His Excellency
Mr Ban Ki-moon
Secretary General of the United Nations
New York

Excellency,

It is my pleasure to herewith inform you about the support the Federal Republic of Germany is prepared to provide in the context of the Global Strategy for Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health (2016-30).

The launch of the Global Strategy in 2010 generated important momentum for improving the health of mothers and children worldwide. Despite the progress, further efforts are needed in order to finish the unfinished business of the MDGs under the framework of the Sustainable Development Goals.

That is why we reaffirm our commitment to the Global Strategy 2016-30 for improved maternal and child welfare.

In support of the Global Strategy the Federal Republic of Germany intends to make at least 1.23 billion euros available by 2020.

Yours sincerely,

[Signed:] Gerd Müller