



THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

9 November 2015

Excellency,

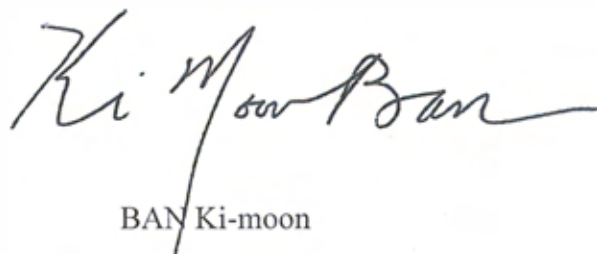
It was my sincere pleasure to meet with you on 2 October 2015, during the General Debate of the seventieth session of the United Nations General Assembly, and to exchange letters to formalize the support of the Government of the Sultanate of Oman to the United Nations to help preserve and digitize its audiovisual archives.

I should like to take this opportunity to inform you that the Department of Public Information (DPI) is ready to begin work on this project. Upon completion, the Department will provide the Government of the Sultanate of Oman with a copy of all the digitized audiovisual materials, and a copy of the digitized United Nations documents. In addition, DPI will facilitate the provision of training on how to search for and retrieve United Nations documents.

I enclose for your reference the letter dated 29 October 2015 from my representative, Ms. Bettina Tucci Bartsiotas, Assistant Secretary-General and Controller, which outlines the specifics of the agreement.

I should like, once again, to express my appreciation for the generous support which your Government continues to provide to the work of the United Nations.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

  
BAN Ki-moon

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