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UPR of CHAD

Mr. President,

Slovenia would like to thank the delegation of Chad for the national report, its presentation today and their commitment to the UPR process. Slovenia would like to commend Chad for extending the standing invitation to all special procedures.

With regard to children and armed conflict we would like to encourage Chad to continue to implement the action plan signed in June 2011 and in this regard **recommend** taking all the necessary measures to prevent recruitment and use of children, including the criminalisation of such acts.

We are concerned on the reports that sexual and gender-based violence remains significantly underreported and that culture of impunity persists. Slovenia would like to **recommend** to Chad to carry out awareness-raising campaigns on sexual and gender-based violence, as recommended by the UNHCR, and ensure that all the reported cases receive an adequate response.

Thank you.