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I have the honour to deliver this statement on behalf of the EU and its

... which were established and to address

... now, so that the agenda would be clear from the beginning

following comments:

More specifically on the elements paper itself, we have the

two previous informal consultations, we firmly believe that the arrangements

... should build on Monterrey

Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia continue to be part of the Stabilisation and Association

The former Yugoslav

have a number of EFTA and the European Economic Area

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We continue to value the conceptual framework of Monterrey that, even at the time even  
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The outcome of the conference should result in an updated framework that takes into account the  
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In conclusion we reaffirm the importance we attach to means of implementation and a new global  
partnership for the success of the post 2015 framework, and acknowledge that, in light of this, regardless  
of the chosen date for this conference, there needs to be an opportunity to discuss financing, means of  
implementation and related issues comprehensively. We also acknowledge the importance of other  
international negotiations and the need to consider how these will relate to our discussions on sustainable  
development financing. We look forward to a constructive and open dialogue with all stakeholders on  
our financing for development and to summit the UNFCCC. We will continue to discuss  
development agenda beyond 2015.

Thank you