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Dear Steve,

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Thank you for the opportunity to speak at ICANN51 on the vital role that institutions such as ICANN play in multistakeholder governance of the global Internet. It was also a pleasure meeting you and the other board members at the reception and learning more about ICANN's key opportunities and challenges. I appreciate your and ICANN's commitment to preserving the free and open Internet, and I look forward to championing these issues together.

As I mentioned when we met, please consider me an ally and an advocate for the important work you do. If there is anything I should know as Secretary of Commerce, please do not hesitate to contact Andrew Grotto in my office. He can be reached at (202) 482-1566 or agrotto@doc.gov.

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Sincerely,

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