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Periodic Review

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Mr. President,

The Republic of Angola welcomes the delegation of the Republic of Djibouti, led by HE Mr

Angola appreciates the detailed information provided in national report on the implementation of the accepted recommendations and the developments on the normative and institutional framework for the promotion and protection of human rights. Since the last report in the first cycle of the UPR in 2009, Djibouti has ratified several international instruments on human rights, which Angola welcomes.

My delegation commends the establishment of an independent body responsible for ensuring the rights of children and the adoption of the National Strategic Action Plan for Children and a National Gender Policy (2011-2021).

In addition, Angola acknowledges the political reforms undertaken by the Government of Djibouti, following the recommendations of the first UPR which led to the adoption of important decisions including the national strategy for wastewater management in urban areas and reform of its National Human Rights Commission in accordance with Paris Principles.

However, some challenges remain, particularly in the development of synergy among the sectors involved in the promotion and protection of human rights.

Angola recommends the international community to heed the country's request for capacity building and technical assistance in the in area of human rights.

I Thank you.

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