SUBJECT: Invitation to Participate in the Antalya High-Level Dialogue on Children, Youth and Climate Resilience

On behalf of the COP31 Presidency, I extend my respects to you, and it is my honour to inform you of the following.

As we prepare for the upcoming 31st Conference of the Parties (COP31) to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change in Antalya, our focus is on translating collective climate ambition into concrete and practical action. Through the COP31 Action Agenda, we are placing implementation at the heart of our efforts. Building on the framework of the Global Climate Action Agenda, we designed the COP31 Action Agenda as a practical implementation platform that complements formal negotiations by mobilising voluntary action, partnerships and coalitions among Parties and non-Party stakeholders to accelerate implementation and deliver tangible results across ten priority areas for climate action.

As part of this effort, the COP31 Presidency is honoured to share the attached concept note for the Antalya High-Level Dialogue on Children, Youth and Climate Resilience, aimed at placing children and youth at the center of human and social development and climate resilience.

The Dialogue will provide a high-level platform for governments and other stakeholders to advance practical, multi-sectoral solutions for children, youth and climate resilience. It responds to the disproportionate impacts of climate change on children and youth and the need to translate emerging policy commitments into concrete implementation. Through high-level political engagement, child climate risk data and cross-sectoral partnerships, it will inform the implementation of national climate plans and mobilise commitments across priority areas.

On behalf of the COP31 Presidency, I would like to invite you to participate in the Antalya High-Level Dialogue on Children, Youth and Climate Resilience. Your cooperation would be highly appreciated as we advance our joint efforts towards COP31 and beyond.

For further information or expression of support, please contact cop31youth@iklim.gov.tr.

I look forward to working with you towards a successful COP31 in Antalya.

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