

USA:

"But for such system to work, every country and relevant international institution must do its part. Thus it is again disappointing that Taiwan was not invited to observe the WHA. It is difficult to reconcile our shared concern over cross border infectious diseases with excluding representatives of the 23 million of Taiwan from this gathering.

I strongly urge the WHO to focus on its core purpose by continuing as its first mission to fix the problem it has had in the past in coordinating worldwide responses to health emergencies and emerging infectious disease threats."

Japan:

"As the world has begun more globalized, and the threat of infectious diseases that may spread beyond borders has been increasing, we assume that we should not make geographical blank by leaving a specific region behind. "

Australia:

"In this interconnected world, it is in our interests that the WHO and its decision-making body, the World Health Assembly, does not exclude populations. As past episodes like SARS epidemic told us, diseases do not respect borders. Inclusivity has never been more important as we all work towards the realization of the health-related sustainable development goals."