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Dear Ambassador Olgan Bekar,

The International Finance Corporation (IFC), a member of the World Bank Group, presents to you its compliments and highest regards. IFC is assisting the Ministry of Healthcare and the Ministry of Economy and Finance of the Republic of Uzbekistan in developing a PPP (public-private partnership) Project to refurbish and/or construct new facilities, equip, recruit and train staff, and operate several diagnostics imaging departments with the aim to provide quality imaging services (MRI, CT and nuclear, PET/SPECT CT) to patients across three regions in Uzbekistan. Patients are expected to be referred to the PPP centers and the cost of imaging diagnostics services compensated for by the Government over the term of the PPP agreement (10-15 years, to be confirmed).

As part of this process, we are conducting a market sounding exercise to attract potential international and regional/local private sector participants to participate in the Project. The Government has also recently published an invitation to expressions of interest (EoI): <u>https://gov.uz/en/ssv/sections/ob-ektlar-dhsh/view/8793/</u>.

We would greatly appreciate if you could reach out to potential provider(s) who might be interested in this opportunity and in expanding operations through a PPP arrangement in Uzbekistan and encourage them to submit an EoI by April 30th. We would also be happy to hold discussions directly with such companies to present the Project and to address their questions, if you refer them to the IFC team. They can reach out to the Project team directly by emailing at <u>UzHealth@ifc.org</u> and <u>ksaliev@ifc.org</u>.

We thank you for your support and express hope for productive collaboration.

Kind regards,

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