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**Statement by Angola at the Universal Periodic Review of China, 17th
Session (22nd October 2013)**

Mr. President,

Angola warmly welcomes the delegation of China to the UPR led by H.E Ambassador Wu Hailong, Special Envoy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Angola appreciates the detailed informative report which describes the developments on the normative and institutional framework for the promotion and protection of human rights by China since the first UPR cycle. To name just few of them, I would like to refer to:

- a) Strengthening the Human rights mechanisms, including the drafting and implementation of a National Human Rights Action Plan for 2012-2015;
- b) Improvement on social indicators, including in fields of education, healthcare, extreme poverty reduction and access to affordable housing.

My delegation presents the following recommendations for the consideration of the China delegation:

1. Further improve the unemployment insurance, and elevate the level of unified planning for unemployment insurance funds;
2. Prevent and treat diseases, and popularize knowledge in the prevention and treatment of chronic diseases;
3. Continue the country policies in the field of international cooperation in order to assist the efforts made by other countries to fulfil the right to development.

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I Thank you Mr. President.

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