

Mexico

General President
Your Excellencies Madame Fabiola Maldonado, Minister
of Environment and Forests, Dr. Chaleye and distinguished
Sir Zukang and members of the presidium.

I convey the appreciations of the Mexican Minister
of Environment and Natural Resources General
Eduardo Sánchez for the opportunity that presents itself
~~in participating on Green Economy and Sustainable Growth~~
to further advance the understanding between
our nations in view of the Rio + 20 meeting.
My country is participating in a constructive
manner and with a great hope in front of a
unique opportunity to advance sustainable
development, with the view of reduce environmental
deterioration and, at the same time, eradicate poverty.

We are looking for a summit oriented to a better
future and to the profundization of the agreements
of the Earth Summit and the Johannesburg
Conference, reaffirming their validity and
expanding their objectives and ambitions.

Rio + 20 gives all of us the opportunity to strengthen
the international cooperation, involving public
sector as well as a deeper participation of all
sectors of society.

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We are expecting of Rio + 20 a result that reaffirms our common commitment with sustainable development under the principle of common but differentiated responsibilities and special national circumstances cover by proper ~~international~~ indicators of Green economy is a tool to advance toward sustainability and ~~we are~~ my country is convinced that even in a difficult world economic situation, adequate measures to protect climate and environment could, at the same time, reinforce the social and economic objective of each nation, to achieve social equity and poverty eradication.