



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

28 September 2017

Excellency,

In accordance with paragraph 30 of the General Assembly resolution A/RES/71/280 on the modalities for the intergovernmental negotiations of the global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration, I will convene the second informal interactive multi-stakeholder hearing as part of the preparatory process, on 11 October 2017 in Room XIX, UN Office in Geneva.

The interactive hearing will provide representatives of Member States, observers of the General Assembly, national human rights institutions compliant with the Paris Principles, non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council, accredited civil society organizations, academic institutions, parliaments and the private sector, with an opportunity to contribute constructively to the preparations for the intergovernmental conference on international migration and the global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration.

I am pleased to enclose herewith, for your consideration, a note containing further information on the hearing, including the provisional agenda. A more detailed programme for the hearing will be provided in due course.

I encourage representatives of Member States to participate in the hearing, and to share this information with their Missions in Geneva.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Lajčák', written in a cursive style.

Miroslav Lajčák

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and Permanent Observers to the United Nations  
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