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WHO Headquarters in Geneva  
**ATTN:** WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities  
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**RE: Agreement for Accreditation of  
WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities**

Dear Sir/Madam:

It is my pleasure to express our respect and support to the WHO Global Network for Age-Friendly Cities and Communities (GNAFCC), the group striving to solve problems associated with the world's rapidly aging population.

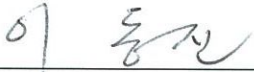
Dobong-gu has experienced rapid aging of population, with people 65-and-older accounting for 16.2% of the population. We realized that the problems caused by aging are not those that may happen in the future, but those that exist and have to be dealt with now.

In this context, our Dobong-gu Office would like to apply for membership in the GNAFCC to set the policy direction and secure tasks to effectively deal with the social problems and population structure change associated with population aging.

I, the Mayor of Dobong-gu, and the entire Dobong-gu Office commit to make every effort to share information and best practices with the members of the GNAFCC to

deal with the issue of population aging and make Dobong-gu an all-ages-friendly district.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be '이동진' (Lee Dong-jin), written over a horizontal line.

Dongjin Lee

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