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The General Secretariat of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) presents its compliments to all Member States, Observer States, relevant OIC institutions and organs and Arabic language Academies, further to its earlier note no. 2133, dated 10 July 2024 and note no. 2777, dated 26 August 2024, and pursuant to relevant ministerial resolutions on promoting and supporting the Arabic Language (Language of the Qur'an), the most recent being resolution 13/50-C, adopted by the 50<sup>th</sup> session of the Council of Foreign Ministers held on 29 and 30 August 2024 in Yaoundé, Republic of Cameroon, has the honour to invite them to the commemoration of the World Arabic Language Day, jointly organized with the King Salman Global Academy for Arabic Language, taking place at the OIC General Secretariat in Jeddah on 9 January 2025.

The celebration will feature the situation of the Arabic Language and the icons of the language in several OIC Member States that have expressed interest in participating. The event will also host experts and specialists in the field. (The work programme of the celebrations will be sent in due course).

The aim of the celebrations is to highlight the unique contributions of Arabic Language as the language of the Qur'an, its role in enriching cultural and linguistic diversity of humanity and its contributions to knowledge production, being one of the pillars of humanity's cultural diversity.

In light of the foregoing, the General Secretariat looks forward to active participation in this important event. It would also like to inform that, in cooperation with the King Salman Global Academy for Arabic Language, the General Secretariat is working towards publishing a book titled: "Icons of Arabic Language in Islamic Countries." The book will feature the contributions of member states and observer states sent in this regard as detailed in the above-mentioned notes.

The General Secretariat of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all Member States, Observer States, relevant OIC institutions and organs and Arabic language Academies the assurances of its highest consideration. 

To:

*All Member States of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation*  
*All Observer States at the Organization of Islamic Cooperation*  
*Relevant institutions and organs of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation*  
*Arabic Language Academies*

