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Note by Chair of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee
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Some delegations expressed the view that a reference to the valuable contribution of the Office for Outer Space Affairs to the United Nations system be included into this year’s ministerial declaration of the High Level Political Forum. The Chair of the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee propose to ask the Chair of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space to seek agreement of member States to submit the following contribution to the next High-Level Political Forum:

“The recently adopted “Space2030” Agenda: space as a driver of sustainable development and the implementation plan, adopted by the General Assembly in its resolution 76/3, is a forward-looking strategy for reaffirming and strengthening the contribution of space activities of member states of COPUOS and space tools to the achievement of, amongst others, SDG 4, 5, 14 and 15 of the Agenda 2030.”