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Excellencies, Dear Colleagues,

I would like to inform that the OSCE Chairmanship is seeking applications for the Audit Committee (AC). One position will become vacant, on 31 December 2014.

The Audit Committee was established by the OSCE's Permanent Council (PC) Decision No. 656 of 30 December 2004 for the purpose of providing the OSCE participating States with independent assurances that the OSCE's internal controls are in place and operating properly. As such, the Committee reviews reports by management, internal oversight and the external auditors, and advises the OSCE Secretary General and reports on an annual basis to the Permanent Council.

The AC is composed of three members appointed by the Chairmanship-in-Office in consultation with participating States, each serving terms of three years, extendable for a further period of one year. AC members serve without remuneration from the OSCE. Members of the Audit Committee are expected to attend normally two annual meetings each year in Vienna, Austria. Related travel expenses will be paid by the OSCE.

Applicants must be senior audit professionals of high standing in the international audit community, fully independent of the OSCE and with no affiliation with national governments of the OSCE participating States. Applicants must be nationals of one of the 57 participating States, with solid financial and audit professional backgrounds.

Applications should include a detailed CV, outlining relevant experience, and be sent by 15 September 2014 to adtemtapp@osce.org

I would be grateful to all delegations to the OSCE for their efforts in disseminating information about this vacancy through their respectful national networks.

Yours sincerely,

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