New York, 4 January 2023

Excellency,

Reference is made to the letter dated 18 October 2022 from the President of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Csaba Korosi, informing Member States of his decision to appoint us as co-facilitators to lead the intergovernmental consultations on to lead the Summit of the Future during the 77th Session.

Since this appointment, we have taken the time to listen extensively to the preliminary expectations of Member States and have used the platform of the General Committee

This initial informal consultation meeting will be followed by subsequent informal consultations, as per the schedule still to be finalised with the Office of the President of the General Assembly for their coordination with the tracks under the auspices of other co-facilitators.

As Member States may be aware, the Secretary General will release a series of policy briefs on possible tracks until summer 2023. Together with the recommendations of the High Level Advisory Board on Effective Multilateralism, these policy briefs, will be integral to our work. The policy briefs build on the series of broad consultations