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Ninth G20 Parliamentary Speakers' Summit (P20)

New Delhi, India, 13-14 October 2023

Excellency,

We are pleased to follow up on our communication of 01 December 2022 and to invite you to participate in the Ninth G20 Parliamentary Speakers' Summit (P20) which will be hosted by Parliament of India in cooperation with Inter Parliamentary Union on 13-14 October 2023 in New Delhi. The Summit will be preceded by a Parliamentary Forum on 12 October 2023 to which all participating Speakers and Parliamentarians are cordially invited.

In consonance with the main theme of India's G20 Presidency, the theme for the Ninth P20 Summit is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam - Parliaments for One Earth, One Family, One Future*. The ancient Indian philosophy of *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam* (The World is one Family) signifies global kinship and inspires us to join together in collective parliamentary action as a family to safeguard the future of humanity on planet Earth.

The Ninth P20 Summit will deliberate on the following subjects in four High Level Sessions (i) Transformation in Peoples' Lives through Public Digital Platforms (ii) Women-led Development (iii) Accelerating SDGs and (iv) Sustainable Energy Transition.

The Speakers of G20 Member Parliaments and guest Parliaments will engage in constructive discussions during sessions to evolve a collective vision and action-oriented recommendations to address contemporary global challenges.

A Parliamentary Forum will also be organized on 'LiFE' (Lifestyle for Environment) as a pre-Summit event to promote adoption of sustainable lifestyles and sustainable patterns of production and consumption. The Forum will afford opportunities to participants to share knowledge and best practices about climate action initiatives across the globe.

As esteemed leaders of your respective Parliaments, your presence and valuable insights would greatly enrich deliberations and outcomes of the Summit. We sincerely hope that you will accept our invitation to join us in this endeavour.

Please find enclosed Draft Programme and Concept Note for the Ninth P20 Summit. The General Information Note, including the online link for registration and Draft Joint Statement to be adopted at the end of the Summit, will be made available shortly.

We eagerly look forward to welcoming you to the Ninth P20 Summit in New Delhi, India.

Yours sincerely,

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