High-level events during the seventy-sixth session of the General Assembly
In view of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the arrangement and movement of Speakers during the general debate will be slightly modified as follows:

❖ Due to space constraint in GA-200 and in order to maintain social distancing, only one (1) person will be allowed to accompany the Speakers inside GA-200;
❖ Speakers will be escorted by Protocol into the General Assembly hall from the “east door” of GA-200, welcomed by the President of the General Assembly and invited to address the General Assembly;
❖ There will be no ceremonial chair on the stage;
❖ After the conclusion of the address, Speakers will be escorted by Protocol back to GA-200 through the “west door” on the other side;
❖ There should be no handshakes after the address.
Flow of movement of Speakers from GA-200 to Rostrum

Legend:
SG = Secretary-General
PO = Protocol Officer
PGA = President of the General Assembly
HG = Honor Guard (only for Heads of State)
Bilateral meetings with the Secretary-General will all take place in a restricted area on the 27th floor of the Secretariat Building;

High state officials arriving at the VIP entrance of the Secretariat Building will be met by Protocol and UN Security and escorted to the 27th Floor;

A VIP holding area at the north end of the Secretariat lobby will be made available for use by VIPs or to hold the VIPs in case of unforeseen circumstances;

A maximum of four (4) delegates may accompany the Principals (1+4) to the bilateral meeting with the Secretary-General;

UN photographer and UNTV will be on site and pre-positioned on the 27th floor, as well as one official photographer and one official videographer escorted by MALU. Delegations should liaise with MALU well in advance to make the arrangement;

After the bilateral meetings, delegations will be escorted by Protocol from the 27th floor.
VIP Holding Area in Lobby

Flow of Movement:
1. HoD is welcomed by Protocol
2. If not on hold, HoD proceed directly to high rise elevators (27th floor)
3. If on hold, Protocol escorts HoD to holding area
4. HoD is escorted to the 27th floor for SG meeting

Legend:
HoD = Head of Delegation
PO = Protocol Officer
= Stanchions
= Elevators
= Curtains
= Revolving doors
= Escalator
= Panels
Movement flows on 27th floor (Bilateral Meetings)

Movement flows:
1. Protocol escorts HoD to holding room
2. Protocol escorts HoD from holding room to meet SG
3. HoD is greeted by SG and follows SG into S-2725 for guestbook signing and photo-op
4. CoP escorts HoD and SG to bilateral meeting room S-2726/2727
5. Protocol escorts HoD back to elevators

Action points:
A. HoD signs guest book
B. HoD photo-op with SG
C. Bilateral between HoD and SG
Thank you