Letter of Reason for Invitation

May 19, 2014

(Ambassador/Consul-General) of Japan in India

Inviting Person

Address: 7980-8576 27-1 Kawauchi, Aoba-ku, Sendai, JAPAN

Department of Sociology, Graduate School of Arts and Letters, TOHOKU Occupation/Name of organization:

Professor of Sociology, Graduate School of Arts and Letters, TOHOKU UNIVERSITY and Chair of Local Organizing Committee for the XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology

Full name:

Koichi HASEGAWA

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Visa Applicant

Nationality: Indian

Occupation:

Chairman, Social Sciences, Glownet Knowledge Services

Full name:

Harjit Singh Anand

Male

Date of birth: August 30, 1948

(Age: 65)

The purpose of inviting the above person(s) is as follows:

(1)Purpose of invitation

To invite the applicant to participate in the XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology (WCS 2014) to be held in Yokohama from July 13 to 19, 2014.

(2) Background to invitation

ISA World Congress of Sociology is organized by International Sociological Association (ISA) which was founded in 1949 under the auspices of UNESCO and held every four years. The goal of the ISA, is to represent sociologists everywhere, regardless of their school of thought, scientific approached or ideological opinion, and to advance sociological knowledge throughout the world. Its members come from 167 countries.

The applicant's participation to the WCS2014 will make a large contribution in the field of Sociology.

(3)Relationship with visa applicant(s)

Chair of Local Organizing Committee for the XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology and a participant of the congress