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DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY IN A MULTIPOLAR WORLD

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Prime Minister, Chair of the CVF20, Excellencies, Distinguished Ministers, fellow V20 members, ladies and gentlemen: a multipolar world must be measured not only by the disruption of power and global influence, but by its ability to deliver progress for the people who need it most.

For climate-vulnerable countries, the stakes are profound. We face the growing costs of climate shocks while striving to finance infrastructure, creating jobs, strengthening food security, and improving the lives of our citizens. We cannot be expected to build resilience if the resources required for development remain inaccessible, prohibitively expensive, and too slow to arrive.

Our challenge is not lack of ambition. It is the gap between commitment and delivery. We must, therefore, turn climate vulnerability into a global investment priority, not permanent penalties. This requires affordable long-term finance, strong partnerships.

For Guinea, development means building productive capacity, strengthening resilience, and transforming our natural resources into broad-based priorities. These objectives are important. A multipolar world should, therefore, give developing countries not that a wider choice of partners. It should give them greater capacity to shape priorities and negotiate fairer terms.

Let us move from dialogue to delivery, from vulnerability to resilience. I thank you for your kind attention.

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