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Excellency,

I have the honor to inform you that, as

The seating plan has been slightly amended to ensure physical distancing and delegates shall remain in their seats at all times;

All statements will be made by delegations from their national seats and delegates will be required to wear face coverings except for when addressing the meeting;

All delegates will be requested to maintain social distancing of at least 2 meters, to refrain from physical contact, including handshakes and other physical contact, during the meetings in recognition of the physical distancing requirements;

The Secretary will actively manage the exit by calling each row for departure in a staggered manner;

The proceedings of the meeting will be webcast live and on-demand on UN Web TV, allowing representatives of intergovernmental organizations and other entities having received a standing invitation to participate as observers to do so through webcast.

The programme of work of the Assembly and agenda items to be considered at the formal meetings of the plenary will be announced in the United Nations Journal and are continuously updated on the website of the General Assembly.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.