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Excellency,

As a follow-up to the General Assembly informal plenary meeting of 16 November 2010 after the G20 Seoul Summit, I will be convening an informal meeting on Thursday, 17 February 2011 from 10.00 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB) for an informal briefing by H.E. Mr. Bruno Le Maire, Minister of Agriculture, Food Supply, Fisheries, Rural Areas and Regional Development of France, on the priorities of the French presidency of the G20 on agricultural matters.

This meeting is being convened as a contribution to strengthening interaction between the United Nations and the G20 and in the spirit of "reaffirming the central role of the United Nations in global governance".

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

Joseph Deiss

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