of transnational corporations and other business enterprises, in accordance with Resolution A/HRC/RES/26/9.

In this regard, it is my honor to transmit the sincere gratitude from the Government of Ecuador, as well as my personal recognition as Chairperson of the OWIGWG, for your participation and support in the first session, which constituted a key and decisive support for the significant progress in the constructive deliberation on the contents, scope, nature and form of the future legally binding instrument on transnational corporations and other business enterprises with respect to human rights, fulfilling therefore the mandate of the resolution mentioned above.

I would like to count on the support, expertise and engagement of your organization in this process and I kindly invite you to actively participate in the intersessional work to be undertaken in the coming months.

I avail myself of this opportunity to reiterate to you and your membership the assurances of my most distinguished consideration.

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Ambassador

Permanent Representative of Ecuador to the United Nations Organization
and other International Organizations in Geneva
Chairperson of the OEIGWG



To the
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