



The President of the Economic and Social Council

19 March 2020

Excellency,

We refer to our letter of 27 February 2020, regarding the joint thematic event on "Accelerated implementation of the 2030 Agenda in LDCs to leave no one behind" to be held in accordance with General Assembly resolution 74/232, on 13 April 2020.

In view of the actions taken to mitigate the COVID-19 pandemic, and consistent with our previous letters in that regard, we have made the decision to postpone this important meeting. We will do our utmost to reschedule the meeting at a later date to be announced in due course.

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

Tijjani Muhammad-Bande President of the seventy-fourth session of the General Assembly

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