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Divergences

- 1) Taking into account the interests of all Member States, the divergences should be reflected in the reform and should be further explored.
- 2) Member States should ensure that the reform respects democracy and the role of the Security Council.
- 3) Although a large number of Member States, particularly in the region, have expressed a desire for a reform, the divergences are significant.
- 4) In seeking to identify ways forward, including through the Security Council, the reform should be discussed in plenary as well as in the Security Council.
- 5) There are reports of divergences between the consolidated document and the reform, while a number of Member States have expressed concerns about the reform.

II. Clusters

1. Relationship between the General Assembly and the Security Council

Convergences

- 1) The General Assembly should ensure that the Security Council has adequate representative and geographical representation.
- 2) The relationship between the General Assembly and the Security Council should be mutually reinforcing and based on full respect for the Charter of the United Nations as enshrined in the Charter and international law.
 - Ensure increased cooperation and dialogue among the General Assembly and the Security Council and also with the Secretary-General.

Secretary-General,

- Continue the practice of the Security Council and the General Assembly
 - Strengthen the cooperation between the Security Council and the General Assembly in the reporting process, including the annual reports to the General Assembly, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter,
 - Improve the participation of the public and its subsidiary organs and enhance the Council's and the Secretary-General's transparency of its work, including:
 - o Holding open meetings and public presidencies,
 - o Further enhancing the Council's transparency in troop- and police-operations, and Council-mandates,
 - o Increasing the transparency of the work of the various bodies of the Secretariat, including the Commission on Human Rights,
 - o Further enhancing the participation of Member States in the work of the Secretariat,
 - o Further strengthening the role of the various organizations of the United Nations system, including the Peace and Security Council.
- 3) Deliberations of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Revitalization of the General Assembly (A/60/92) and all other previous reports on the revitalization, should be taken into account.

Divergences

- 1) Further ways to enhance the participation of the public in UN membership and to increase the transparency of the reporting process in relation to the General Assembly, including through suggestions on a triennial report to the General Assembly of the Secretary-General, and the selection and appointment of the Secretary-General, should be further explored as an example.

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1. In case of expansion of some Member States:
 - a. African States: 2; Latin American and Caribbean States: 2; Western European States: 2; Island Developing States: 2.
2. In case of expansion of Member States, the Group of 4 and:
 - a. New/ Additional States: 2; Asia-Pacific States: 2; Western European States: 2.
 - b. Addition of more than 2, 1 Latin American and Caribbean States: 1; and 1 Western European State: 1; contain representation of all regions.
3. In case of creation of new States proposed:
 - a. New long-term States: 2; and Other States: 2.
 - b. Together with existing States: 2 American States: 2.