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The WFUNA Plenary Assembly,

Extremely concerned by the multiple damages inflicted to environment, climate and biodiversity resulting from human activity and by the dangers they present for the planet and the survival of mankind;

Welcomes the mobilization the United Nations conducted since 1972 in order to highlight the challenges due to this situation scientifically based; in implementing the conventions adopted under its umbrella since 1992 (climate change, biological diversity, combat against desertification); and in promoting new international agreements aiming at countering the current challenges like oceans' protection, fight against plastic pollution, forest preservation, world food supply;

Invites all its members to support the action of the United Nations in these areas in order to speed up progress in the implementation of its conventions, in raising public awareness in their respective countries, in advocating that cause with their respective governments, in giving voice to the younger generations and in mobilizing all stakeholders (like corporations, territorial collectivities, civil society);

Underlines the necessity to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals adopted on September 25, 2015 by the United Nations, as well as to respect the terms of the Paris Agreement adopted on December 12, 2015, agreements which urge to urgently modify the paths followed until now;

Urgently calls the States to reach an agreement on the 'New Global Financial Pact', outlined during the Paris Summit of June 2023, an absolute condition for the poorest countries to adapt to climate change and mitigate its effects, while progressing at the same time on the path towards an equitable and sustainable development.



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