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Dear colleagues,

We are writing to invite your organization to participate in the next session of the Forum on Human Rights, Democracy and the Rule of Law, which will be held on 24 - 25 November, in Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland under the theme "Strengthening democracies to build back better: challenges and opportunities".

This Forum is a platform for promoting dialogue and cooperation on the relationship between human rights, democracy and the rule of law and to discuss best practices, challenges and opportunities for States in these areas.

As we work on the agenda for this meeting, we would appreciate receiving your views on the topics to be discussed, bearing in mind the theme mentioned above and the post pandemic context. We would be grateful if any suggestions could be sent to ohchr-registry@un.org by 21 June 2022. Unless you request otherwise, submissions received will be posted on our website.

For further information, please feel free to visit www.ohchr.org/democracyforum or write to ohchr-democracyforum@un.org.

Yours sincerely,

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