

PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

22 November 2022

Excellency,

Following the preparatory meeting of the United Nations Conference on the Midterm Comprehensive Review of the Implementation of the Objectives of the International Decade for Action "Water for Sustainable Development", 2018–2028, held on 25 October 2022 and in respect of my vison that any transformative agenda must be based on scientific evidence, I have the honour to transmit to you an invitation to participate in a survey project conducted by the Water Policy Group.

The aim of the survey, aligned with the themes of the Interactive Dialogues of the UN 2023 Conference, is to capture the perceptions of Ministers with responsibility for water resources and/or water services regarding the risks, challenges, expectations, and priorities as they relate to the achievement of their national water objectives.

The survey results will provide a valuable input to the UN 2023 Water Conference, with a report to be launched at the time of the Conference, 22-24 March 2023.

The survey is administered by the Water Policy Group and is available online in all six UN official languages<sup>1</sup>. Please note that the response should be submitted by 15 December 2022.

Your cooperation in this important initiative is deeply appreciated.

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

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> <u>2022 WATER LEADERS SURVEY INFORMATION AND LINKS | Global Water Institute (unsw.edu.au)</u>