



PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

5 April 2023

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the scheduling of mandated meetings during the forthcoming High-level Week of the seventy-eighth session of the General Assembly in September 2023.

During the informal meetings of the General Committee on 25 January and 9 February, many Member States expressed the view that the Sustainable Development Goals Summit, to be held on 18-19 September, should be the priority event at the start of the week. Many also expressed support to move the preparatory ministerial meeting of the Summit of the Future, currently scheduled for Monday 18 September, to later in the week.

In this regard, following further consultations with Member States and the Secretary-General, and in line with resolution 76/307, which, *inter alia*, requests the President of the General Assembly to ensure that the Summit of the Future and the Sustainable Development Goals Summit be well coordinated, I have the honour to share the attached draft decision by which the Assembly would decide to hold the preparatory ministerial meeting of the Summit of the Future on Thursday, 21 September 2023. The draft decision, to be issued as A/77/L.63, will be scheduled for consideration by the General Assembly on a date to be announced in the UN Journal.

The Secretary-General has informed me that, during High-level Week, he intends to convene a Climate Ambition Summit on Wednesday, 20 September 2023.

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Csaba Kőrösi', is positioned above the printed name.

Csaba KÖRÖSI

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