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Thank you,

Good afternoon dear ladies, gentleman, and distinguished guests.

I'm really honored to be here representing the private sector of the Czech Republic.

PIC1: I'd like to take you on a small journey. Let's now fast forward through time, and imagine our world-to-be. It's the year 2030; a group of young people is discussing how their world is a great place to live, full of harmony and peace. They find themselves feeling proud and inspired by the previous generation, wishing to continue in this legacy. Whom were they talking about? Well, ladies and gentlemen... it was actually us.

PIC2: It was the brave individuals who woke up every single day with one question in mind: "How will the actions I take today contribute to sustainability and positive change of tomorrow?"

We see many inspiring organizations in the Czech Republic that have incorporated sustainable values into their core business and have a positive impact.

This is why we are very grateful that our government has taken active steps towards the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, as well for our involvement in defining the strategic framework for the Czech Republic 2030. Group synergy between NGOs, government, businesses and citizens has begun.

PIC3: Practically speaking, our company mission is to accelerate the transition of linear waste management systems to a system based on circular economy principles. On this mission, we've learnt that cooperation with local authorities, involvement of citizens and using innovations are crucial aspects that bring massive change. We have cooperated with hundreds of municipalities where bio-waste separation was a first step, continuing with increased recycling and waste prevention strategies. All of them will manage their waste much more effectively by 2030. In fact, they will be using 80 % of their waste as a resource.

PIC4: We believe that local actions contribute to global results and thanks to these actions we contribute to the decreasing of greenhouse gas emissions.

We consider all the entities mentioned *to be* AMBASSADORS OF CHANGE. Let's keep the determination and desire towards the implementation of Agenda 2030 and let's make it happen.

Thank you so much for your attention.

