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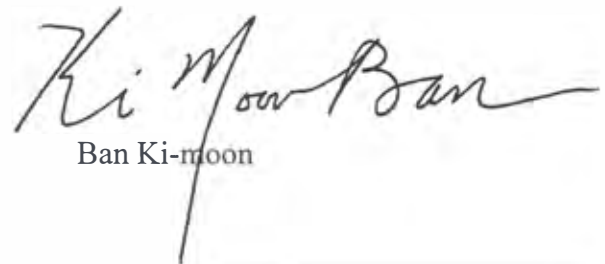
17 December 2007

Dear Mr. Kassow,

I have the honour to inform you that at its 62nd plenary meeting in November 2007, the General Assembly decided to confirm your appointment as a regular member of the United Nations Investments Committee for a three-year term of office commencing on 1 January 2008 and expiring on 31 December 2010. I greatly appreciate your willingness to serve on the Committee and, as an acknowledgement of your valuable participation, decided to seek the confirmation of the General Assembly to appoint you as a regular member.

In extending my congratulations to you on the confirmation of your appointment, I wish to take this opportunity to wish you a very happy and successful 2008.

Yours sincerely,


Ban Ki-moon

Mr. Achim Kassow
Member of the Board of Managing Directors
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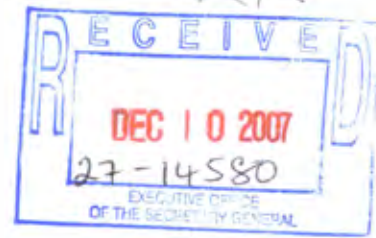
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3 December 2007

Dear Mr. Nambiar,

I am forwarding for the signature of the Secretary-General, a letter welcoming a new Investments Committee member, Mr. Achim Kassow of Germany whose appointment was confirmed at the 62nd plenary session of the General Assembly together with the reappointment of two other regular members of the Investments Committee, Mr. William McDonough (USA) and Hélène Ploix (France), and an *ad hoc* member, Mr. Ivan Pictet (Switzerland).

Mr. Kassow will assume his role as a member of the Committee for a three-year term effective 1 January 2008. Please refer to the enclosed document, A/62/530.

Thank you very much.

Warren Sach

Mr. Kim,
Please authorize
Oscar.
Thank
Cara

cc: Ms. Alicia Barcena

Article 18
PROPERTY IN THE ASSETS

The assets shall be the property of the Fund and shall be acquired, deposited and held in the name of the United Nations, separately from the assets of the United Nations, on behalf of the participants and beneficiaries of the Fund.

Article 19
INVESTMENT OF THE ASSETS

(a) The investment of the assets of the Fund shall be decided upon by the Secretary-General after consultation with an Investments Committee and in the light of observations and suggestions made from time to time by the Board on the investments policy.

(b) The Secretary-General shall arrange for the maintenance of detailed accounts of all investments and other transactions relating to the Fund, which shall be open to examination by the Board.

Article 20
INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE

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PENSION FUND

The Investments Committee shall consist of nine members appointed by the Secretary-General after consultation with the Board and the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, subject to confirmation by the General Assembly.

<i>PART IV. PARTICIPATION, CONTRIBUTORY SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS</i>
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Article 21
Participation

(a) Every full-time member of the staff of each member organization shall become a participant in the Fund:

- (i) Upon commencing employment under an appointment for six months or longer or upon accepting such an appointment while in employment; or,
- (ii) Upon completing, in the same or more than one member organization, six months of service without an interruption of more than thirty days,

whichever is earlier, provided that participation is not expressly excluded by the terms of staff member's appointment.

(b) Participation shall cease when the organization by which the participant is employed ceases to be a member organization, or when he or she dies or separates from such member organization, except that participation shall not be deemed to have ceased where a participant resumes contributory service with a member organization within 36 months after separation without a benefit having been paid.

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