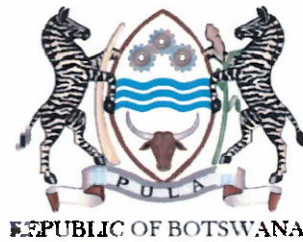


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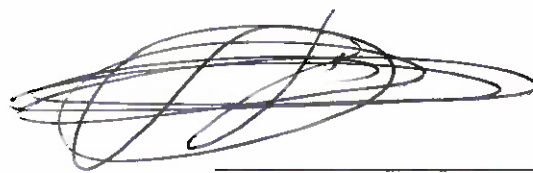
Your Excellency,

I refer to your letter dated 29 July 2021 inviting Member States to express interest to present Voluntary National Reviews (VNRs) at the 2022 High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF), to be convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) in July 2022.

In accordance with General Assembly Resolution 70/1, I have the honour to request that Botswana be inscribed on the list of countries participating in the VNRs to take place at the 2022 HLPF.

Botswana is fully committed to the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and looks forward to sharing experiences, including successes, challenges and lessons learned in implementing the 17 Global Goals.

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



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