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This year's High level Event is being held under the theme " The Africa We Want : support of the United Nations System to the African Union's Agenda 2063 ". It will start by opening remarks from the SG to be followed by presentations by the CEO of NEPAD (on the development aspects) , by the African Peer Review Mechanism APRM (on governance and human rights aspects) and by the AU Peace and Security commissioner (on peace and security aspects) , then an interactive discussion with the member states . The main purpose is to start the debate in the United Nations on what kind of support could we extend to the African Union in this regard and how to structure that with the post 2015 development agenda.

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As my office will not be organising any High Level Events during the high level segment of the GA, and taking into account the strong support to the African Union's Agenda 2063 expressed by the SG in his speech before the African summit in Malabo and previously by the DSG in the RCM ministerial meeting in Nigeria , I count on your support to secure the SG's agreement to inaugurate the Africa week and the High Level Event according to the same format of last years HLE which had a very positive impact in showing the support of the UN to the AU and the African countries at large .

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