



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

23 July 2020

Excellency,

I have the pleasure to refer to my letter dated 20 July 2020 and to transmit herewith, a letter dated 23 July 2020 from H.E. Ms. Pascale Baeriswyl, Permanent Representative of Switzerland to the United Nations and H. E. Mr. Omar Hilale, Permanent Representative of Morocco to the United Nations, the co-facilitators for the review of the UN human rights treaty body system.

The letter provides Member States and Observers with details on the modalities for the virtual informal consultation of the review process, scheduled to take place in New York on Monday, 27 July 2020 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

I avail of this opportunity to express my solidarity with Member States who are fighting COVID-19 and extend my sincere condolences for their loss.

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized, cursive script.

Tijjani Muhammad-Bande

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



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Permanent Mission of Switzerland to the United Nations



*Permanent Mission of the  
Kingdom of Morocco to the UN*

23 July 2020

Excellency,

In our capacity as co-facilitators of the process of the consideration of the state of the UN human rights treaty body system, we are pleased to share with you further details on the modalities of the virtual informal consultation with Member States in New York, scheduled on Monday, 27 July 2020, from 10:00 a.m. to 01:00 p.m.

The meeting will be structured into discussions on the following issues:

1. Use of new information and communications technologies;
2. Nomination and selection process of Treaty Bodies Members;
3. Technical cooperation and capacity building;
4. Budgetary issues;
5. Interaction with different actors (including civil society, NHRIs and regional actors);
6. Individual communications

For each of the above-mentioned items, the co-facilitators will make a brief presentation based on the written contributions received, after which the floor will be opened for delegations. Delegations wishing to speak should request the floor using a link to the form for inscriptions that will be provided in the chat box, while indicating under which item they would like to intervene. Statements should be in English and not exceed 2 minutes for individual delegations and 3 minutes for groups.

Information on registration for the meeting has already been circulated by the Secretariat. The meeting will be accessible on the webcast.

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

Pascale Baeriswyl

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Switzerland to the UN

Omar Hilale

Ambassador, Permanent Representative of  
The Kingdom of Morocco to the UN

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