



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

29 October 2021

Excellency,

Following the adoption of the General Assembly decision 76/511 at the plenary meeting today, I have the honour to circulate herewith the guidelines for submission of pre-recorded statements for the plenary meetings of the high-level meeting of the General Assembly on the progress achieved in the implementation of the United Nations Global Plan of Action to Combat Trafficking in Persons, to be held on 22 and 23 November 2021, at UN Headquarters, New York.

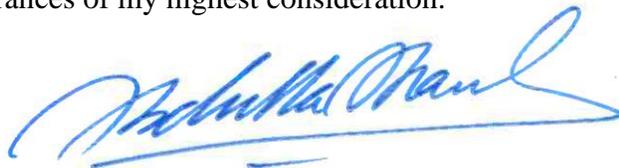
The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open for inscription. Member States can inscribe via e-deleGATE under agenda item 108 [Crime prevention and criminal justice]. When inscribing, please indicate in the comment section if a pre-recorded statement will be submitted pursuant to decision 76/511 of 29 October 2021 or if the statement will be delivered in-person. Observers of the General Assembly can inscribe by contacting the General Assembly Affairs Branch (email: galindo@un.org with copy to gaspeakerslist@un.org). Please also indicate in the email whether a pre-recorded statement will be submitted pursuant to decision 76/511 or the statement will be delivered in-person.

As we prepare for this high-level meeting of the General Assembly, I urge delegations' cooperation in adhering to the time limit for statements as stated in General Assembly resolution 75/283 of 7 June 2021 to allow the broadest possible participation - three minutes for national statements and five minutes for statements made on behalf of a group of States. The provisional list of speakers will be circulated on Friday, 12 November. Delegations are requested to send their statements to estatement@un.org to facilitate interpretation and for the circulation of a compilation document, pursuant to decision 76/511.

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The link to upload the video files will be provided on the e-deleGATE portal under “General Assembly/Plenary/Plenary Place”. I would like to emphasize the importance of submitting the video at least four business days in advance of the date that the statement is scheduled to be broadcast, that is by Monday, 15 November 2021. Please note that provision of live interpretation will be subject to fulfilment of the audio-visual guidelines (enclosed). In cases of any recording anomalies (such as low speaking volume, noisy background, unclear diction, background music, etc.), delegations may be requested to provide a revised recording to remedy the anomalies, in order that interpretation services could then be delivered.

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



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