



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

23 November 2018

Excellency,

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 72/247 of 24 December 2017, and after consultation with Member States, I have the honour to inform you that I will convene the General Assembly High-level plenary meeting on the twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, with a view to giving impetus to its promotion in all regions, on Tuesday, 18 December 2018, from 3 to 6 p.m., in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

This important event will serve as an opportunity to review the positive impact of the Declaration during the past twenty years and to discuss ways to ensure its effective implementation in the future.

Further information, including a concept note and a proposed preliminary programme, will be circulated in due course.

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "M. ESPINOSA".

María Fernanda Espinosa Garcés

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Permanent Observers to the United Nations  
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