

On behalf of the Republic of Poland I am honoured to address the 51st session

of the Commission on Population and Development devoted to *Sustainable cities, human mobility and international migration*.

At the beginning, let me congratulate you, Mister Chairman, on your election as President of the 51st Session of the Commission, and other members of the Bureau on their election

Further SRD's strategic projects responding to the problems of sustainable urban development are the *Action Package supporting self-government institutions in*

cities losing social and economic functions. The second addresses challenges of the 122 cities with identified development challenges, which hinder the development of those cities and surrounding areas.

Additionally, Poland is actively involved in European Union initiatives, such as *Urban Agenda of the EU.* We also implement the instrument of *Integrated Territorial*

migration processes.

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