



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

30 May, 2014

Excellency,

I have the honour to invite your delegation to participate in the informal consultation I will be convening on Tuesday, 3 June, 2014, in accordance with the relevant provisions of General Assembly Resolution, 66/296 on the, "Organization of the high-level plenary meeting of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly, to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples", which, among other things, stipulated the arrangements for the aforementioned conference, and provided the mandate for me to conclude the preparatory context.

The purpose of the proposed consultation is to enable all delegations and other interested parties to share with me their views on the contents of the Conference's Outcome Document. In this regard, I am pleased to inform that I will be assisted by the four (4) Advisers, who have kindly agreed to assist me, namely, the Permanent Representative of Costa Rica and the Permanent Representative of Slovenia, respectively, and two representatives designated by the Indigenous Peoples.

I encourage your Excellency's delegation to actively participate in the proposed consultation, the venue and time of which will subsequently be communicated in the Journal of the United Nations.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John W. Ashe".

John W. Ashe

To All Permanent Representatives and
Permanent Observers to the United Nations
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