

瓜地馬拉共和國執言：

"We are particularly thankful to the Government of Taiwan which has collaborated with Guatemala on the development and project to improve maternal healthcare and contribute to the capacity of professionals in the medical sector and raise the quality of healthcare services for pregnant women and new-borns."

聖克里斯多福及尼維斯執言：

"We have sought partnership with our oldest ally the Republic of China on Taiwan to introduce a Chronic Kidney Disease Programme to address the growing need for Haemodialysis; that should result in the decreasing need for costly and intrusive response to renal diseases."

Universal Health Coverage necessitates an adequate health information system, and recruitment of appropriate Human Resources to deliver quality healthcare services. Here again our reliable ally, Taiwan has already partnered with us in establishing the critical infrastructure that meets that objective.

In that regard I express my thanks to Republic of China on Taiwan for providing us with the expertise as an experienced global partner in delivering universal health coverage to their citizens and residents. We look forward to their support not only in our country but in this global setting if only because disease knows no borders.

It is why I add my voice in support of the twenty-three million people of Taiwan being included in this global, non-political partnership under the command of what is an otherwise august body. I call it inclusion over exclusion."

吐瓦魯國執言：

"And, in keeping with the need for inclusiveness in our efforts to achieve universal health coverage, here I take the opportunity to recognize the assistance of the Republic of China (Taiwan). Through the Taiwan Medical Program, the ROC Taiwan continues to support Tuvalu and other Pacific Island countries and Small Island Developing States around the globe to deliver a number of health-related activities, which also contributes to Tuvalu working towards achieving universal health coverage. Again, let me reiterate that for all of us here, to achieve true universal health coverage, we need not leave anyone behind, because of race, gender or nation, regardless of their political status. As we all know, health issues do not have boundaries."

薩爾瓦多共和國執言：

"Mr. President, because of the principles of inclusiveness and universality, El Salvador reiterates its position that Taiwan be maintained as observer in the WHA"

馬紹爾群島共和國執言：

"At the WHA, all of us frequently commit to ensuring that no one is left behind in our work towards the SDGs. The Republic of the Marshall Islands believes it is important that the WHA ensures Taiwan's effective participation, because disease knows no borders. This is not a political body but a technical one dedicated to basic humanitarian progress. Taiwan has made significant contributions to global health and can play a key role in addressing disease outbreak in the wider Asia Pacific region. We must realize that Taiwan's absence only impairs the global health network."

聖文森國執言：

"Taiwan is helping us build capacity for the prevention and control of diabetes through a flagship project."

On that note, Mr. President, please permit me to say that St. Vincent and the Grenadines supports the call for Taiwan to be allowed to participate in the World Health Assembly. The absence of Taiwan from this forum is an unfortunate result of cross-strait politics that should have no bearing on matters of health. We wish that the relevant parties will make every effort to peacefully resolve this deeply contentious matter with regard for the principle of inclusion for the sake of the health and welfare of humanity. This is the humble request of a small Caribbean nation which maintains respect for all sides."