Excellency,

I am writing in relation to voluntary national reviews at the 2018 high-level political forum on sustainable development (HLPF), which will be convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council.

Based on the number of the formal requests received, I would like to inform you that the following countries will be conducting voluntary national reviews at the 2018 HLPF. They are: Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Australia, Bahamas, Bahrain, Benin, Bhutan, Cabo Verde, Canada, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Greece, Guinea, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Jamaica, Kiribati, Lao People’s Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Namibia, Niger, Paraguay, Poland, Qatar, Republic of the Congo, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Singapore, Slovakia, Spain, Sri Lanka, State of Palestine, Sudan, Switzerland, Togo, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, Vietnam.

I would like to thank the above-mentioned countries for their interest in conducting voluntary national reviews in 2018. The list for the 2018 HLPF is hereby closed. I wish to invite interested countries to consider volunteering in 2019 or subsequent years.

I look forward to working with all of you in preparing for a successful 2018 meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, under the auspices of ECOSOC.

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

Marie Chatardová
President of ECOSOC

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