

11 May 2023

Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 10 February 2023 circulating the concept note for the **High-level**Meeting on the Midterm Review of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 20152030 to be held on 18-19 May 2023 at United Nations Headquarters, New York, I have the honour to transmit the full programme of the high-level meeting and an information note regarding its organizational arrangements.

I have the further honour to inform that, without setting any precedent, I intend to invite the following speakers to address the General Assembly at the opening segment of the meeting:

- Ms. Mami Mizutori, Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction
- Ms. Mwanahamisi Singano, Stakeholder Engagement Mechanism Women and Gender Stakeholder Group
 - -Mr. Mustafa Kemal Kilinc, youth representative from the earthquake zone in Türkiye

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

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