Dear NCUC chair and Executive Committee representatives,

My name is Tan Sze Ming, preferably address as Ming. I am program manager from <u>Sinar</u>. <u>Project</u>, Malaysia, specifically focus on freedom of expression online, digital rights and security. I would like to attend the ICANN 58 public meeting as NCUC mentee.

The ICANN 58 public meeting is especially relevant to my professional expertise, as I am involved in technology policies works, and therefore I would highly appreciate to be given an opportunity to attend this meeting that gathers professionals from many countries.

In addition, I am especially interested for in-depth discussion on Internet policies and the main issues facing the Internet around the world, then to find out the possible solutions. As a special added value of this meeting, I find the opportunity to network with other professional from Asia and Europe, which is an exceptional opportunity for horizontal exchange of experience. This would be a good practices as a channel for my personal development and future contribution to NCUC.

In NCUC, the civil society main space for domain name and future of the internet policies I know and I have been a member, I would love to contribute and serve as volunteer in a working group, being a member and helping with comments and data on policy development processes. I believe with more knowledge of NCUC I could enhance the events and activities of the constituency, especially Southeast Asia, and including work on capacity building for younger generation in digital rights and Internet governance.

I am confident you will find my application as a worthwhile investment and will pay off for years to come.

Travel support needed:

- 1. One-way flight ticket to Copenhagen from Valencia est. USD 200
- 2. Accommodation

Sincerely,

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