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**Excellency,**

In reference to my letter PM/2022/300 dated 16 August 2022 regarding the Second Voluntary National Review of the Syrian Arab Republic, that was planned to be presented during the High-Level Political Forum under the auspices of ECOSOC in 10-19 July 2023. I wish to inform you that the head of the Syrian delegation is unable to participate in this year HLPF due to constrained agenda and travel circumstances, therefor the Syrian Arab Republic has decided to postpone the presentation of its VNR until next year during the High-Level Political Forum of 2024.

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

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**Ambassador**  
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