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Questions-Recommendations by Greece

Thank you M. President,

Greece would like to extend a very warm welcome to the delegation of Portugal to the 19th session of the UPR Working Group headed by H.E.

We would like to commend Portugal for being in the frontline for the promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights and would like to underline the tireless efforts of the Permanent Mission in Geneva regarding the recent successful adoption of the relevant resolution during the 25th HRC session. Could the delegation share with us recent policies adopted in this field? We recommend that Portugal continue efforts in the promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights.

We recognize all the positive developments regarding women's rights. What measures has Portugal taken to combat discrimination against women at places of work? Could you share with us more concrete information on the participation of women in the public life? We recommend that Portugal continue to take measures in promoting women's participation in political affairs.

Finally, we would like to wish the delegation of Portugal a successful and fruitful UPR.

Thank you M. President