

**International Day of Youth 2012 Event: Address to the Plenary by the Secretary-General**

**Banibai Sundavadra** to: Kay Govia

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Cc: Amdur, Sebastien Lawson, barahonaposada, Mary Sack, Toni Gallagher,  
weidmann, Ruxandra Ferascu

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Dear Ms. Govia,

I am writing on behalf of Ms. Ambiehl.

With reference to the above-mentioned note to the Chef de Cabinet (our ref # 12-06178) dated 2 July 2012 from Mr. Sha recommending the Secretary-General address the plenary session of the International Youth Day event on 10 August 2012.

The Scheduling Office would like to inform you that the Secretary-General has seen the note and will address the plenary session from 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Kind regards,

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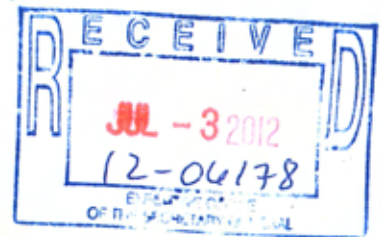
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Note to the Chef de Cabinet



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The theme of the International Youth Day, 'Building a Better World: Partnering With Youth', complements the announcement of the Secretary-General of January 2012, to make youth a priority within his 5-year Action Agenda through the appointment of a Special Advisor on Youth and the development of a System-wide Action Plan on youth with a focus on employment, entrepreneurship, political inclusion, citizenship and protection of rights, and education, including on sexual and reproductive health.

With efforts currently underway for the development of a System-wide Action Plan on youth, including a consultation with youth and youth led organizations; the International Youth Day will be used as a means of gaining input for the System-wide Action Plan, as well as a platform for highlighting the importance of partnerships both with and for youth.

As such, I would like to recommend that the Secretary-General consider addressing the plenary session of the International Youth Day Event on 10 August, with a scheduled time between 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

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SOSG COMMENT

For SG's approval ☒  
For SG's attention ☒  
For SG's information ☐  
For SG's signature ☐

Subject:  
Note to Ms. Malcorra from Mr. Sha  
- Inviting the S-G to address the  
plenary session of the International  
Youth Day Event on 10 August  
2012.

Date: 03/07  
Comment (if applicable):

10 August 09:30  
- 10:00

Csa departs for JFK  
Log number: 12-06178@  
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Approved ☒  
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It would be  
desirable to  
announce the  
appointment of SE on  
Youth on that day.

Sha Zukang  
2 July 2012

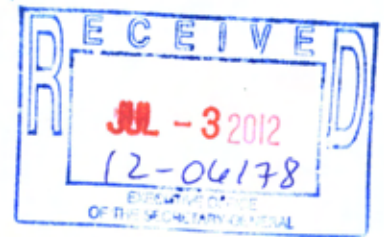
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Schedule  
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to organization  
cc: LS4, SL, MS, BS  
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announcement of  
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