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Your Holiness,

On behalf of this delegation, the International Federation of Accountants, and the accountancy profession worldwide, thank you for arranging this special audience.

May I present this delegation from the International Federation of Accountants, representing over 2.5 million accountants in 130 countries.

Our vision is that the global accountancy profession be a valuable leader in the development of strong and sustainable organizations, financial markets, and economies.

We know about Your Holiness's concerns for the common good and we share those concerns. We are devoted to serving the public interest, and we believe that the accountancy profession has an important role to play in the economy—which supports society.

Once again, Your Holiness, we are most grateful for this special audience and very much look forward to your message.