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*The High-Level Political Forum,*

*Acknowledging the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, especially Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 16.9 which strives to provide legal identity for all, including birth registration, globally by 2030,*

*Guided by the Identification For Development 2018 Annual Report, which found that the quality of the equipment used for birth registration, which ensures an individual's privacy is protected, drastically impacts birth registration rates,*

*Reaffirming Principle 7 of the Declaration of the Rights of the Child, unanimously adopted by the General Assembly, that states all children have the right to recreational activities and free education,*

*Stressing Article 1 of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) that establishes anyone under the age of 18 as particularly vulnerable to violence and exploitation,*

*Noting the success of important regional documents regarding ending violence against children and youth, such as the EU Guidelines for the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of the Child (2017) and the African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child (1990),*

*Recalling SDG 8.7 of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which aims to take immediate and effective measures to eradicate the worst forms of child labour, including recruitment and use of child soldiers, globally by 2025,*

*Taking note of the success of The Global Action to Prevent and Address Trafficking in Persons and the Smuggling of Migrants (GLO.ACT) from 2015-2019 in preventing and addressing trafficking in persons (TIP) and the smuggling of migrants (SOM),*

*Recognizing Article 6 of the International Covenant on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights (ICESCR), which recognizes the right to work, including the right of everyone to the opportunity to gain their living by work which they freely choose or accept,*

1. *Encourages a joint effort by the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) Data Mechanism and the United Nations Legal Identity Expert Group (UN LIEG) to enhance the technical support for building legal identity systems through the sharing of best practices, particularly focusing on children and*

youth data monitoring, as a measure of increasing birth registration rates in accordance with SDG 16.9;

2. *Recommends* that the Identification for Development Initiative (D4D) collaborate with the International Telecommunication Union's (ITU) Cybersecurity Programme to create a toolkit for Member States to increase the technical capacity for protecting privacy within digital identification systems, as a measure of increasing birth registration rates in accordance with SDG 16.9;
3. *Supports* the Joint Programme on Empowering Adolescent Girls and Young Women in the Decision Making Process in the creation of a fifth educational component focusing on young women's role in civic engagement as a way of increasing the participation of young women in decision making processes, statistically shown as an important measure in accomplishing SDG 5.3;
4. *Invites* the Office of the Secretary-General's Envoy on Youth to foster multilateral and bilateral partnerships amongst relevant stakeholders to create mass media campaigns on the exploitation of children and youth, such as UNICEF's #ENDviolence campaign, in order to accomplish SDG 16.2;
5. *Endorses* the African Union Youth Envoy to facilitate the sharing of best practices to other regional organizations through the development of an international workshop, as a way of streamlining solutions toward accomplishing SDG 16.2;
6. *Approves* of a partnership between UNICEF's "Children, Not Soldiers" Campaign and the Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict to expand upon the campaign's mission to bring about a global consensus that child soldiers should not be used in conflict through the development of peace education initiatives for children and youth, an important step in accomplishing SDG 8.7;
7. *Welcomes* the expertise of the Global Migration Group to assist the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime in creating a new initiative, similar to GLO.ACT which was completed in 2019, in furtherance of expanding on its success in combatting TIP and SOM and achieving SDG 8.7;
8. *Suggests* that the United Nations Capital Development Fund's (UNCDF) Local Development Finance Team work jointly with the Global Partnership to End Violence Against Youth to ensure a perspective of youth mainstreaming in the development of public-private partnerships as a measure of achieving SDG 1.1, which directly contributes to the exploitation of children and youth.