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Dear Colleagues,

We invite you to join our NGOCSD-NY General Membership Meeting for a Round Table Dialogue with Keynote Speakers on Interfaith Partnerships for the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda which will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2017 from 1PM-3:30PM in the Baha'i International Office, Suite 120, 866 UN Plaza on East 48th Street between First Avenue and FDR Drive. **PLEASE NOTE:** As seating is limited everyone must RSVP to: ngocsdunc@gmail.com by 12Noon Tuesday, January 24th to be on the Lobby Security List. Please bring valid photo ID. We ask that you arrive before 1PM.

Welcome: Co-Chairs Ms. Margo LaZaro & Ms. Yvonne O'Neal

Mr. Daniel Perell, Baha'i International Community

Mr. Juan Elias Chebly, Lead Adviser for the UN Environment Programme Secretariat of Governing Bodies

Interfaith Partnerships for the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda

Mr. Elliot Harris

Assistant Secretary-General and Head of UN Environment Programme, New York Office

Dr. Azza Karam, Ph.D.

Senior Advisor on Culture and Social Development, at the United Nations Population Fund

H.E. Mr. Leslie B. Gatan

Former Ambassador of the Philippines to Canada

Rabbi Reuben Modek

Director & Spiritual Leader of Hebrew Learning Circles & the Synagogue-Without-Walls

Imam Saad Jalloh

Islamic Cultural Center of New York City

Ven. Guang Guo Shih

Wu Sheng Monastery on Ling Jiou Mountain

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Swami Parameshananda

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Mrs. Maria Eugenia Crespo

Director of the Cooperation Circle Support

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Ms. Saphira Rameshfar

UN Representative of the Baha'i International Community's UN Office in New York

