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Permanent Mission of the State of Qatar
to the United Nations

On

THE UNITED NATIONS

on Financing for Development

Mr. President,

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to speak on this important item. My delegation associates itself with the statement delivered by the representative of

First, it gives me pleasure to acknowledge the progress achieved so far in the application and implementation of the decisions of the Monterrey consensus adopted by

the International Conference on Financing for Development held in Mexico in March 2002 and the Doha Declaration adopted by the first Follow-Up Conference on Financing

for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus. It is also my

pleasure to acknowledge the efforts made by developed and developing countries

and subregional and regional organizations in implementing these efforts

undertaking constructive initiatives in support of their implementation. Good

aligned special moments in the context of their national development

Millennium Development Goals. In this regard, I highly commend the unremitting efforts

of the majority of Developing countries to embrace the concept of good governance in

the political and economic fields against a backdrop of fast-paced domestic and regional

initiatives will not overshadow the primary role of the United Nations or compromise the

right of all states to participate in the implementation of this initiative.

I shall be pleased to commend the initiative to combat hunger and poverty

contribute to the overall goal of this initiative.

the road of international development cooperation. The special formula under which it

was convened made it a landmark conference among other UN international conferences.

Participation by Kings and heads of states and governments reflected the high

level of the conference.

World Trade Organization in addition to stakeholders from the business community and

... as a financial malfunction that was relatively mild and contained...
... industrial economies...
... ever since World War II, or even since the thirties of the last century. It is true that th...
... have been recent signs indicating that the crisis may be relenting, but the world continues...
... to face risks. While there has been a...
... still looms. By comparison, developing countries suffered far more than their developed...
... counterparts.

The global crisis demonstrated the significance of weathering this international predicament through concerted efforts in order to preserve the gains that were achieved in

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... was well timed. The issues that were raised...
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... who cannot alone bear the brunt of adjustment...
... development and...
... domestic economies through trade protectionism. This...
... Assembly, and this high level dialogue, must produce a renewed commitment to...
... the development dimension of the Doha Round.

Furthermore, we must reaffirm and promote the global partnership for development that was conceived and consecrated in Monterrey and further confirmed in

We should not stop at the confirmation of the... 17

capable of adapting to the economic and political changes which emerged in the past... 18

decades... 19

The United Nations has been the proper forum for the establishment of the current... 20

structure, it is therefore only natural that the reform of the financial system should also... 21

0.7% of its national... 22

established the South-South Fund for Development to which His Highness... 23

million dollars. Qatar also provides additional humanitarian assistance to... 24

funds and programs, through bilateral aid programs as well as humanitarian assistance... 25

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Successful development is directly linked to an increased level of... 26

guaranteeing the success of others. Our economic peace and security depend on the... 27