To the
President of the International Young Physicists' Tournament

We, the organization stated below, hereby file an

**Application for Recognition as an IYPT Member Organization (IMO)**

in accordance with Article 7, Section 1 of the Statutes of the International Young Physicists' Tournament (IYPT).

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To comply with the regulation that applications for IMO status can only be made by someone who has participated in the IYPT before (either as an observer, team member, team leader, or juror), this application is supported by the following person who meets this criterion:

| Name: | Dr. Farida Tahir |
| Email Address: | farida_tahir@comsats.edu.pk |
| Last participated IYPT in year: | 2011 |
| Last participated IYPT as: (observer, team member, team leader, or juror) | Juror |
We declare that we will respect and comply with the Statutes and the Regulations of IYPT. In particular, we agree to implement an IYPT qualification procedure, we shall be open to all students / teams from the country we represent. This qualification procedure shall be organized as a non-profit event. We annex a brief description of the selection procedure performed in our country.

In case our application is accepted, we nominate the following person to represent us in the international organizing Committee (IOC), until further notice. Changes in our IOC representatives will be announced (in due time) to the President of IYPT in writing.

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We give explicit consent to publish the contact details of our organization and our designated IOC representative on the IYPT website.

Date and Place: February 03, 2016

Name and Position (e.g., President, secretary General,...) of the person authorized to sign this application on behalf of the organization:

[Signature]

DR. ARSHAD S. MALIK
Head, International Office
COMSATS Institute of Information Technology
Islamabad-Pakistan

Signature of authorized person on behalf of organization:

[Signature]

Signature of person who participated IYPT before:

[Signature]

Signature of designated IOC representative:

[Signature]

Annex: Brief description of the selection procedure
The selection procedure of Pakistan team for International Young Physicists Tournament comprises of three stages. In the first stage there are six regional competitions. These regional competitions will be held each in four provinces, one in the Federal District and one in Federally Administered Northern Areas and Azad Jammu and Kashmir Territory.

These are named as Balochistan Young Physicists Tournament (BYPT), Federal Young Physicists Tournament (FYPT), Khyber PakhtunKwa Young Physicists Tournament (KPKYPT), Kashmir and Northern Areas Young Physicists Tournament (KNYPT), Punjab Young Physicists Tournament (PuYPT) and Sindh Young Physicists Tournament (SYPT).

Initially all regional teams will be allotted 5 problems out of total 17 problems and in the regional competition top 3 teams will be selected from each region. This competition will take place in November.

These eighteen teams will be given 5 problems from remaining 12 problems and they will meet in Islamabad in February. Out of total 18 team members top eight will be selected on merit.

These eight will be assigned 5 problems out of remaining 7 and then in the final selection in May 2017 final team of best five be selected for IYPT.

The bodies will be formed one representing each region and one executive body. The executive body will comprise of heads of regional bodies and three to four other members. Among these four, three will be technical persons and one will be the person taking care of Finance and Administrative issues.

The venture will be totally non-profitable. The funds will be generated from governmental sector, donations, registration, media and celebrities.

Farida Tahir PhD
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