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Prof. Ahmed Okasha  
Chairman  
Arab Federation of Psychiatrists  
Cairo  
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Dear Prof. Okasha,

### **Subject: Application of the Arab Federation of Psychiatrists as a WPA Affiliated Association**

I am pleased to welcome the Arab Federation of Psychiatrists as an ad hoc Affiliated Association of the World Psychiatric Association.

This followed an extensive period of consultation. It can be confidently anticipated that at the next World Congress of Psychiatry in Buenos Aires (Argentina) in September 2011, you will become a fully entitled WPA Affiliated Association and your name added to the list of Affiliated Associations.

You can expect to receive in our periodic mass mailing recent publication(s) from the Secretariat for your information.

We in the Secretariat look forward to working with you in future years.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Prof. Levent Küey  
Secretary General  
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