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Excellency,

I have the honour to write to you in my capacity as Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) in charge of the 2024 ECOSOC operational activities for development segment (OAS), to be held at United Nations Headquarters from 14 – 16 May 2024. I look forward to working with all delegations on the preparation of a successful and impactful segment.

As part of our efforts to solidify preparations for the segment, I plan to host an informal briefing for Member States on Friday, 12 April, 2024, from 10:00 am to 11:30 am in the ECOSOC Chamber. In this briefing, I will outline the proposed programme of work to facilitate segment preparations. The briefing will also be an opportunity to discuss the roadmap leading to the 2024 quadrennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system (QCPR) to be negotiated in the last quarter of the year (attached herewith the QCPR roadmap).

The OAS serves as the accountability platform of the ECOSOC on system-wide performance and results of the United Nations development system. It focuses on the coherence, effectiveness, efficiency, and impact of the operational activities for development of the United Nations system and will review progress on the implementation of mandates contained in General Assembly resolution 75/233 on the QCPR and General Assembly resolution 72/279, on the repositioning of the United Nations development system. The segment provides a forum for Member States to review progress in the United Nations development system's support to programme countries' efforts towards achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Sustainable Development Goals, identify and address challenges, as well as highlight opportunities to bolster system-wide performance and results.

I am dedicated to ensuring an inclusive and transparent process throughout the 2024 OAS. I warmly invite your active participation at the informal briefing and throughout the entire process.

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

Tarek Ladeb

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