

**Informal Briefing/Consultation for Stakeholders on the Secretary-General's Report on "Promotion of inclusive and effective international cooperation on tax matters at the United Nations"**

**Virtual, 6 July 2023 / 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. (New York time)**

### **Background**

On 30 December 2022, the General Assembly adopted a resolution that reaffirms earlier international commitments to scale up international tax cooperation, fight illicit financial flows and combat tax avoidance and evasion, while recognizing the timeliness and importance of making international tax cooperation more inclusive and effective. Member States have requested in the resolution that the Secretary-General prepare a report as the basis for further discussions on "Promotion of inclusive and effective international cooperation on tax matters at the United Nations" during the Assembly's upcoming seventh-eighth session.

In preparing the report, the Secretary-General is asked to take into full consideration existing international and multilateral arrangements and to consult widely with Member States and relevant stakeholders. In March 2023, over 80 submissions were received for the preparation of the report (see [inputs](#)), which provided a basis for fruitful discussions during both the [2023 ECOSOC Special Meeting on International Tax Cooperation](#) (31 March 2023) and the [ECOSOC Financing for Development Forum](#) (17 to 20 April 2023). On 25 May 2023, the Secretariat organized an informal briefing/consultation for Members to inform of ongoing preparations of the Secretary-General's Report and invite feedback and further reflections from Member States on the issues. A similar briefing/consultation was organized for other stakeholders on 26 May 2023.

### **Objective**

The informal briefing/consultation for stakeholders will provide an update on ongoing preparations of the Secretary-General's Report and invite feedback and further reflections from Member States.

### **Format**

The informal event will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. on 6 July 2023. While the event follows one for Member States on 5 July 2023, Member States and representatives from capitals that may wish to attend this virtual meeting on 6 July 2023 can opt to do so.

### **Contact**

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