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to

Professor Vicente Forero Villao
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República de Panamá

re: National Membership of the IAU

Dear Professor Vicente Forero Villao,

It is my distinct pleasure to inform you that the National Members of the IAU, represented in the IAU XXVII General Assembly, 3-14 August 2009 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, voted unanimously on Tuesday 4 August 2009 in approval of National Membership for Panama during the First Session of the GA, with *interim status*.

I note that you propose as Adhering Organization of the nominated IAU National Member Panamá: Universidad de Panamá, Facultad de Ciencias Naturales, Exactas y Tecnología, Departamento de Física Ciudad de Panamá, República de Panamá.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'I. F. Corbett', is written over a horizontal line.

Ian F. Corbett

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