



The Remarks of the Delegation of the Republic of Azerbaijan

The 13th session of HRC UPR Working Group

The review of Algeria

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Mr. President,

Azerbaijan welcomes the Delegation of Algeria to the 13th session of the UPR Working Group headed by H.E. We studied with interest all relevant documents prepared for this review and we thank the Government of Algeria for the information on the implementation of the recommendations accepted after its first review.

We note that in October 2010 the Sub-Committee on Accreditation (SCA) confirmed the B status of the National Consultative Commission for the promotion and protection of the human rights and we align ourselves with the recommendations expressed by some UN treaty bodies to strengthen the National Consultative Commission and to bring it fully into line with the Paris Principles and ensure its independent functioning.

We commend the cooperation of the Algerian Government with the UN special procedures and treaty bodies.

We congratulate the Government on the efficient policy measures in the sphere of the promotion and protection of women's rights being realized during last 10 years and referring to the para 58 of the National Report we would like to address the following questions: Has the National Center for the analysis, information and documentation on the family, women and children affairs already been established and if yes, have the priorities of this Center defined and what are these priorities?

I thank you.