



Permanent Mission of Finland  
to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of Iraq  
to the United Nations

9 July 2021

Excellency,

We would like to thank you for your constructive engagement in the consultations on the Ministerial Declaration of the high-level segment of the 2021 session of the Economic and Social Council and the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council.

We would like to refer to our letter circulated on 8 July 2021 in which we put the text under silence procedure again until 6 pm on Friday, 9 July 2021.

We take this opportunity to inform you that the silence procedure has been broken again and we have submitted the text shared with you on 8 July 2021 to the President of ECOSOC for his consideration and submission for adoption at the high-level segment of the 2021 session of the Economic and Social Council and the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council.

We are attaching again the text as some editorial changes have been made in the version shared on 8 July 2021. Most notably this includes deleting a duplicative sentence in the paragraph on SDG16 and a minor change in paragraph 34 to accommodate a delegation who broke silence due to an omission that was done in the text that was put under silence.

We thank you again for your cooperation throughout this process.

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

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