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PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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**Subject: Zero draft of the political declaration to be adopted at the high-level meeting on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases and the promotion of mental health and well-being.**

Excellency,

I have the honour to transmit a letter dated 13 May 2025 from H.E. Mr. Olivier Maes, Permanent Representative of Luxembourg and H.E. Ms. Rhonda King, Permanent Representative of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines in their capacity as co-facilitators of the intergovernmental negotiations; circulating the zero draft of the political declaration to be adopted at the high-level meeting on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases and the promotion of mental health and well-being.

The co-facilitators have advised that delegations should submit written comments on the zero draft by Tuesday, 27 May 2025 at 6 p.m. and have invited delegations to participate in the first consultations which will take place on Thursday, 5 June 2025 at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

I encourage all delegations to actively participate in this intergovernmental process.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Philemon Yang'.

Philemon Yang

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