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General debate: actions for the further implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development at the global, regional and national levels

Draft decision submitted by the Chair of the Commission

Special themes for the fifty-fourth and fifty-fifth sessions of the Commission on Population and Development

The Commission on Population and Development, recalling its decisions 2018/101 and 2019/101 and in the light of the extraordinary circumstances occasioned by the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, decides that the special themes for its fifty-fourth session, in 2021, and its fifty-fifth session, in 2022, shall be, respectively, “Population, food security, nutrition and sustainable development” and “Population and sustainable development, in particular sustained and inclusive economic growth”.

