



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

3 November 2016

Excellency,

I have the pleasure to inform you that I will convene a General Assembly briefing on the strategy of the Office of the President of the General Assembly to support SDG implementation during the 71st session.

In line with the theme ‘The Sustainable Development Goals – a universal push to transform our world’, I have made a solemn commitment to strengthen momentum in support of meaningful progress on each of the 17 SDGs over the course of this session.

I therefore look forward to sharing my plans for the coming months with you and to hearing your views on how best to deliver a surge in SDG implementation efforts.

The briefing will take place on Tuesday, 8 November 2016 from 10:00 to 11:00 hours in ECOSOC Chamber, UNHQ, New York.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Thomson'.

Peter Thomson

To all Permanent Representatives
And Permanent Observers to the United Nations
New York