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Excellency,

I have the honour to share the preliminary list of speakers for the President of the General Assembly's High-level Thematic Debate on Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals, to be held on 21 April 2016 at the United Nations Headquarters in New York.

Please note, that in order to support the interactive nature of the Event, it is the President of the General Assembly's intention to intersperse the list with a limited number of select civil society representatives, United Nations system representatives and observers, time permitting.

For any updates to the list please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova at the Department of General Assembly and Conference Management, e-mail: poliakova@un.org.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "TA Christensen".

Tomas Anker Christensen
Chef de Cabinet

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

LIST OF SPEAKERS

Thursday, 21 April 2016,

High-level Thematic Debate on Implementing the Sustainable Development Goals and Climate Outcome

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| 1. NAURU (HS)
(on behalf of the Pacific Small
Island Developing States (PSIDS)) | 33. EUROPEAN UNION (M) |
| 2. HUNGARY (HS) | 34. THAILAND (M)
(on behalf of the Group of 77
and China) |
| 3. PERU (HS) | 35. EGYPT (M)
(on behalf of Arab Group) |
| 4. COLOMBIA (HS) | 36. MALDIVES (M)
(on behalf of Alliance of Small
Island States (AOSIS)) |
| 5. NAMIBIA (HS) | 37. LUXEMBOURG (M) |
| 6. BULGARIA (HS) | 38. CHILE (M) |
| 7. CROATIA (HS) | 39. CUBA (M) |
| 8. IRAQ (HS) | 40. DENMARK (M) |
| 9. GABON (HS) | 41. IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)
(M) |
| 10. ZIMBABWE (HS) | 42. AUSTRIA (M) |
| 11. SLOVAKIA (HS) | 43. BELARUS (M) |
| 12. MARSHALL ISLANDS (HS) | 44. PANAMA (M) |
| 13. SENEGAL (HS) | 45. MADAGASCAR (M) |
| 14. CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
(HS) | 46. AUSTRALIA (M) |
| 15. TOGO (HS) | 47. GEORGIA (M) |
| 16. BARBADOS (HG) | 48. UNITED KINGDOM (M) |
| 17. SAMOA (HG) | 49. PHILIPPINES (M) |
| 18. SLOVENIA (HG) | 50. DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF KOREA (M) |
| 19. ANDORRA (HG) | 51. NIGER (M) |
| 20. MONACO (HG) | 52. ICELAND (M) |
| 21. BAHAMAS (HG) | 53. UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (M) |
| 22. FIJI (HG) | 54. BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL
STATE OF) (HS) |
| 23. VANUATU (HG) | 55. ITALY (HG) |
| 24. ETHIOPIA (HG) | 56. CZECH REPUBLIC (M) |
| 25. COSTA RICA (VP) | 57. ESTONIA (M) |
| 26. CAMBODIA (DPM) | 58. SAINT LUCIA (M) |
| 27. MONTENEGRO (DPM) | |
| 28. SWEDEN (DPM) | |
| 29. TONGA (DPM) | |
| 30. ALBANIA (DPM) | |
| 31. NEPAL (DPM) | |
| 32. BELGIUM (DPM) | |

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| 59. TAJIKISTAN (M) | 94. COTE D'IVOIRE (M) |
| 60. GHANA (M) | 95. UNITED STATES (VM) |
| 61. NICARAGUA (M) | 96. FRANCE (VM) |
| 62. MEXICO (M) | 97. SPAIN (VM) |
| 63. VENEZUELA (BOLIVARIAN
REPUBLIC OF) (M) | 98. PORTUGAL (VM) |
| 64. ALGERIA (M) | 99. GREECE (VM) |
| 65. ARGENTINA (M) | 100. RUSSIAN FEDERATION (VM) |
| 66. GERMANY (M) | 101. UGANDA (CD)
(on behalf of the African states) |
| 67. FINLAND (M) | 102. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC (CD)
(on behalf of the Community of
Latin American and Caribbean
States (CELAC)) |
| 68. TUNISIA (M) | 103. ZAMBIA
(on behalf of 32 Member States
of the Land Locked Developing
Countries (LLDCs)) |
| 69. PARAGUAY (M) | 104. MOROCCO (CD) |
| 70. SEYCHELLES (M) | 105. GUATEMALA (CD) |
| 71. INDIA (M) | 106. SWITZERLAND (CD) |
| 72. TURKEY (M) | 107. KIRIBATI (CD) |
| 73. NEW ZEALAND (M) | 108. CYPRUS (CD) |
| 74. POLAND (M) | 109. BANGLADESH (CD) |
| 75. SAINT VINCENT AND THE
GRENADINES (M) | 110. CANADA (CD) |
| 76. JAMAICA (M) | 111. QATAR (CD) |
| 77. REPUBLIC OF KOREA (M) | 112. LIECHTENSTEIN (CD) |
| 78. SRI LANKA (M) | 113. VIET NAM (CD) |
| 79. MYANMAR (M) | 114. URUGUAY (CD) |
| 80. BURKINA FASO (M) | 115. BELIZE (CD) |
| 81. LATVIA (M) | 116. HONDURAS (CD) |
| 82. SUDAN (M) | 117. INDONESIA (CD) |
| 83. CONGO (M) | 118. IRELAND (CD) |
| 84. SOLOMON ISLANDS (M) | 119. NORWAY (CD) |
| 85. JORDAN (M) | 120. CABO VERDE (CD) |
| 86. SIERRA LEONE (M) | 121. PALAU (CD) |
| 87. KENYA (M) | 122. AFGHANISTAN (CD) |
| 88. BOTSWANA (M) | 123. EL SALVADOR (CD) |
| 89. LIBERIA (M) | 124. ISRAEL (CD) |
| 90. NIGERIA (M) | |
| 91. TIMOR-LESTE (M) | |
| 92. RWANDA (M) | |
| 93. DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE
CONGO (M) | |

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| 125. UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA | 132. SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC (CD) |
| 129. LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC
REPUBLIC (CD) | 133. JAPAN (CD) |
| 130. PAKISTAN (CD) | 134. TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO (CD) |
| 131. ARMENIA (CD) | 135. GUYANA |
| | 136. HOLY SEE (M) |

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1. INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR CONSERVATION OF NATURE (IUCN)
2. INTERNATIONAL RENEWABLE ENERGY AGENCY (IRENA) (HL)
3. INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR MIGRATION (CD)
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5. INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY (IAEA)
6. INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION

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1. UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (HL)
2. UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME (HL)
3. UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE (UNECE)
(would like to speak in the morning)
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5. UNITED NATIONS OFFICE ON DRUGS AND CRIME (UNODC) (HL)
6. UN-HABITAT (HL)
7. UNITED NATIONS POPULATION FUND (UNFPA) (HL)
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11. INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION (CD)
12. UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (CD)

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