

**UZBEKISTAN**

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**Statement by the Delegation of the Republic of Uzbekistan**

We warmly welcome the distinguished delegation of Angola and thank them for presenting the national report under the second cycle of the Universal Periodic Review .

We commend the progress made by Angola in the protection and promotion of human rights since the first review.

In particular, we welcome the adoption of a new Constitution which guarantees the rights and freedoms in accordance with international standards, the reform of the justice system as well as the accession of Angola to a number of key international instruments in the field of fight against torture, racial discrimination, transnational organized crime, protection of the rights of persons with disabilities.

Our delegation makes the following recommendations :

1. Continue efforts to improve standards of living, ensure broad public access to quality education and health services;
2. Increase efforts to promote human rights culture in the country.

Thank you for your attention .