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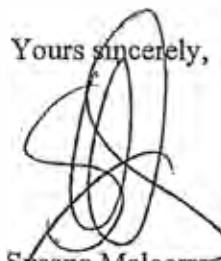
12 October 2012

Dear Prof. Dr. Akaydin,

I would like to **thank** you for **your** letter of 28 August 2012, inviting His Excellency Mr. BAN Ki-moon, **Secretary-General** of the United Nations to the VIII World Championship in Fire and Rescue Sport, to be held in Antalya from 16 to 21 October 2012.

Secretary-General BAN appreciates your kind invitation. Unfortunately, I regret to inform you that he will be **unable** to attend the event, in view of prior commitments and pressing demands already on his schedule during the said dates. Nevertheless, allow me to take this opportunity to convey his best wishes for a successful event.

Yours sincerely,



Susana Malcorra  
Chef de Cabinet

Prof. Dr. Mustafa Akaydin  
Mayor  
Antalya Metropolitan Municipality  
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**Response to Invitation to the Secretary-General: VIII World Championship in  
Fire and Rescue Sport, Antalya, 16-21 October 2012**

**Jackilyn Punsal** to: facar

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Cc: Alexandra Barahona Posada, Mary Sack

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Please convey the attached scan of formal communication from the Executive Office of the Secretary-General to Prof. Dr. Mustafa Akaydin, in regard to the above-mentioned subject.



Response to invitation\_VIII World Championship in Fire and Rescue Sport.pdf

The original has been sent via mail.

Thank you.

Sincerely,  
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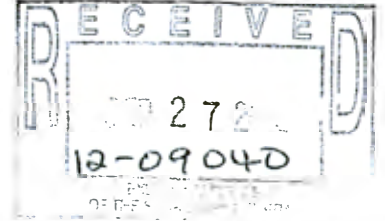
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Secretary-General of the United Nations  
Mr. Ban Ki-moon



28.08.2012

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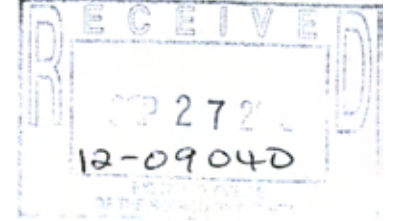
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