



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

27 July 2015

Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 28 May 2015 on the themes for the six interactive dialogues during the Summit for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda and in accordance with General Assembly resolution 69/244, I request you to indicate to the Secretariat which of the six interactive dialogues the Head of your respective delegations would like to participate in and deliver remarks.

I would like to inform you that the process of selection of the co-chairs for the dialogues is being finalized. Participation in the interactive dialogues will be determined on a first-come, first-served basis, ensuring equitable geographical distribution and allowing for some flexibility. Member States are encouraged to be represented at the interactive dialogues at the level of Head of State or Government.

In order to ensure participation by the United Nations system and other stakeholders, while retaining the intergovernmental character of the interactive dialogues, each Member State or Observer is requested to choose only one interactive dialogue in which to have a speaking slot. The list of the interactive dialogues and their themes is attached.

It is envisaged that up to thirty-three Member States, five observers and ten other speakers including representatives of the United Nations system, civil society, private sector and other stakeholders can be accommodated in each interactive dialogue. The list of participants in each interactive dialogue will be made available prior to each meeting. In order to provide an opportunity for maximum participation in the interactive dialogue, participants will be requested to limit their remarks to three minutes.

I request you to communicate your delegation's preference by 15 August 2015.

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



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

Interactive dialogues during the Summit for the adoption of the Post-2015 Development Agenda, September 25-27, 2015 – United Nations Headquarters, New York

As per Decision 69/555 on the modalities for the process of intergovernmental negotiations on the post-2015 development agenda, the overarching theme for the dialogues will be “Transforming the world: realizing the post-2015 development agenda”.

Themes for the six interactive dialogues

1. Ending poverty and hunger (25 September, 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
2. Tackling inequalities, empowering women and girls and leaving no one behind (25 September, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.)
3. Fostering sustainable economic growth, transformation and promoting sustainable consumption and production (26 September, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)
4. Protecting our planet and combatting climate change (26 September, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.)
5. Building effective, accountable and inclusive institutions to achieve sustainable development (27 September, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)
6. Delivering on a revitalised Global Partnership (27 September, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.)