



11 November 2005

Excellency,

In my letter of 3 November, I set out my intention to convene informal consultations of the plenary on two matters of World Summit follow-up: Follow-up to the Summit Outcome on Development and ECOSOC reform; and Management reform.

Following the informal meeting of the plenary on 7 November, I have invited Ambassador Cheick Sidi Diarra of Mali and Ambassador Johan C. Verbeke of Belgium to co-chair the consultations on development and ECOSOC reform. I have also invited Ambassador Munir Akram of Pakistan and Ambassador Allan Rock of Canada to co-chair the consultations on management reform. I am pleased to advise that the above-mentioned Ambassadors have kindly agreed to take on their respective responsibilities.

I have asked the co-chairs to begin to prepare a basis of work for each of the consultations in the coming days. They will be in contact with delegations shortly in this regard and will be grateful to receive your advice and ideas on the road ahead.

I am most grateful for your assistance and co-operation as we continue to follow up the commitments our leaders made in the World Summit Outcome Document.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jan Eliasson', written in a cursive style.

Jan Eliasson

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