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Dear Mr Prentice,

It is our pleasure to inform you of Luxembourg's wish to join the Champion Countries initiative for the implementation of the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration.

Luxembourg remains fully committed to the Global Compact for Migration, which marks an important milestone in international cooperation on migration. Migration has been part of the human experience throughout history. To that end, we fully recognize the positive impacts that migrants have had and continue to have as a source of cultural diversity, prosperity, innovation and sustainable development globally. We remain fully committed to promoting and protecting the human rights of all migrants.

In joining the Champion Countries initiative, we wish to continue our long-standing support for migration, including migrants' social and economic integration, as well as the implementation of the Global Compact for Migration both by way of our national policies as well as through advocacy and sharing of promising practices and lessons learned in regional and international fora.

Sincerely,

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