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# ACRONYMS

ACP	African, Caribbean and Pacific	HVWSHE	Human Values Based in Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Education	SIDA	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency
ADB	African Development Bank	IASC	Inter Agency Standing Committee	STDM	Social Tenure Domain Model
ADB	Asia Development Bank	IBRD/WB	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development/World Bank	SUDP	Sustainable Urban Development Programme
AFD	Agence Française de Développement	IDPs	Internally displaced persons	SUSTRAN	Promoting Sustainable Transport Solutions for East African Cities
AFD	French Development Agency	INU	National Planning Institute	UCLG	United Cities and local Governments
AMCHUD	African Ministerial Conference on Housing and Urban Development	IOM	International Organization for Migration*	ULN	Urban Legal Network
ASUD	Achieving Sustainable Urban Development	ISUDP	Integrated Strategic Urban Development Plan	UN	United Nations
AusAID	Australian Agency for International Development	ITDP	Institute of Transport Development and Policy	UNCT	United Nations Country Team
BMBF	German Federal Ministry for Education and Research	JICA	Japan International Cooperation Agency	UNDP	United Nations Development Programme*
CPI	City Prosperity Index	KMP	Kenya Municipal Programme	UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme*
DFID	Department for International Development	MDGs	Millennium Development Goals	UNESCAP	United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
EAC	East African Community	MTSIP	Medium Term Strategic and Institutional Plan	UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization*
EC	European Commission	NGOs	Non-Governmental Organizations	UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund*
ENEL	Foundation	NSDFU	National Slum Dwellers Federation	UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund*
EU	European Union	OCHA	Office for Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs	UNMEER	United Nations Mission for Ebola Emergency Response
EU-UDG	European Union Urban Development Group	OECS	Organization of Eastern Caribbean States	UNOHCHR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations	PAG	Project Advisory Group	UNOPS	United Nations Office for Project Services*
FF	The Ford Foundation	PI	Plan International	UPPR	Urban Partnerships for Poverty Reduction
FMDV	Global Fund for Cities Development	PILaR	Participatory and Inclusive Land Readjustment	USAID	United States Agency for International Development
GDP	Gross Domestic Product	RAMA	Network of Metropolitan Areas of the Americas	WASH	Water and Sanitation
GEC	Gender Evaluation Criteria	RP	Rapid Planning	WB	World Bank
GEF	Global Environment Facility	RUSPS	Rapid Urban Sector Profiling for Sustainability	WHO	World Health Organization*
GEMI	Global Expanded Monitoring Initiative	SDC	Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation	WUC	World Urban Campaign
GiZ	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit	SIDA	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency	WUF	World Urban Forum
GFCD	Global Fund for Cities Development				
GLTN	Global Land Tool Network				
GWOPA	Global Water Operators Partnership Alliance				
HUWSUP	Hargeisa Urban Water Supply Upgrading Project				

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# FOREWORD



In particular, the Global Activities Report 2017 pays tribute to the partnerships we have established in support of the New Urban Agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals to pursue a better urban future for all. I also take this opportunity to reiterate our commitment to further refine and strengthen our tools and systems to support member States in implementing the New Urban Agenda and other global agreements.



I am delighted to present UN-Habitat's Global Activities Report (GAR) 2017. This mandatory information document is prepared for each Governing Council. The present report, which covers activities since the last Governing Council in April 2015, aims to share updates of the delivery of our programmes at the global, regional and national levels.

Over the past two years, we have witnessed growing recognition of urbanization as an engine of sustainable development. In 2016, the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development (also known as "Habitat III") approved the New Urban Agenda (NUA) as a means to re-address the way cities and human settlements are planned, designed, financed, developed, governed, and managed. Earlier in 2015, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), including Goal 11 on 'making cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable', had been adopted by the international community in support of the same vision. Other important recent global agreements, including the "Paris Agreement" and

This report is subdivided into two major parts. Part I of the document highlights some of the global initiatives and partnerships that were developed or expanded in 2015-2016 to illustrate the range of thematic areas covered by UN-Habitat within its mandate, and in the execution of its focal point role in the area of housing and sustainable urban development. These global initiatives focus on supporting countries and cities in their aim to establish the foundation for harnessing the power of urbanization for sustainable development, peace and security and human rights, ensuring that no-one and no space is left behind.

Further, as the large majority of our work is delivered at the national and local levels, Part II of this report sheds light on our regional commitments and strategic partnerships. It also addresses selected country activities undertaken by the Agency to implement its Strategic Plan 2014-2019, and to support the early implementation of the NUA and the 2030 Development Agenda. While UN-Habitat's Annual Reports for 2015 and 2016

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