

New York, 2 February 2023

Excellency,

Reference is made to the letter dated 18 October 2022 from the President of the General Assembly, H.E. Csaba Kőrösi, informing Member States of his decision to appoint us as co-facilitators to lead the **intergovernmental consultations on the Summit of the Future during the 77th Session**.

The 2024 ‘Summit of the Future: Multilateral Solutions for a Better Tomorrow’, proposed by UN Secretary-General António Guterres in his ‘Our Common Agenda’ report, will be a cornerstone in reaffirming the United Nations Charter, reinvigorating multilateralism, boosting implementation of existing commitments, and restoring trust amongst Member States.

According to UN General Assembly resolution (A/RES/76/307), a preparatory Ministerial meeting in September 2023 will precede the Summit of the Future. Against this backdrop and as outlined in the modalities resolution, the Member States have encouraged major groups and other stakeholders (hereafter referred to as: Stakeholders) to participate and engage in the preparatory process of the Summit of the Future.

We firmly believe that the views and expectations of Stakeholders on the proposed roadmap for the Summit of the Future will provide an important input for the intergovernmental process and will enrich the debate and decision-making among Member States on what should constitute key elements for the Summit of the Future.

In this regard, following the briefing by the Secretary-General on 13 February and a first round of consultations with Member States on 14 February, we have the honor to **invite representatives of Stakeholders to a virtual consultation on 15 February 2023, from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm**. We intend to outline our proposed roadmap throughout the 77th Session towards the preparatory Ministerial Meeting for the Summit of the Future foreseen in September 2023.

Stakeholders will be encouraged to share their views on the proposed roadmap and their expectations for the Summit of the Future. We look forward to an interactive discussion. Interventions will be limited to two minutes in order to provide for maximum participation. We propose the following guiding questions:

- What are the most important elements that could be included in a final outcome document for the Summit of the Future (i.e. the proposed ‘Pact for the Future’)?
- What topics could already be addressed at the preparatory September Ministerial?
- How to best ensure alignment and complementarity with the SDG Summit?

We kindly request Member States to share this letter with relevant Stakeholders in their respective country. In order to ensure transparency and collective ownership, Member State delegations are kindly invited to join the meeting to hear the reflections of Stakeholders.

Member States and Stakeholders interested to participate in the above-mentioned consultation are asked to register at:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=2zWeD09UYE-9zF6kFubccOT3sd1aLDdMlt99IXrbxVFURDhXN0lWTEM3MjNUQ1dBUIVFT0dEVzUwNy4u>

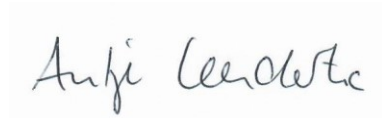
(see QR code below). A link to the virtual room will be shared with registered participants before the event. During the meeting, the Secretariat will indicate in the chat box how connected Stakeholders can inscribe on the list of speakers.

These consultations with Member States and Stakeholders will be followed by subsequent virtual consultations (separate invitations to follow) on the proposed individual tracks for the Summit of the Future, based on a series of policy briefs expected to be released by the Secretary-General over the first half of 2023. Together with the recommendations of the High Level Advisory Board on Effective Multilateralism, these policy briefs will be integral to the preparatory work on the road towards the Summit.

We recognise the Ministerial Meeting in September 2023 as an opportunity to address several contemporary and emerging issues and count on the work of Stakeholders to help us deliver substantive and meaningful deliberations.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

Sincerely,



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