Thank you for the opportunity to ask a question. We appreciate the presentation from the Government of Eritrea.

We have 3 questions:

What modalities did your government adopt to ensure meaningful participation of rightsholder groups, particularly those most affected by development challenges, in the elaboration of the VNR? What plans does the Government of Eritrea have to follow- up on the presentation of the VNR at national and subnational levels after the HLPF?

What are the primary obstacles faced by your country in advancing progress towards sustainable development, including the necessary socio-economic transformation that is entailed with it?

What global trade, monetary, and financial impediments have you identified to the implementation of the SDG agenda? What global systemic reforms may help advance progress within your country?