

Statement by Tajikistan Delegation
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Thank you Mr. President.

We welcome the distinguished delegation of the People Republic of China and would like to express our appreciation for their comprehensive and detailed report.

We wish to note the significant progress made by China in promoting and protecting human rights. We positively assess China's efforts in strengthening the legal and institutional framework for human rights, increasing the level of social protection, education and health.

At present, China is closer than ever to full implementation of its concept of "putting people first" and made it the main principle in its daily management.

We recommend :

- To continue measures to further economic and social development of Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region, to protect the right to freedom of religion and belief as well as to maintain stability in this autonomous region.

Thank you.