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Excellency,

Further to my letter regarding the United Nations Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela Prize, I encourage Member States and Observer States to submit their nominations for the 2020 Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela Prize using online forms via <a href="http://bit.ly/2oYYt3M">http://bit.ly/2oYYt3M</a> (English) or <a href="http://bit.ly/2OSPg7v">http://bit.ly/2OSPg7v</a> (French). As hitherto conveyed, the laureates will be announced in May 2020, and the prizes will be awarded during the commemoration of Nelson Mandela International Day. Additional information can be obtained at <a href="https://www.un.org/en/events/mandeladay/mandela\_prize.shtml">https://www.un.org/en/events/mandeladay/mandela\_prize.shtml</a> or by email to <a href="mandelaprize@un.org">mandelaprize@un.org</a>.

For further information, please contact my Senior Adviser, Mr. Márcio Burity (marcio.burity@un.org;+1 (917) 272-1304).

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

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