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**Permanent Representatives  
to the United Nations  
New York**

**30 September, 2013**

Excellencies,

Following the High-Level Event on Sustainable Energy for Least Developed Countries (LDCs), held on Monday 23 September 2013 in New York, it is our profound pleasure to attach the announced *Communiqué* capturing some of the main messages coming out of the meeting.

The High-Level event was initiated by the Government of Benin in its capacity as Chair of the Global Coordination Bureau of the LDCs, and was Co-chaired by the Prime Minister of Ethiopia, H.E. Mr. Hailemariam Desalegn, the President of Liberia, H.E. Ms. Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, and the Prime Minister of Norway, H. E. Mr. Jens Stoltenberg.

The meeting was attended by more than 20 Heads of State/Government and Ministers, as well as high-ranking UN officials and private sector leaders. The event was moderated by Ms. Mary Robinson, former President of Ireland and President of the Mary Robinson Foundation – Climate Justice.

We hope that this *Communiqué* will serve as an important contribution going into the next two years. During this crucial period of time we need both to realise the current Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), where sustainable energy is missing, while making sure that sustainable energy for all is fully integrated into our new Post-2015 Development Agenda.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of our highest considerations.

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