



Kingdom of the Netherlands



Permanent Mission of Jamaica
to the United Nations

New York, 15th December 2023

Excellency,

Reference is made to the letter of the President of the General Assembly, dated 10 October 2023, announcing our appointment as co-facilitators to lead the intergovernmental process for a Declaration on Future Generations, as part of the preparatory process of the Summit of the Future.

In line with this letter and the mandate of General Assembly decision 77/568, we are committed to ensuring open, transparent and inclusive consultations with Member States, as well as relevant stakeholders, to elaborate a Declaration on Future Generations which, if intergovernmentally agreed, will be annexed to the Pact for the Future and will form one of the outcomes of the Summit of the Future to be held on 22 and 23 September 2024, in New York.

In this regard, and in preparation for the intergovernmental negotiations which we intend to facilitate in the second quarter of 2024, we plan to convene virtual informal consultations with relevant stakeholders on **15 and 16 January 2024** to give participants the opportunity to share good practices and suggestions on how to safeguard the interests of future generations. Member States will be invited to participate in the exchanges, if they so wish. Thereafter, the stakeholders may submit written inputs for the Declaration by **22nd January 2024** that will subsequently be circulated for the consideration of Member States.

We will subsequently hold regional consultations with groups of Member States in **February 2024**, in close coordination with the process for the Pact for the Future, and invite Member States to submit their written inputs by **26th February 2024** to inform our preparation of the zero draft of the Declaration.

We intend to share the zero draft by the end of March, in advance of the intergovernmental negotiations which will be arranged as follows:

Date	Time	Objective	Venue
8 April 2024	3:00pm – 6:00pm	First reading of the zero draft	Trusteeship Council Chamber
14 May 2024	10:00am – 1:00pm	Second reading	Trusteeship Council Chamber
10 June 2024	10:00am – 1:00pm	Third reading	Trusteeship Council Chamber
26 June 2024	10:00am – 1:00pm	Fourth reading	Trusteeship Council Chamber

While we are committed to adhering to the dates set out in this roadmap, please note that some dates may need to be adjusted, in which case we will endeavor to communicate any such changes as far in advance as practicable.

We thank you again for your trust and cooperation as we work together to achieve a meaningful and transformative Declaration that safeguards the interest of current and Future Generations. For further questions about the roadmap, your delegation may contact our experts, Ms. Yanique DaCosta from the Permanent Mission of Jamaica (Yanique.DaCosta@mfaft.gov.jm) and Ms. Negina Alemyar from the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of the Netherlands (negina.alemyar@minbuza.nl).

We count on your continued support and active engagement in the coming months.

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



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