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High-Level Dialogue on the Implementation of the United Nations Decade of Sustainable Energy for All 2014-2019:

A Mid-Point Review

23-24 May 2019

UN Headquarters, New York

Thursday, 23 May: Expert Round tables

Venue: Conference Room 6 & 8

Friday, 24 May: High-Level Interactive Dialogue

Venue: ECOSOC Chamber

In 2012, the General Assembly adopted resolution 67/215, by which it declared the Decade of Sustainable Energy for All 2014–2024, underscoring the importance of energy issues for sustainable development. In subsequent resolutions, the General Assembly called for the rapid implementation of the strategic objectives of the global plan of action for the Decade.

In its resolution 73/236 on “Ensuring access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all”, the General Assembly invited “the Secretary-General, within existing resources, to convene dialogues, which could consist of a series of events including discussions among energy policy makers and other multi-stakeholders in 2019 to be supported by the Secretariat, in order to discuss the implementation of the United Nations Decade of Sustainable Energy for All, including the global plan of action for the Decade as described in the report of the Secretary-General”.

The high-level dialogue will help inform forthcoming discussions related to SDG 7 at the High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development in July, the Climate Action Summit and SDG Summit in September and other major milestones.

The event will also launch the 2019 SDG7 Energy Tracking Report and the SDG7 Policy Briefs as technical contributions towards High-Level Political Forum and the objectives of the Decade.