

Speaking notes tbv gesprekken

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- The development of a safe and effective COVID-19 vaccine is one of the highest priorities.
- We are very happy with the global initiatives that have already been initiated, and the pledges countries have made.
- In addition to that, we see that several countries are investing in the development and production of vaccines on a national level.
- We welcome such initiatives, since we believe they contribute to increasing global capacity;
- Increasing capacity and ensuring access to vaccines are key to effectively fight this pandemic
- We therefore feel it is also important to join forces.
- With regard to this we would like to know if you are willing to cooperate further in the realization of production capacity, by a joint investment in promising initiatives that would be willing to work with a number of countries in building extra production capacity, given the very strong demand in case of success.
- There are several initiatives we would like to discuss in this regard, and are also very interested in the opportunities that you see.

