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Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the Chair of the Intergovernmental Negotiation Committee (INC) to develop a legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment, we are pleased to invite you to express interest in taking part in one of two webinars to be held online on 29 August and 5 September 2023, from 16:00 – 17:30 EAT (+3 GMT), to present the written submissions received from observers ahead of the Committee's third session (INC-3).

The purpose of these webinars is to provide a space for interested observers to present the main ideas and concepts from their written submissions. Both sessions will be exclusively dedicated to interventions from observers.

Presentations will be limited to 25 observers' submissions per webinar, and the duration of each presentation will be limited to 3 minutes. Interested observers must <u>fill this form</u>, indicating their interest in presenting at one of the two webinars, as well as the name and affiliation of the proposed presenter.

The selection of presenters will be done on a first come, first served basis, taking into account regional and organizational balance. The decision will be made in consultation with the Chair and selected presenters will be notified directly via email. The list of presenting observers will be published in advance on the <u>website</u>.

Please note that the webinars will be in English only, and no simultaneous translation will be provided.

We further take this opportunity to thank you for your submissions, which have been made available on the INC-3 webpage.

Yours sincerely,

Signed

The INC Secretariat