



THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

26 November 2014

Dear Mr. Ryder,

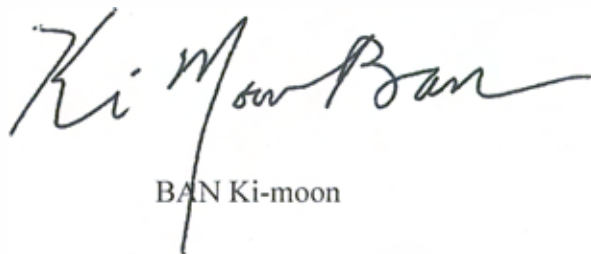
I wish to acknowledge your letter dated 12 November 2014, on behalf of the Global Migration Group, underscoring the importance of migrants and migration in the post-2015 development agenda. I take note of the specific recommendations outlined in the joint communiqué from the Group. This is, indeed, a topic of high importance, and we must not lose sight of these issues in the ongoing post-2015 deliberations.

As preparations continue for my synthesis report, I wish to assure you that it is my utmost priority to respect the work undertaken by Member States and the equilibria found within the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals. In this regard, I greatly appreciate the valuable insight from the Global Migration Group.

I remain grateful for your keen interest in this matter and invite you to continue to engage with my Special Adviser on Post-2015 Development Planning, Assistant Secretary-General Amina Mohammed, who coordinates the post-2015 development planning process on my behalf.

I count on your continued support to our overarching objective of advancing sustainable development and a life of dignity for all.

Yours sincerely,



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