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Regional Body	Name	Title
African Union	H.E. Prof. Mohammed Belhocine	Commissioner for Education, Science, Technology & Innovation
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Armenia	Mr. Artur Martirosyan	Deputy Minister of Education, Science, Culture and Sport
Bangladesh	Mr. Kazi Ehsanul Haque	Deputy Chief of Mission of Bangladesh Embassy in Paris
Benin	H.E. Mr. Salimane Karimou	Minister of Pre-primary and Primary Education
Brazil	Ms. Maria Laura da Rocha	Secretary-General of Foreign Affairs
Brazil	Ms. Fernanda Pacobahyba	Vice-Minister of Education and President of the National Fund for Educational Development
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Cambodia	H.E. Dr. Hang Chuon Naron	Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Education, Youth and Sport
Cameroun	Dr Alain Mathieu Doko Edjiane	Director of Finance, Ministry of Education
Chad	H.E. Mr. Tahir Hamid Ngulin	Minister of Finance, Budget and Public Account
Colombia	Mr. Luis Fernando Correa	Director, School Feeding Unit, Ministry of Education
Congo (DRC)	H.E. Prof. Tony Mwaba Kazadi	Minister of primary, secondary and technical education
Cote d'Ivoire	H.E. Mr. Seydou Cisse	Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Cote d'Ivoire to the Rome-based UN Agencies
Cuba	H.E. Ms. Yahima Esquivel Moynelo	Ambassador of Cuba to UNESCO
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Egypt		Embassy of Egypt to France

¹ This list is based on the confirmations received through the School Meals Coalition Secretariat. If you have any suggestions or corrections, please write to global.smcsecretariat@wfp.org

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France	H.E. Ms. Catherine Colonna	Minister of European Affairs
France	H.E. Ms. Chrysoula Zacharopoulou	Minister of State for Development
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Honduras	H.E. Ms. Xiomara Castro	President of the Republic of Honduras
Honduras	H.E. Mr. Jose Carlos Cardona Erazo	Minister of Social Development
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Japan	Mr. Hosaka Yasushi	Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs
Kenya	H.E. Sakaja Arthur Johnson	Governor of Nairobi City County
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