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Mr. President,

My delegation would like to welcome the delegation of Cambodia and thank them for delivering an update report on the situation of human rights in the country since 1st December 2009.

We also praise the broad consultations of the government of Cambodia with the concerned ministries and departments, civil society and relevant stakeholders in the process of the preparation of the Report.

We also recognize the magnitude of Cambodia's efforts and commitment to the promotion and protection of human rights, including the ratification of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD).

Mr. President,

Taking into account the efforts made by Cambodia, my delegation would like to make the following recommendations:

1- To improve its efforts on child protection system, particularly children belonging to marginalized and disadvantaged groups,

2- To intensify its endeavours to implement effectively the Law on Promotion and Protection of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities,

3- To continue its efforts on health, social service system and education in order to help the vulnerable and disabled people particularly those of women and children.

Finally, my delegation recommends that the working group adopts the report of UPR of Cambodia.

Thank you.