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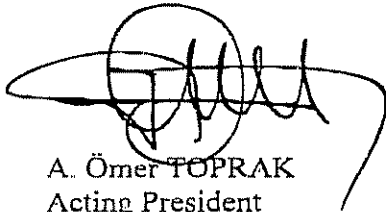
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Dear Mr. Cheung,

I am pleased to know that your division was awarded the 2010 UN21 Award for "Improvement in Client Services" by the Secretary General. This has been a deserved award and a manifestation for prospective achievements and further innovations in the field of global statistical databases of UN.

Taking this opportunity, I would like to request you to convey my appreciation and congratulation on behalf of my institute to the staff of your division for their devoted and meticulous studies.

Yours sincerely,



A. Ömer TOPRAK
Acting President