



Permanent Mission of Chad
to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of
Costa Rica to the United Nations

2 April 2021

Excellency,

We have the honour to address you in our capacity as co-facilitators of the intergovernmental process to define the modalities, format, and the substantive and procedural aspects of the Permanent Forum on People of African Descent, in accordance with the letter dated 4 March by the President of the General Assembly, His Excellency Volkan BOZKIR.

Pursuant with the roadmap of the process that was circulated to all Member States in letter dated 24 March by the President of the General Assembly, and the subsequent informal dialogues held by the cofacilitators with all Regional Groups to present them with the guiding matters to be taken into consideration in the preparations of the outline on the main aspects of the Permanent Forum on People of African Descent, we wish to extend you an invitation to a one-day virtual informal consultation on 9 April 2021, from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm (EST). Detailed agenda is presented in the attached concept note.

Member States and Observers wishing to take the floor during the meeting are kindly requested to send an e-mail to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (galindo@un.org). The link to the Interprefy platform will be sent to delegations following their expression of interest to intervene during the meeting. Delegations not intending to speak during the virtual meeting are encouraged to follow the proceedings via webcast and would not need to join the platform.

Please accept the assurances of our highest consideration.

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Ammo Aziza Baroud, Ambassador
Permanent Representative of Chad
to the United Nations

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Rodrigo A. Carazo, Ambassador
Permanent Representative of Costa Rica
to the United Nations