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LETTER TO THE MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN INVESTMENT COMMISSION

Dear Members of the Foreign Investment Commission,

It is a pleasure to reconnect with all of you to share updates on the activities of our Commission as follows:

(A) MID YEAR INTERNAL MEETING:

As you know, we held our mid-year internal meeting on June 7th in the City of Valencia. It was an in-person meeting where we discussed the following agenda items:

- Seminar in Mumbai and Seminar in Tokyo.

We went through a brief overview of the events at both seminars, where the FIC contributed speakers and played a role in their organization. We extend our special thanks to Ashu Thakur (ASHU THAKUR & ASSOCIATES ADVOCATES & SOLICITORS, from Mumbai) and Motoyasu Hirose (URYU & ITOGA, from Tokyo), who kept us informed about the events in Mumbai and Tokyo respectively. Both seminars were a great success!

- Joint Session of the FIC and the Labour Law Commission at the Paris Congress.

We discussed the upcoming joint session between the FIC and the Labour Law Commission at the Paris Congress, which will focus on the analysis of a specific case, with speakers from various jurisdictions providing insights on the legal approach to the case in their respective countries.

- Seminar in Buenos Aires in May 2025 on Investments in LATAM. Organization ideas, topics, sponsors, CPACF, and a brief overview of the situation in Argentina.

A few days before the Valencia meeting, the UIA confirmed the seminar in Buenos Aires on May 8th and 9th, 2025. This is excellent news for the FIC. I will provide more details in a future letter, but for now, I encourage all of you to attend the seminar in Buenos Aires and

take advantage of the opportunity to visit the vibrant city. Those who are interested in participating as speakers, please contact me and Gabriel Lizama Oligier.

- UIA Congress in Guadalajara. Main Theme No. 1 - Foreign Investments and Alternative Dispute Resolution (International Arbitration and Mediation). Information about the FIC's work and ideas for our session (topic and commission for a joint session).

It may be a bit early to discuss Guadalajara, considering that we still have the Paris Congress ahead of us this year in 2024. However, I would like to mention that the FIC has been collaborating on the preparations related to one of the main themes.

- Juriste International.

We have requested more participation in the publication of articles in Juriste International. I also take this opportunity to encourage you to write and share legal articles of interest for the UIA community through Juriste International. Those interested in contributing may contact me to coordinate.

- Seminar 2026. Ideas.

We discussed various possibilities for holding a seminar in 2026. It is important to continue this discussion, so I ask all those interested in proposing ideas to contact me and Gabriel Lizama Oligier.

(B) GOVERNING BOARD MEETING:

Following the excellent Business Law Forum held on June 6th and 7th in Valencia, a new meeting of the Governing Board was held, where we were warmly welcomed by the Valencia Bar Association.

(C) NEW MEMBERS:

Finally, we have welcomed eight new members to our Commission so far this year. I would like to remind you that UIA currently allows its members to participate in up to six commissions at no additional cost. I encourage everyone to make an effort to recruit new members for our Commission, whether they are current UIA members or, even better, new members who join the UIA.

That's all for now. I send you my warmest regards and remain at your disposal.



Hernan Andrada