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# First drafting session on Financing for Development

**Session Building synergies with the post-2015 development agenda and other issues**

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Co-Facilitators,

I am pleased to deliver this statement on behalf of **Colombia, Denmark, France, Netherlands, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Romania** as well as my own country **Switzerland**.

The current negotiations on the Post-2015 Development Agenda and the Third International Conference on Financing for Development are a unique opportunity to define an ambitious universal agenda to set the world on a

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### **Third, how will the Addis Ababa outcome be integrated into the Post-2015 Agenda?**

We urge delegations to develop already at this early stage a common understanding of how the Addis Ababa outcome will be integrated into the Post-2015 Agenda. We consider the Addis Ababa outcome should detail key principles as well as define concrete deliverables on means of implementation for the SDGs. While the Elements paper encompasses SDG 17 and goal-specific Means of Implementation as outlined in the outcome of the Open Working Group, Addis Ababa gives us the opportunity to go a step further in developing a more comprehensive, systematic and specific understanding of the Means of Implementation in the context of Sustainable Development. Our ambition is that the Addis Ababa Outcome will form the new Global Partnership for the Post-2015 development agenda and will not need to be re-negotiated once agreement has been achieved in Addis.

In this context, we would like to reiterate the importance to ensure that a suitable follow-up and review mechanism for the Means of Implementation as defined in Addis Ababa will be part of a holistic **Post-2015 follow-up and review framework**. To this end, we also need to ensure a coherent approach to monitoring and review in the Post-2015 and the FfD processes including in the context of the reviews of the post 2015 framework that will take place during the High-level Political Forum under the auspices of ECOSOC.

Thank you.