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Dear Mr. Monroy Alarcón,

In accordance with a decision taken by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) at its fifty-first session (New York, 25 June-13 July 2018) (A/73/17, para. 284 (e)), UNCITRAL Working Group V (Insolvency Law) will hold its fifty-fifth session at the United Nations Headquarters, New York, from 28-31 May 2019. Please note that this will be a **4-day session and it will open on Tuesday, 28 May 2019, at 10:30 a.m.**

I have the honour to invite your organization to attend the Working Group session as an observer, sending a delegation of up to five (5) persons. In accordance with the practice established in UNCITRAL, your organization's delegation is invited to the session to represent the views of your organization on matters where it has expertise or international experience so as to facilitate the deliberations of the Working Group. Information about UNCITRAL rules of procedure and methods of work is available at <https://uncitral.un.org/en/about/methods/officialdocs>.

The Working Group will consider a draft guide to enactment of the model law on enterprise group insolvency. Under the terms of reference established by the Commission at its forty-seventh and forty-ninth sessions (A/69/17, para. 156, and A/71/17, para. 246, respectively), the Working Group will also discuss mechanisms to specifically address the insolvency treatment of micro, small and medium-sized enterprises.

The provisional agenda of the session (A/CN.9/WG.V/WP.164), the working papers for the session (A/CN.9/WG.V/WP.165 and A/CN.9/WG.V/WP.166), the background documents and any further information relevant to the session are available or will be available in due course on the UNCITRAL website (uncitral.un.org).

I should be grateful if you would kindly inform me **no later than 16 May 2019** (by email to: uncitral@un.org) whether your organization intends to attend the session of the Working Group and, if so, by whom it will be represented. It would be appreciated if the above deadline is adhered to, in order to facilitate entry of your delegation to the United Nations Headquarters, New York, and avoid delays in completing security procedures.

Please note that all delegates must be in possession of a grounds pass issued by the United Nations Pass and ID Unit in order to enter the United Nations building. We will inform your representative(s) about the procedure to obtain the grounds pass once your organization has confirmed its attendance and provided to us the names of its representative(s). For this purpose, **each delegate's individual e-mail address should be included.**

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Anna Joubin-Bret".

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