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PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to General Assembly resolution 76/203 and its annex regarding the regulations governing the United Nations Small Island Developing States Partnership Awards, in particular Article 4 sub-paragraph 2, whereby the President of the General Assembly shall select the members of the judging panel, pursuant to nominations received from the Co-Chairs of the Steering Committee on Partnership for Small Island Developing States.

In this regard, pursuant to the nominations received from the Co-Chairs of the Steering Committee on Partnership for Small Island Developing States, H.E. Ms. Sanita Pavļuta-Deslandes, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Latvia to the United Nations, and H.E. Mr. Ali Naseer Mohamed, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Maldives to the United Nations, I have the honour to appoint the following members to serve for the remaining year on the judging panel:

- Mr. Emīls Dombrovskis, Third Secretary of Permanent Mission of Latvia, to serve as the Chair of the judging panel, replacing Mr. John Gilroy, First Secretary of Permanent Mission of Ireland;
- H.E. Ms. Shiruzimath Sameer, Ambassador and Deputy Permanent Representative of the Maldives, replacing Dr. Ibrahim Zuhuree, former Deputy Permanent Representative of the Maldives.

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



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