



Topic: Thank you Letter to the ICIC Host

Instituto Nacional de Transparencia, Acceso
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Personales

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**Dear Besnik Dervishi,
Commissioner
Information and Data Protection Commissioner of Albania.**

On behalf of the Plenary of the National Institute for Transparency, Access to Information, and Personal Data Protection (INAI) of Mexico, we express our profound gratitude for your dedicated effort, active participation, and unwavering solidarity during the XIV Edition of the [International Conference of Information Commissioners](#) (ICIC) held in Manila, Philippines, from June 19th to 21st, 2023.

We firmly believe that the conferences, panel discussions, workshops, and regional meetings held throughout the event have significantly contributed to the discourse on the role and challenges of the right to know and transparency in preserving democracy, fostering inclusion, and promoting economic, social, and cultural development. Undoubtedly, these invaluable platforms for dialogue and exchange serve to solidify ICIC as the most ambitious and far-reaching international cooperative endeavor concerning global access to information.

Moreover, we underscore the utmost significance of fortifying the capacities of the Guarantor Bodies for access to information, especially amidst the institutional crises facing nations worldwide. Through collaboration, we can foster stronger ties among international authorities and work towards a more peaceful, just, and inclusive society.

Therefore, we totally reiterate our solid commitment to continue collaborations with ICIC members, non-governmental organizations, civil society, and institutions interested in formulating best practices, reforms, and projects that uphold and promote transparency and access to information across all spheres.

In relation to the abovementioned, I wish to share new experiences within the framework of the next ICIC Edition. As INAI commissioner, I will be delighted to participate and contribute to the development of the XV ICIC Edition, which I predict will be a success.

Sincerely,

**Blanca Lilia Ibarra Cadena
Comisionada Presidenta del INAI y
en representación de la Presidencia de la ICIC**