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The Russian Federation recognizes the critical importance of sustainable development in ensuring equitable economic growth, social progress, and environmental conservation. As one of the world's largest economies and most geographically expansive nations, Russia is committed to advancing policies that balance economic development with sustainability, guided by the principles enshrined in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. Russia has made significant strides in incorporating sustainability into its economic planning, including transitioning towards green energy and developing advanced technologies to minimize environmental degradation. However, the current global challenges - from geopolitical tensions to economic inequalities and environmental crises - underscore the urgency of implementing robust and innovative policies to support sustainable development.

To address these challenges, Russia has been actively advancing green energy initiatives to reduce its dependency on fossil fuels. Investments in renewable energy sources such as hydropower, wind, and solar power form a cornerstone of our strategy to cut greenhouse gas emissions and enhance energy efficiency. Additionally, agriculture plays a crucial role in Russia's economy and food security, and we are committed to sustainable land use practices and advanced agricultural technologies to address climate change while preserving biodiversity. Russia aims to diversify its economy beyond the energy sector by fostering innovation-driven industries, digital transformation, and scientific research to create resilient economic systems. We also believe that strengthening international cooperation is vital to providing developing nations with the financial and technical resources needed to pursue sustainable development goals. Fair mechanisms for technology transfer and capacity-building initiatives are essential to supporting sustainable development.

Furthermore, reforming international financial systems is critical to creating accessible funding for sustainable development projects in low- and middle-income countries. Prioritizing the transfer of green technologies to support sustainable industrialization and innovation is also essential. Developing climate-resilient infrastructure must be a shared goal to mitigate the impact of environmental crises while ensuring economic growth. In conclusion, the Russian Federation reaffirms its commitment to promoting economic policies that advance sustainable development globally. We believe that collective action is necessary to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals, foster resilience, and create a better future for humanity and the planet.