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To the Presidents of all FIG Member Associations

Invitation to the Presidents' Meeting in Marrakech, Morocco on the 22nd of May 2011

Dear President,

Greetings from FIG.

I am looking forward to welcoming and meeting you and your members at the FIG Working Week and the 34th General Assembly in Marrakech, Morocco from 18th to 22nd May 2011. The FIG Working Week is the only major FIG event this year, the starting point of the four-year term of office of the current Council and Commissions. All indicators are that the Working Week in Morocco will be one of the biggest annual Working Weeks in the FIG history with record number of presentations and more than 1,000 participants.

The traditional Presidents' Meeting will be held in the morning on the last day of the Working Week. I am sure that those of you who have attended previous Presidents' Meetings during the FIG Working Weeks and Congresses share my opinion that this meeting provides another forum for interaction between FIG and Member Associations, in addition to the formal General Assembly sessions.

The meeting will take place **Sunday 22nd May between 8:30 and 10:30** in **Fez I** room at the Palais des Congres in Marrakech.

It is my hope that this session will allow you to share your views on FIG and its activities as well as any issues that you or your association consider important to be addressed internationally by FIG. I am also interested to discuss the implementation of the FIG Work Plan 2011-2014 that is attached to the General Assembly papers www.fig.net/admin/ga/2011/agenda/app_16_council_wp.pdf and how to better engage your membership and ensure that they benefit from our global activities and from the work of the technical commissions, networks and task forces.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could let our office know (email: fig@fig.net) of your participation. If you are unable to come to Marrakech personally, I hope that you will nominate someone to attend the meeting on your behalf – in which case we would like to be informed of the name of your representative. However, I very much hope that you will be able to come to Marrakech.

Thank you and my very best wishes to you and to your membership.

Yours sincerely,
International Federation of Surveyors

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'CheeHai Teo', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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