

1 September 2023

Excellency,

I have the honour to transmit herewith a letter dated 1 September 2023 from H.E. Ms. Anna Karin Eneström, Permanent Representative of Sweden to the United Nations, and H.E. Mr. Claver Gatete, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Rwanda to the United Nations, as cofacilitators of the intergovernmental process on the Global Digital Compact. The attached letter conveys the co-facilitators' assessment from the deep dives that were conducted during the spring of 2023 as well as the broader consultations.

I am convinced that the work done throughout the seventy-seventh session of the General Assembly, with the support of the Office of the Secretary General's Envoy on Technology, has greatly enriched the understanding of Member States and stakeholders of challenges and opportunities of digital transformations. Moving on to the next stage of this process, I share the co-facilitators' conviction that the deep dives have provided a good foundation for constructive deliberations towards a Global Digital Compact during the upcoming session of the General Assembly.

I take this opportunity to thank Ambassador Eneström and Ambassador Gatete for their outstanding efforts throughout this process.

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

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