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**Ms Margherita Romanelli  
President  
Associazione Donne in Vaticano**

Dear President,

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that during the last WUCWO Board meeting, there was a unanimous vote in favour of the application of *Associazione Donne in Vaticano* to become an associate member of WUCWO. We are very pleased to have you as a member and we warmly welcome you. We are sure that your participation in WUCWO will bear reciprocal fruits and enhance the development and promotion of cultural, social and religious formation among many women.

As you know, the affiliation of D.VA to WUCWO must be ratified at the next General Assembly, to be held, God willing in El Escorial, Spain in June 2027. We look forward to your presence on that occasion.

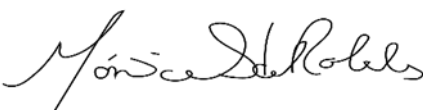
From now on, you will receive communications and invitations to participate in the various activities and initiatives carried out by WUCWO. These include formation sessions, our newsletter, the magazine *Women's Voice* every four months and other gatherings. We hope that we will soon be able to get to know each other better and build a network of collaboration between our organisations.

Finally, I would like to know who the contact person for institutional communications will be among your members. The designated person will be invited to join the "Weavers of Communion" WUCWO group, to facilitate networking between English-speaking organisations (there are equivalent groups in Spanish and French which can also be joined).

They will contact you from the Secretariat to ask you further contact details of your Treasurer and to inform you about the annual due.

I entrust the common journey we are commencing to Mary, Queen of Peace, Patroness of WUCWO.

Warm regards,

  
Mónica Santamarina  
WUCWO President General