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Excellency,

We are pleased to write to you in our capacity as co-facilitators to lead the intergovernmental consultations and negotiations on issues related to the global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration, the intergovernmental conference, as well as their preparatory process.

The second informal thematic session entitled “*Addressing drivers of migration, including adverse effects of climate change, natural disasters and human-made crisis, through protection and assistance, sustainable development, poverty eradication, conflict prevention and resolution*” will take place on 22-23 May 2017 at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

We kindly invite all Member and Observer States to this meeting and are looking forward to having interesting and constructive discussions. Your engagement is key to ensuring the positive outcome of this process.

In preparation for the second informal thematic session, we have the honour to transmit to you a procedural note which provides information regarding the format and tentative agenda of the two-day meeting.

In addition to the session, we are pleased to invite stakeholders to an informal dialogue on 23 May from 9:00 am to 10:00 am, in accordance with resolution 71/280, paragraph 8. All are kindly invited to attend.

Finally, please note that information on the preparatory process is continually being updated at the dedicated website: <https://refugeesmigrants.un.org/migration-compact>.

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

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