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Subject: Request for Delegation Status:

Chair and Members
Corporate Services Committee

I would like to request delegation status at the Corporate Services Committee meeting to be held on February 20, 2018, in relation to Councillor Usher's submission regarding "Requests for 'Sister City' Partnerships" (Agenda Item #7). The purpose of my delegation would be to make a brief presentation as to the value of the City of London having additional Sister City partnerships. The Rotary Club of London believes that the City should have a clear policy for the rationale for entering into such agreements: the value of such relationship to the City; a clear criteria as to the choice of partners; and, expectations for the roles to be played by Sister Cities. Our Club, and many other organizations in the London community, have relationships with international communities that could be strengthened by such a City of London policy. Your consideration of my request for delegation status is greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

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