



April 1, 2024

Excellency,

Reference is made to our letter dated 15 December 2023 outlining the roadmap for informal consultations and subsequent intergovernmental negotiations on a Global Digital Compact, as well our letter dated 23 February 2024, attaching possible structural elements for such a Compact.

We noted with appreciation the positive response expressed by Member States and many stakeholders to the structural elements during informal consultations convened on 29 February and 1 March 2024. Many delegations expressed the view that these structural elements provided a solid basis on which to develop a Zero Draft of the Global Digital Compact. We are grateful to those that provided additional written inputs by 8 March 2024.

We have the honour to attach a Zero Draft that draws on oral and written inputs provided over the course of informal consultations. We look forward to presenting this Zero Draft to Member States and observers on Friday, 5 April in the Trusteeship Council Chamber commencing at 10:00 am. The presentation of the Zero Draft will be webcast. Interested stakeholders can follow at https://webtv.un.org/en.

The first reading of the Zero Draft will start on 12 April in the Trusteeship Council Chamber from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., and continue on 2 and 3 May in Conference Room 1 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. (as needed).

We intend to convene periodic meetings to update interested stakeholders, the first of which will be convened on 24 April from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Member States are invited to observe this meeting which will be virtual via a link that will be shared via e-deleGATE.

We invite Member States to share this letter with relevant stakeholders in your respective country.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration

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