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**Application for membership of the Committee on the
Peaceful Uses of Outer Space**

Note by the Secretariat

The present document contains a copy of the application of Oman for membership with the United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space. The Note Verbale of the Permanent Mission of Oman to the United Nations (Vienna) containing the application of Oman, was received by the Secretariat on 19 March 2015 and was circulated to member States of the Committee in Note Verbale OOSA/2015/8, CU 2015/80/OOSA/CPLA of 1 April 2015.

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The Permanent Mission of the Sultanate of Oman to the United Nations Offices in Vienna presents its compliments to the United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs and has the honour to inform that the Sultanate of Oman has decided to apply for membership of the *Committee of the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (COPUOS)*.

The Sultanate of Oman intends for its membership to help the Committee expand its abilities in the field of space technology and its applications in addition to the contributions this membership will fulfill on the levels of international cooperation, economic development and social improvement. The Sultanate will strive to play an effective role in the deliberations of the Committee and its Subcommittees in order to achieve the maximum benefit of space science and technology in the context of sustainable development.

The Permanent Mission would highly appreciate that the esteemed United Nations Office for Outer Space circulate this Note Verbale among the member States of the COPUOS informing them of the application for membership submitted by the Sultanate of Oman.

The Permanent Mission of Sultanate of Oman avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration.

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