

STATEMENT BY HIS EXCELLENCY PERKS LIGOYA, PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF MALAWI TO THE UNITED
NATIONS AND CHAIR OF THE LDCs DURING THE LLDCS SIDE EVENT OF
THE 2021 FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

April 12, 2021

The Under Secretary General of the UN Office of the High Representative
for LDCs, LLDCs and the SIDs;

H. E. Mr. Serdarov Muhammedgeldi, Minister of Finance and Economy of
Turkmenistan;

Ambassador Magzhan Llyassov PR of Kazakhstan and Chairperson of the
Group of LLDCs;

Excellencies;

Distinguished delegates;

Chairperson,

! Let me begin my remarks by thanking you Chair

! Various reports indicate that groups of countries in special situations including the LLDCs, LDCs as well as the SIDs continue to face a lot of

in special situations. This approach will ensure that the “Leave no one behind” principle of the Agenda 2030 is put into practice.

! In this regard, Malawi would like to join the call on the international financial institutions, the UN system and all our development partners to prioritize the needs of the LLDCs to help them recover better from the COVID-19 pandemic.

! Malawi also fully supports the five recommendations highlighted by you chair in your remarks. We believe they will help the LLDCs to achieve the objectives of the VPoA as well as the 2030 Agenda if implemented.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!