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Ref.: Invitation to the Launching Conference of Working Together for Development - WTD

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is with great pleasure that on behalf of the Association of Local Democracy Agencies I invite you to the launching conference of a major project called WTD – Working Together for Development. The Conference *Local authorities and civil society: a partnership for development* will be held on 28th of March 2012 in the Committee of the Regions premises in Brussels. We will be honoured by your presence.

WTD is a major multi-annual development project granted within the framework of the European Commission NSA & LA Programme in the Objective III. It has been conceived by ALDA in cooperation with 21 international partners and associates coming from 16 different countries from the wider Europe. Over three years, the action will involve both Associations of Local Authorities and NGO networks, and aims at improving their capacities to act as development agents inside and outside Europe, in partnership with EU and national institutions. The project uses a multi-stakeholder approach and focuses on creating strong partnerships between Local Authorities and NGOs. It has a particular focus on Eastern and South Eastern Europe.

I am confident that ALDA friends, members and partners share the WTD approach to development cooperation issues. It is with this spirit that we want to start this challenging project and we would like to share with you all this new ALDA endeavour.

I include for your information the draft Agenda of the Conference and the leaflet of the project.

I hope to meet you all in Brussels next 28th March.

Yours sincerely,

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