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**Intervention of Bangladesh on UPR of Luxembourg**

Thank you Mr. President,

My delegation would like to welcome H.E. Nicolas Schmit, Minister of Labour, Employment and Immigration and his delegation at the Working Group for UPR for the 2<sup>nd</sup> cycle of Review. We thank the delegation for the informative presentation on the human rights situation in the country.

My delegation has noted with appreciation various actions taken by the government of Luxembourg in promoting and protecting human rights in the country. We commend Luxembourg for actions taken to sensitize children on peace, and different aspects of poverty. We have also noted with appreciation the ratification of CRPD.

Mr. Vice President,

My delegation would however, like to flag some areas of concern. We are concerned at the decrease of development assistance. We have also noted that the UNHCR expressed concerns about the family reunification procedure in Luxembourg.

Mr. President, my delegation would like to make the following recommendations for the delegation of Luxembourg:

1. To bring ODA up to the internationally committed 0.7% of GDP. And
2. To ensure that family reunification takes place without undue delay.