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29<sup>th</sup> June 2010

The WCEC Secretariat
The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce (HK) CGCC Building
24-25 Connaught Road, Central
Hong Kong

Dear Secretariat,

On behalf of the Parramatta Chamber of Commerce I give support to the Australia-China Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ACCCI) and the NSW Government Business Events Sydney organisation in their bid to host the 2013 12th World Chinese Entrepreneurs Convention (WCEC) in Sydney during September 2013.

Parramatta City, together with Newcastle City, was established shortly after the founding of Sydney in 1788. With the dramatic growth of Sydney over more than two centuries Parramatta is now the centre for Greater Sydney - the manufacturing inland hub as against the financial hub on the harbour.

Parramatta's trading and investment relations all over the world and in particular with Asia have brought our business communities into close partnership with Chinese entrepreneurs both on the Mainland and amongst the Overseas Chinese. Many Australians from Chinese ethnic backgrounds have settled and resided in the Parramatta region for decades.

In this context Parramatta Chamber of Commerce welcomes the opportunity to support and cooperate with the ACCCI in this bid and looks forward to showing our hospitality during the 2013 Convention.

yours sincerely,

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President

