

12 August 2024

Excellencies,

We have the honour to address you

With reference to our letter dated 3 July 2024, we have the honor to transmit to you the **final revised version** of the IGN contribution to the Pact for the Future that we intend to submit to the Co-Facilitators of the Summit of the Future. This language contains some **minor changes and updates**

With this text, the IGN should be able to continue its work at the next session with renewed vigor and an additional mandate from our political leaders to achieve progress on Security Council reform – a desire that all UN Member States share.

negotiations which demonstrated clearly the commitment to and the utility of the IGN. We would also like to use this opportunity to express our personal gratitude to the President of the General Assembly and his Office for the trust and confidence placed in us and to all delegates who participated in the negotiations for their continued support, patience and understanding. It has been an honor to serve the UN membership in this capacity.

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

5. Transforming global governance

Action 1: We will reform the UN Security Council, recognizing the urgent need to make it more representative, inclusive, transparent, efficient, effective, democratic and accountable.

1. In response to the growing urgency to increase the effectiveness of the United Nations abilities to maintain international peace and security as set out in the UN Charter, we agree on the following

Development

Goal 16.8, increase representation of developing countries and small- and medium-sized states.

- (c) Continue discussions on the issue of representation of cross-regional groups, taking into account that Small Island Developing States, Arab States, and others, such as the OIC, have been mentioned in the discussions of the IGN.
- (d) Intensify efforts to find an agreement on the question of the categories of membership taking into account the discussions held in the IGN process. The reform will include, but not be confined to, an expansion of 2-year term non-permanent seats as part of a comprehensive Security Council reform.
- (e) The total number of members of an enlarged Council should ensure a balance between its representativeness and effectiveness.
- (f) The working methods should ensure the inclusive, transparent, efficient, effective, democratic and accountable functioning of an enlarged Council.
- (g) The question of the veto is a key element of Security Council reform. We will intensify efforts to reach an agreement on the future of the veto

(c) Actively reinforce the ongoing efforts of the Security Council to review and enhance its worki