Secretary
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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

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Excellency,

Bangladesh presents its compliments to the Executive Secretary of UNFCCC and reiterates its support to the excellent and valuable work the Convention is doing. Bangladesh also wants to take this opportunity to express its support to continue to work with the Convention. As part of continuation of this process, Bangladesh conveys its willingness to be associated with the Copenhagen Accord towards the development of a legally binding climate agreement in Mexico by end of 2010. The chapeau may include Bangladesh as one of the Parties in favour of the Accord.

Bangladesh, as an LDC, has no obligation to take mitigation actions and this has also been reflected in the Copenhagen Accord. Nonetheless, Bangladesh is willing to take mitigation actions provided we get support in the form of finance and technology and assistance in capacity building for assessing the scope for mitigation without compromising its growth and development.

Bangladesh is also initiating a process to engage bilaterally and regionally other countries to work with this Convention. We shall keep you informed of the outcome of our efforts from this initiative.

Please allow us Your Excellency to express again our sincere wish to work with you and other Parties for an effective and fruitful end to the climate negotiations in Mexico.

With regards

Sincerely,

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