15 September 2016



THE PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Excellency,

I refer to the letter dated 11 August 2016 sent by the President of the 70<sup>th</sup> Session of the General Assembly concerning the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons.

It is my pleasure to send you the final programme for the one-day High-level plenary meeting of the Assembly to commemorate and promote the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons, which will be held on 26 September 2016 pursuant to General Assembly resolution 70/34.

This one-day event will take place in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Member States are encouraged to be represented at the ministerial level. In keeping with the spirit of resolution 70/34, I intend to also invite representatives of the United Nations system, civil society, academia, parliamentarians, mass media, as well as prominent individuals, to make contributions at the meeting in commemoration and promotion of this important Day.

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

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Peter Thomson

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

## High-level plenary meeting to commemorate and promote The International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons

## 26 September 2016

## **Trusteeship Council Chamber**

## Programme

10:00 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Opening
	• Statement by the President of the General Assembly
	• Statement by the Secretary-General of the United Nations
10:20 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Statements by Member States <sup>1</sup>
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Statements by Member States <sup>1</sup>
	Remarks by representatives of non-governmental organizations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Statements should be limited to four minutes.