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To whom it may concern,

I have been informed by the Free IT Foundation of their candidacy to organize the Libre Software Meeting (LSM) in 2012. I am very pleased to give them my endorsement and I look forward to attending and participating. Our Open Hardware initiative is very much inspired by Free Software ideas, as applied to the design, development, production and commercialization of hardware. In addition to being a source of inspiration, Free Software is also a key enabling technology for us, since sharing is much easier when using Free tools to develop hardware.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Javier Serrano".

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