



THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

6 September 2011

Excellency,

On the occasion of the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the 9/11 attacks, I will be organizing a commemoration ceremony on Friday, 9 September 2011, at 10 a.m. to remember the victims of the attacks and to underline the international community's commitment to fighting terrorism.

The ceremony will take place in the General Assembly Hall and feature musical performances by the New York City Symphony and remarks by the Deputy Secretary-General, H.E. Dr. Asha-Rose Migiro, and the Permanent Representative of the United States, H.E. Ambassador Susan E. Rice. Several interfaith leaders will also participate. Please see attached the latest draft programme.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Deiss', with a stylized flourish above the name.

Joseph Deiss

All Permanent Representatives and  
Permanent Observers to the United Nations  
New York

## **Commemoration of the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the 9/11 Attacks**

Friday, 9 September 2011, 10 – 11:00 a.m.  
General Assembly Hall

### **Draft Programme**

Opening Remarks by President of the General Assembly, *H.E. Mr. Joseph Deiss*

Remarks by Deputy Secretary-General, *H.E. Dr. Asha-Rose Migiro*

Remarks by Permanent Representative of the United States, *H.E. Ambassador Susan Rice*

New York City Symphony with *Soloist mZuri*  
“Still I Rise”

New York City Symphony with *Soloist David D’Or*  
“Amazing Grace”

Interfaith Candle-lighting

New York City Symphony

Moment of Silence

New York City Symphony

Conclusion