



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

24 May 2017

Excellency,

I refer to Resolution 71/287, adopted on 4 May 2017, on the modalities, format and organization of the High-Level Meeting of the General Assembly on the appraisal of the United Nations Global Plan of Action to Combat Trafficking in Persons.

In accordance with paragraph 9 of the resolution, I will convene a one-day informal interactive multi-stakeholder hearing as part of the preparatory process, on 23 June 2017 United Nations Headquarters, New York. It will be held in Conference Room 4.

The interactive hearing will provide Member States, all observers of the General Assembly, national human rights institutions compliant with the principles relating to the status of national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights (Paris Principles), non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council, invited civil society organizations, academic institutions and the private sector, with an opportunity to contribute constructively to the preparations for the High-Level Meeting.

Further information about the programme of the meeting will be circulated in due course.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Thomson'.

Peter Thomson

To All Permanent Representatives and  
Permanent Observers to the United Nations  
New York.