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The Alliance of NGOs on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice is looking forward to the Eleventh United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (Crime Congress) in Bangkok, Thailand in 2005. The Congress theme will be "Synergies and Responses: strategic alliances in crime prevention and criminal justice".

Late last year we contacted several NGOs about the possibility of hosting or participating in ancillary meetings to this congress. In response, NGOs have provided several possible topics. A listing of this is attached to this letter.

I would like to urge you to consider participation in the 2005 Crime Congress. This is an excellent forum to share your concerns about criminal justice with government officials around the world. The following description of discussion topics is provided to help with planning.

In the document 'Preparations for the Eleventh United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice', the Crime Commission recommends several topics for discussion during the Eleventh Congress:

- Transnational organized crime
- Terrorism
- Corruption
- Economic and financial crimes, including money-laundering
- Standards & standard-setting
- International law enforcement cooperation
- Criminal justice reform, including restorative justice
- Crime prevention, including urban crime and youths at risk
- Computer related crime

For more information about ancillary sessions, please visit <http://pwgnet.com/core/showpage2.php?O=22&R=440> .

If you plan to participate in the ancillary sessions, please let the Alliance know about your plans.

Regards,

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