



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

21 January 2021

Excellency,

I have the honour to transmit herewith, a letter dated 20 January 2021, from H.E. Ms. Rabab Fatima, Permanent Representative of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and H.E. Ms. Darja Bavdaž Kuret, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Slovenia, the co-facilitators leading the intergovernmental consultations, in pursuance of resolution 74/303 of 4 September 2020 entitled "Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly", with specific reference to paragraph 6 regarding consultations with all Member States, the President of the Economic and Social Council and the General Committee, within their respective mandates, aimed at addressing gaps, overlaps and duplication where they are found to exist in the agenda of the Assembly as they relate to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development as a whole.

In reference to the co-facilitators' letter dated 14 January 2021 regarding invitation to participate in a virtual Ambassador-level informal consultation scheduled to be held on 22 January 2021, I have the honour to inform that the meeting has been *rescheduled* to be held in-person on Friday, 29 January 2021, at 3pm, in the General Assembly Hall. I look forward to your active participation in this important meeting.

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Volkan Bozkir".

Volkan BOZKIR

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

20 January 2021

Excellency,

We have the honour to refer to our letter of 14 January 2021 inviting you to participate in the first Ambassador-level virtual meeting of intergovernmental consultations on the alignment process during the 75th session of the General Assembly, scheduled to be held on 22 January 2021. The meeting has been *rescheduled* now to be held in-person on **Friday, 29 January 2021, at 15:00 hours, in the General Assembly Hall**. The President of the General Assembly will attend the meeting and deliver remarks.

In line with our earlier letter, we look forward to your engaged participation in the meeting. Building on the discussions held in previous years, we wish to use this meeting as an opportunity for open consultations on the alignment process. To facilitate the discussion, we have already shared with you the co-facilitators' working paper along with our earlier [letter](#) of 15 January.

As underlined in our last letter, we intend to conduct an inclusive and transparent consultation process in a spirit of consensus. To that end, we would like to hear your concrete reflections on the working paper, especially on the questions listed there.

Access to the meeting will be restricted to delegates (one delegate per Member State and one delegate each from Holy See, the State of Palestine, the European Union) and staff members of the United Nations Secretariat. The meeting will also be livestreamed via the Cisco WebEx virtual platform, where up to two additional members of your delegation will be able to follow the proceedings. The technical details about the livestream will be circulated soon.

We count on your full engagement and cooperation to move this process forward.

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



Rabab Fatima
Permanent Representative of
Bangladesh to the United Nations



Darja Bavdaž Kuret
Permanent Representative of
Slovenia to the United Nations