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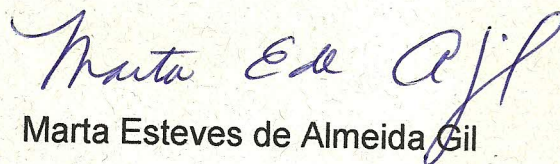
Amankay Instituto de Estudos e Pesquisas (Amankay Institute on Studies and Researches), a non profit organization in the city of Sao Paulo, Brazil, is pleased to be one of the supporters of the proposal of the U.S. International Council on Disabilities to develop a Global Disability Rights Library (GDRL).

This proposal is aligned with our organization's main objective, which is to collect and or disseminate information, especially about Disabilities.

This initiative will deliver informational and educational materials to disabled persons' organizations and others, via off line digital libraries. In this age of advanced technology we often forget that many persons with disabilities, decision makers and organizations particularly in developing countries, still lack advanced internet access. Thus, there are many difficulties to reach the information and resources that could improve their lives and enable them to act as citizens.

We wish The Global Disability Rights Library will help change this situation.

Best regards,



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