I'm delivering this statement on behalf of Egypt, Liechtenstein, Norway, Pakistan, the Republic of Korea, Switzerland and my own country Peru.

As our group of countries has expressed in previous sessions, the implementation of a transformative agenda will require a robust, inclusive and transparent review mechanism. We recognize that an efficient review mechanism will contribute to the achievement of the sustainable development goals.

The review mechanism must be an integral part of the design of the post-2015 development agenda and its implementation framework.

Our cross-regional group is currently working on more concrete elements with regards to the various aspects of the future review mechanism, which we would like to present during the May post-2015 session.

However, in the context of the follow-up and review on FFD and means of implementation, we would like to outline today the following:

- We reaffirm General Assembly Resolution 67/290 with regards to the role of the high-level political forum on follow-up and review progress in the implementation of sustainable development commitments and objectives, including those related to the means of implementation, within the context of the post-2015 development agenda. It is our understanding that the follow up of Financing for Development should therefore feed into the overall review taking place in the HLPF.

- We look forward to further discuss the issue of follow-up and review with all member states in our workshop, which will take place in the morning of April 30, 2015. Invitations were sent out to all Permanent Missions.