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Permanent Mission of Ireland
to the United Nations



**Permanent Mission of
the state of Qatar
to the United Nations**

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Excellency,

We are writing to you in our capacity as co-facilitators appointed by the President of the 77th Session of the General Assembly to conduct consultations on the political declaration as the mandated outcome of the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF) when it meets under the auspices of the General Assembly in September 2023, during the United Nations General Assembly high-level week.

We express our sincere gratitude to delegations for the favourable response to our presentation today of the revised zero draft of the political declaration. We highly appreciate your valuable input and engagement. As a next step, we invite delegations to assist us by submitting focused amendments, bearing in mind the nature of this document. Delegations are requested to submit their written inputs by Friday, 16 June. These written comments can be sent to Mr. Abdulrahman Al-Thani (SDGSUMMIT2023@mofa.gov.qa) and Mr. James Mulligan (james.mulligan@dfa.ie), with copy to Mr. Eric Olson (olsone@un.org).

We would also like to invite delegations to our next informal consultation on Wednesday, 21 June. We have set aside both the 21 and 22 June for these consultations, to allow as much time as is required for a substantive discussion.

We continue to be guided by our shared interest in a concise, action-oriented, and consensual text. We remain at the disposal of delegations throughout this process.

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

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