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Dear Mr Ong,

Invitation to Comment on IASB Discussion Paper on Preliminary Views on Financial Statement Presentation

Thank you for your letter of 31 December 2008 inviting our comments on the captioned subject.

In general, we support the proposals of the International Accounting Standards Board and the US Financial Accounting Standards Board to introduce cohesiveness and disaggregation as the two main objectives for financial statement presentation. The proposals, if implemented, will improve the usefulness of the information provided in an entity's financial statements and help users make decisions, particularly those in their capacity as capital providers.

Yours sincerely,

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