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Questions-Recommendations by Greece

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Thank you M. President,

Greece would like to welcome the delegation of Romania to the 15th session of the UPR Working Group. We express our appreciation for the country's efforts to implement most of the recommendations of the first cycle and welcome the many positive developments in the country.

We have the following questions and recommendations:

- 1. Regarding the issue of human trafficking we acknowledge with appreciation the many positive efforts of the Government of Romania to address this problem by adopting several laws and actions such as the project "Strengthening the capacity of judicial authorities for investigating the cases of human trafficking" or the tool "Protocol of cooperation on the coordination of human trafficking victims in criminal proceeding". We would like to ask the Romanian delegation to elaborate on the results of their actions and share best practices with this Council. We recommend that Romania continue the good work in this area.
- 2. We recognize the commitment of the Government to promote the rights of persons with disabilities and we recommend that Romania intensify efforts in this field.
- 3. Finally, we note with appreciation the existence of several actions regarding human rights education and training and would like to ask for the delegation's evaluation of these actions.

Thank you M. President