



# BIODIVERSITY DAY 22 MAY



“Building a shared future for all life, entails shared responsibility and a whole of society mechanism. The new CBD framework to be agreed at COP15, must turn into the guiding star to achieve this shared future for all, and collective action should be the pillar for its immediate implementation. As co-chair/facilitator of the Friends of Action group, supporting the Sharm El-Sheik to Kunming Nature Action Agenda we stand ready to work together with Parties and all stakeholders, to reverse nature loss. Only through transparency, shared trust and credibility can we change course and leverage the only and short window of opportunity we have in this decade, we can't afford to lose it.”

Manuel Pulgar-Vidal, the Chair of the Friends of Action Group to the Action Agenda, the Global Leader of Climate and Energy, World Wildlife Fund (WWF) and former Minister of the Environment of Peru

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