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PLEDGE NUMBER 1: UNDP will introduce and roll-out a human rights marker across its corporate programming platform to support rights-based programming for sustainable development to leave no one behind.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: Dec 31, 2025

PLEDGE NUMBER 2: UNDP pledges to support Member States to further integrate human rights and SDG systems in 75 countries by 2030 including through the following actions:

- 1) Strengthening national human rights systems - key indicators of progress, including national human rights institutions, in the SDGs,
- 2) Engaging with stakeholders to uphold the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights as a means of implementation of the SDGs,
- 3) Integrating Human Rights and SDG systems to enhance technical cooperation, complementarity and efficiency between human rights and SDG systems at national level, and
- 4) Supporting rights-based multi-sectoral approaches to HIV and health.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: Jan 1, 2030

PLEDGE NUMBER 3: UNDP pledges to support Member States to operationalize the right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment ('R2HE') in 100 countries by 2030. This will include actions to:

- 1) Integrate the R2HE into the UNDP Nature Pledge, Climate Promise and initiative on critical minerals.
- 2) Implement a Guide on Human Rights Due Diligence and the Environment with 300 businesses.
- 3) Increase access to environmental justice through support to 30 judiciaries.
- 4) Strengthen capacities of 20 National Human Rights Institutions.
- 5) Strengthen capacities of civil society, Indigenous Peoples, and environmental human rights defenders.
- 6) Partner to protect the R2HE with UNEP and OHCHR.