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Excellency,

I refer to the 2022 High Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF) to be convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council in July 2022.

With reference to the General Assembly Resolution 70/1 entitled 'Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development', I have the honour to request that the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka be inscribed on the list of countries participating in the Voluntary National Reviews (VNRs) to take place at the 2022 HLPF.

Sri Lanka attaches great importance to the implementation of the 2030 Agenda and has presented its first VNR in 2018. The Government of Sri Lanka looks forward to sharing experience, including successes challenges and lessons learned in implementing the 2030 Agenda at its second VNR presentation in 2022.

I look forward to early acknowledgement of receipt of this letter.

Please accept Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Mohan Pieris

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His Excellency Munir Akram

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