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**Ms. Queen Blessing Itua  
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**9<sup>th</sup> March, 2018**

Dear Madam,

**INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN UNITY IN DIVERSITY: AN EVENING OF  
ART AND HOPE WITH NIGERIA WOMEN DURING THE 62<sup>ND</sup> SESSION OF  
THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN (CSW) HOLDING AT THE  
UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK, ON SUNDAY 11<sup>TH</sup>  
MARCH, 2018.**

On behalf of the Nigerian Government and our partners UN Women and United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), it is a pleasure to invite you to participate in the above mentioned event holding on the 11<sup>th</sup> of March, 2018 at the United Nations Headquarters, New York.

2. In line with the theme of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW62), the event will feature prominent female artists using their craft for social commentary on the struggles and challenges faced by girls and women in an ever changing and complex development context. Through literature, film and theatre, the event will highlight the power of art for social change while showcasing the unity and diversity of lived experiences and struggles of women, particularly those in Nigeria, to overcome pervasive barriers to full equality, dignity and well being.

3. As a member of the artistic community and a leading voice on the issues that will be featured through this event, we would be very happy to welcome and support your participation from 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> of March, 2018.

5. We look forward to welcoming you at the United Nations Headquarters in New York.

  
**Irom Agbor Awassam**

**Counsellor/Head of Chancery  
For: Ambassador/Permanent Representative**