The General Assembly,

1. Having examined Document WHC/21/23.GA/9,
3. Welcomes the continuous progress in the performance of the implementation of the Strategic Action Plan;
4. Takes note of the reflection undertaken on the Global Strategy using the opportunity of the 50th Anniversary of the World Heritage Convention in 2022;
5. Takes note of the status of preparation of the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the World Heritage Convention and invites States Parties to mark this anniversary in collaboration with UNESCO and use this opportunity to enhance the implementation of the World Heritage Convention and the protection of the world’s cultural and natural heritage recognizing its enduring and irreplaceable value for furthering sustainable development and for biological and cultural diversity worldwide;
6. [Norway] Recognizes the important role of civil society and communities in promoting and implementing the Convention, and encourages to undertake a reflection on how to strengthen their involvement and contribution;

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6.7. Acknowledges with thanks the invitation of the government of Italy and the City of Florence to host a celebration for the 50th Anniversary in November 2022 in partnership with UNESCO;

7.8. Concludes that the Strategic Action Plan has led to positive outcomes and encourages the World Heritage Centre, with the support of the States Parties and the Advisory Bodies, to continue, within the available resources, activities that were launched as a result of the Strategic Action Plan.