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Dear President

I am writing on behalf of Global Citizen, the ONE Campaign, Aidsfonds, Deutsche Stiftung Weltbevölkerung (DSW), Global Health Advocates and my own organization, the Pandemic Action Network. Our range of organisations work on different issues outlined in the attached letter and briefing, for example, PAN is coordinating partner organisations on ACT-A resource mobilisation whereas other groups are more deeply involved in the associated policy issues.

We salute the Commission's leadership on the Access to COVID Tools Accelerator, and we are keen for that leadership to continue, both in terms of committing more funds to ACT-A as well as working actively to make sure all COVID tools are distributed as equitably as possible around the world. This week could be the ideal moment to pledge further funds towards ACT-A's immediate needs - for example at the Paris Peace Forum.

As CSOs actively engaged in both mobilizing resources for ACT-A and working to secure equitable access for LMICs, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss these issues with your team in the coming weeks. We would love to help you deliver for ACT-A and help campaign to get broader support for those funds.

We will also be in contact shortly concerning the forthcoming G20 Summit. Many thanks for your time and consideration, and we look forward to hearing from you.

All best wishes,

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