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General Assembly with NGO's
Geneva, 15th of June 2022

Dear Human Beings,
Mister President,

The Nonkilling principle is a beacon of hope for all individuals
and the mere expression of the right to life.

We thank you for holding the High-Level session of the General
Assembly on financing peace as mandated by the sustaining
peace resolution. We are convinced that dedicating more
resources for the promotion of peace will facilitate its progress,
and in due time its completion.

We would be very happy to receive news from you about the
process and to know if the proposal to make assessed payments
for the PeaceBuilding Fund from the regular budget of the UN
has been or will be approved by the fifth committee.

We took a while during this important process to explore further
the possibilities of NGO participation in New York.
We find ourselves privileged to be able to participate here in
Geneva, and we will also always welcome improvements,
including ways for NGO's to participate, remotely from Geneva,
to the important works of the United Nations in New York and
worldwide.

We thank you, Mister President.