



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

7 October 2019

Dear Ms. Gioia,

I wish to convey my sincere gratitude for your participation in the Leaders Dialogue of the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF), convened under the auspices of the General Assembly (SDG Summit), on 24 and 25 September 2019. Your presentation in the Leaders Dialogue 2: “Accelerating the Achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals: Critical Entry Points” contributed to the quality of the discussions of the SDG Summit.

The SDG Summit featured the participation of over 60 Heads of State and Government, 3 Vice-Presidents, 18 Ministers, senior government officials, representatives from intergovernmental organizations, UN System and Major Groups, as well as other stakeholders.

Participants reflected on the progress made in the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals and underscored the urgency to address the world’s most pressing global challenges. The outcomes, statements, official documentation, and UN Webcast and media coverage can be found on the SDG Summit website (<https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdgsummit>).

The work of your organization will be critical to achieving the 2030 Agenda during the Decade of Action. As we prepare for the High-level Political Forum to be convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council, in July 2020, it is critical that we maintain the momentum of the SDG Summit.

I count on your continued support throughout the seventy-fourth session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tijjani', written in a cursive style.

Tijjani Muhammad-Bande

Ms. Paula Gioia
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