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Ladies and Gentlemen,

Germany appreciates the UN-Secretary General's decision to organise the Food Systems Summit:

if the world wants to achieve the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals, we all must increase our efforts.

Only if we put the right to adequate food in the centre of food systems will we succeed.

Germany has launched an inclusive, multi-stakeholder national dialogue in order to discuss the future of sustainable German food systems.

We will maintain the dialogue after our federal elections and the Food Systems Summit in Autumn.

To ensure that the work of the UNFSS continues, we need to rely on the highly qualified Rome-based agencies to carry on the future work.

The CFS and its excellent work on food systems and nutrition has already laid the foundation for these efforts.

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We need to build upon this pioneering work and the expertise of the CFS and its High Level Panel of Experts.

Thank you.