





24 July 2019

Excellency,

We are pleased to write to you in our capacity as the Co-facilitators of the intergovernmental consultations for the political declaration on universal health coverage, which shall be agreed in advance of the High-level Meeting on Universal Health Coverage on 23 September 2019, in accordance with operative paragraph 5 of General Assembly resolution 73/131.

In accordance with the mandate that you conferred upon us, and following an open, transparent and inclusive consultative process in the past two months, we have the honour to present to all Member States the final draft of the Political Declaration of the Highlevel Meeting on Universal Health Coverage, which we believe reflects a fine and delicate balance in the best possible manner as a result of the hard work of all Member States. The text shall be put under silence procedure from Thursday 25 July 2019 until Monday 29 July 2019 at 6pm.

In this regard, we would like to take this opportunity to express our deep appreciation to all delegations for their active and constructive engagement throughout the process, and to the World Health Organization and the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management for their tremendous support and assistance.

Please accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of our highest consideration.

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