



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

25 September 2017

Excellency,

Following my letter dated on 13 September 2017 and pursuant to General Assembly resolution 71/287 of 4 May 2017 related to 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 that is scheduled for 27-28 September 2017, I have the honour to enclose herewith a revised draft programme of the meeting.

Let me seize this opportunity to reiterate my encouragement to all Member States to participate at the highest level possible in order to renew commitment and political will to take decisive action to end human trafficking.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Lajčák', written in a cursive style.

Miroslav Lajčák

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

Provisional Programme

High Level Meeting of the General Assembly for the appraisal of the UN Global Plan of Action to combat human trafficking

27-28 September 2017

Wednesday 27 September 2017	
10-11 AM GA Hall	Opening Segment H.E. Mr. Miroslav Lajcák, President of the General Assembly H.E. Mr. António Guterres, Secretary General of the United Nations Mr. Yury Fedotov, Under Secretary General, Executive Director of UNODC Ms. Mira Sorvino, UNODC Goodwill Ambassador for the global fight against human trafficking Ms. Grizelda Grootboom, Civil society representative and victim of human trafficking
11Am-1PM GA Hall	Plenary meeting
3-4:30PM Trusteeship Council	Panel Discussion 1 <i>The Global Plan of Action and effective partnerships for the prevention and prosecution of trafficking in persons: achievements, gaps and challenges, also taking into consideration the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals</i> Chair: H.E Mr. Marc Pecsteen de Buytswerve, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations Panellists: - Dr. Purna Sen, Director of Policy, UN Women - Mr. Moussa Oumarou, Director of the Governance and Tripartism Department, International Labour Organization - Ms. Rani Hong, CEO of The Tronie Foundation
4:30-6:00 PM Trusteeship Council	Panel Discussion 2 <i>The Global Plan of Action and effective partnerships for the protection of and assistance to victims, including through the United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund for Victims of Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, also taking into consideration the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals</i> Chair: H.E. Ms. Alya Ahmed Saif Al-Thani, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Qatar to the United Nations Panellists: - Ms. Benita Ferrero-Waldner, Chair of the UN Voluntary Trust Fund for Victims of Trafficking in Persons

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Andrew Gilmour, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, Head of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) in New York. - Ms. Joy Ezeilo, Executive Director of Women Aid Collective
	Thursday 28 September 2017
10AM-1PM 3-6PM GA Hall	Plenary Meeting
6PM	Closing segment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Summaries of the Chairs of two Panel discussions - Final remarks by the President of the General Assembly