Media Advisory

PRESS CONFERENCE

Outcomes of the 15th session of the
United Nations Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Thursday, 19 May, 11:15 a.m.
Room S-237, UN Headquarters, New York

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BACKGROUND:
The 15th session of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues will end on Friday, 20 May. At this press conference, the speakers will discuss the highlights and outcomes of the two-week session, including the findings under the theme of “Indigenous peoples: conflict, peace and resolution.” The speakers will also talk about the road ahead, including the Permanent Forum’s role in the implementation, follow-up and review of the 2030 Agenda and other international processes.

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