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Brasilia, September 2, 2014

Dear President:

It is a great pleasure to write to Your Excellency to inform you that the Organization of Latin American and Caribbean Supreme Audit Institutions (OLACEFS) has decided to award you the Order of Merit of Oversight in the Americas (*Ordem do Mérito do Controle nas Américas* – Commendation of the Americas). This award is given to personalities who stand out due to exceptional merit and relevant contributions to Government Audit.

OLACEFS, one of the regional groups of the International Organization of Supreme Audit Institutions (INTOSAI), is an independent and apolitical international institution that brings together SAIs from 22 countries in the American continent. It was created in 1963 as an association of a permanent nature, whose purpose is to carry out specialized scientific investigation and develop tasks related to study, capacity-building, specialization, technical advisory and assistance, training and coordination aiming at promoting its development and improvement in the area of oversight and audit.

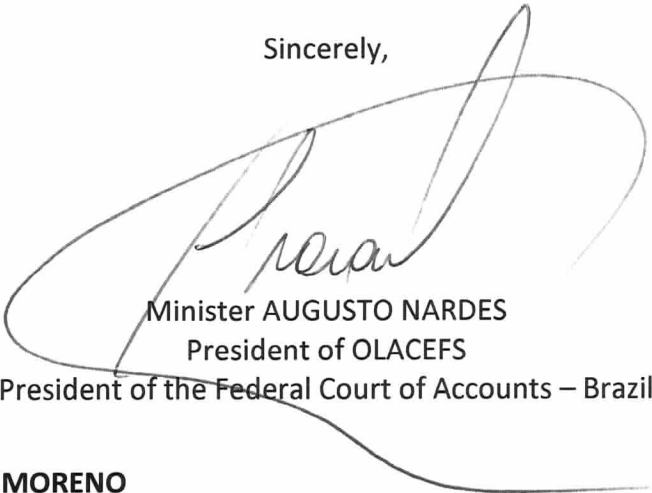
In this spirit, I have the honor to invite Your Excellency to attend the award ceremony which will take place during the 24th Ordinary General Assembly of OLACEFS, in the historic city of Cusco, Peru, on November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

It will be a privilege for our Organization to have you in the ceremony where this distinction will be awarded.

However, if you are not able to participate, we kindly ask you to appoint a representative to receive the Award in your behalf.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Sincerely,



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President of OLACEFS  
President of the Federal Court of Accounts – Brazil

His Excellency  
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