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Water cooperation as a tool for conflict prevention

Presentation of key recommendations of the Global High-Level Panel on Water and Peace and discussion on how to take this issue further

> Working Ministerial Dinner Monday 18 September 2017, 6.30 pm – 8.00 pm Tap Room, Yale Club, New York

PROGRAMME

Keynote Speaker

H.E. Mr Miroslav Lajčák, President of the 72nd Session of the United Nations General Assembly

Presentation of the report of the Global High-Level Panel on Water and Peace

H. E. Mr Danilo Türk, Chairman of the Global High-Level Panel on Water and Peace and Former President of the Republic of Slovenia

Symphony for Water and Peace

Excerpt

Keynote Remarks

H.E. Mr Didier Burkhalter, Federal Councillor, Head of the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs

H.E. Mr Manuel González Sanz, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Worship of the Republic of Costa Rica

H.E. Mr Sidiki Kaba, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Senegalese Abroad of the Republic of Senegal

H.E. Ms Sabina Stadler, Director-General for Multilateral Affairs, Development Cooperation and International Law, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Slovenia

Mr Liu Zhenmin, United Nations Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs

H.E. Mr Gilbert Houngbo, President of the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and Chair of UN-Water

Contributions from participating High-Level representatives Moderated by broadcast journalist Mr John Sibi-Okumu

Concluding remarks by members of the Global High-Level Panel on Water and Peace Professor Laurence Boisson de Chazournes, nominated by the Swiss Confederation

Dr. Alvaro Umaña Quesada, Vice-Chairman, nominated by the Republic of Costa Rica

H. E. Mr Danilo Türk, Chairman, nominated by the Republic of Slovenia

End





