



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

3 June 2021

Excellency,

I have the honour to transmit herewith a letter dated 3 June 2021 from H.E. Mr. Mitchell Fifield, Permanent Representative of Australia and H.E. Mr. Neville Gertze, Permanent Representative of Namibia, the co-facilitators of the processes related to the convening of the high-level meeting on HIV and AIDS in 2021.

The aforementioned letter conveys a final draft of the Political Declaration. The attached text is hereby placed under silence procedure in line with established practice until Friday, 4 June 2021 at 3 p.m.

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

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Volkan BOZKIR

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



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Excellency,

We have the honour to write to you in our capacity as co-facilitators of the processes related to the convening of the high-level meeting on HIV and AIDS. We would like to thank you for your participation in the informal consultations on the Political Declaration.

Attached to this letter is a final draft Political Declaration. The text has been carefully crafted to balance the views of Member States' expressed throughout the negotiations, and in small group and bilateral discussions. We are placing the Political Declaration under silence procedure until **3:00 p.m. on Friday, 4 June 2021.**

We count on your support and cooperation to agree an ambitious Political Declaration, that demonstrates the commitment of all Member States to ending the global AIDS epidemic by 2030.

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

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H.E. Mr. Mitchell Peter Fifield  
Co-Facilitator  
Permanent Representative of Australia  
to the United Nations

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'N. Gertze'.

H.E. Mr. Neville Melvin Gertze  
Co-Facilitator  
Permanent Representative of Namibia  
to the United Nations

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*New York*