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Dear Mr. Kazatchkine,

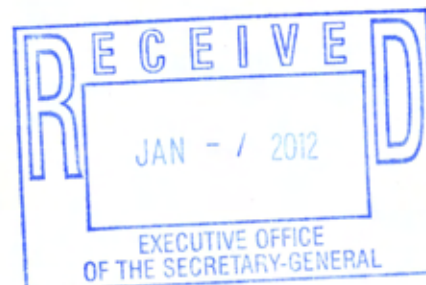
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The Secretary-General appreciates your kind invitation. Unfortunately, I regret to inform you that he will not be able to attend the reception, in view of prior commitments and pressing demands already on his schedule on the said date. Nevertheless, allow me to take this opportunity to convey his best wishes for a successful event. A similar response has been sent to Ms. Michèle Barzach, President of the Friends of the Global Fund Europe, who co-signed the invitation.

Yours sincerely,

Vijay Nambiar  
Chef de Cabinet

Mr. Michel Kazatchkine  
Executive Director  
The Global Fund to Fight AIDS,  
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Ms. Michèle Barzach  
President  
Friends of the Global Fund Europe  
Paris



**Response to Invitation to the Secretary-General: Evening Reception "A  
Decade of European Support to the Global Fund to Fight AIDS,  
Tuberculosis and Malaria", Paris, 31 January 2012**

**Rommel Maranan** to: katartzyna.daghigh

09/01/2012 10:41 AM

Cc: Alexandra Barahona Posada

Dear Katarzyna,

Please convey the attached scan of formal communication from the Executive Office of the Secretary-General to Mr. Michel Kazatchkine, in regard to the above-mentioned subject.

The original has been sent via mail.

Thank you.

Kind regards,  
Rommel

**Rommel Christopher Maranan**  
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United Nations  
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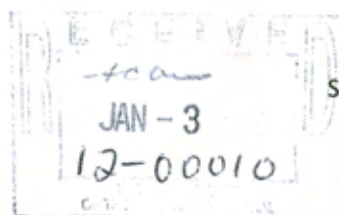
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USA



Dear Secretary-General

In 2012, the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria will celebrate its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary, and the remarkable results that have been achieved in the fight against these three diseases in the world's poorest countries over the past decade. Europe plays a major role in global health and in the fight against AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria and constitutes the largest donor to the Global Fund, contributing more than half of its resources.

To recognize the European commitment to developing countries in the fight against the three diseases, progress achieved during the past 10 years, and the important work done by the Global Fund and its partners in achieving these results, the Global Fund and Friends of the Global Fund Europe are pleased to invite you to celebrate "A Decade of European Support to the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria" on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2012, in Paris.

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The ceremony will bring together European policy makers, representatives of international organisations, as well as participants from the public and private sectors, the research community and non-governmental organisations.

This will be an opportunity to think back to 2002, when the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria was created under the auspices of the United Nations, with the support of several of the world's richest countries, including France. Since then, the innovative model of the Global Fund has dramatically transformed the governance of global health and, given the results achieved so far, there is real hope that the health-related Millennium Development Goals will be achieved in 2015.

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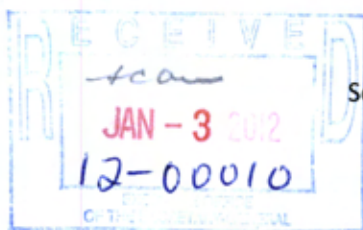
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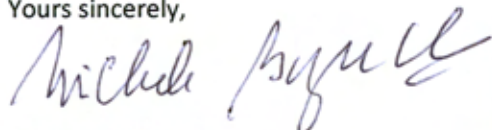
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