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Subject: My candidacy for the position of Secretary-General

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Ladies and Gentlemen,

1. As the straw poll of 21 August approaches, and further to my letters of 25 June 2026 ([Att. 0](#), EN [Att. 0.1](#)) and 21 July 2026 ([Att. 0.2](#), EN [Att. 0.3](#)), I am writing to update you on the progress of my work on the detailed description of my platform of proposals.

2. Having presented, in the letter of 25 June 2026, the cross-analyses between the platform and UN reports, I have worked, with the assistance of an AI system, on the detailed description of each of the six proposals, in order to enable their technical and financial evaluation and to facilitate a possible decision on implementation — of the project as a whole or of certain proposals only. Over roughly two months, we succeeded in describing each proposal in detail and in establishing a working method that will allow us to address the questions that remain outstanding in the coming weeks.

3. Each proposal is now documented according to a common structure: nature and mandate, technical feasibility, organisational and governance structure, financial feasibility, and implementation timeline. Proposal No. 1 (a new international organisation for the governance of the Internet and AI) serves as the institutional and financial anchor for the other five, with three infrastructure scenarios assessed over a twenty-year horizon. Proposal No. 2 (domain name pricing) sets out in detail the mechanism that will finance the greater part of the project; its main source of revenue could be put in place almost immediately. Proposals No. 3 (legal aid) and No. 4 (pension management) are likewise fully described. Proposal No. 5 (a new agency for disarmament and military AI governance) is well advanced, with several complementary financing options already identified and currently being explored further. Proposal No. 6 (research into an alternative to market capitalism), the most complex by nature, lays the groundwork for a medium- to long-term line of inquiry.

4. I would also like to note that, during my next trip to the United States, meetings with officials from ICANN, ISOC and ARIN would allow me to refine the description of the transition to the new Internet governance framework. Similarly, discussions with the UN Office of Legal

Affairs, UNODA and the UN Office of Human Resources would help deepen certain aspects of Proposals No. 1 and No. 5. The objective is to have a detailed and verified version of the six proposals ready and transmitted to all concerned parties by 2 January 2027.

5. In sum, the current state of the proposals' description now allows me to provide you with precise information on their technical and financial feasibility, as well as on the concrete modalities of implementation. I therefore respectfully ask that you consider, at the straw poll of 21 August and at the subsequent stages of the selection process, the possibility of nominating me to this end. I remain at your disposal for any further information.

Please accept, Ladies and Gentlemen, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Pierre Geneviev

Attachments:

Att. 0: Letter of 25-6-26, FR version, [<http://www.pierregenevier.eu/npdf3-2-21/let2-UNSC-FR-25-6-26.pdf>].

EN version (0.1) [<http://www.pierregenevier.eu/npdf3-2-21/let2-UNSC-EN-25-6-26.pdf>].

Att. 0.2: Letter of 21-7-26, FR version, [<http://www.pierregenevier.eu/npdf3-2-21/let3-UNSC-FR-21-7-26.pdf>].

EN version (0.3), [<http://www.pierregenevier.eu/npdf3-2-21/let3-UNSC-EN-21-7-26.pdf>].