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Thank you, Mr. President,

Welcoming the delegation of Egypt
~~First of all, Mozambique~~ congratulates Egypt for the report. |

Chair,

Egypt had to implement part of the 119 recommendations she had accepted from the first cycle of the UPR in 2010, under the spectrum of the developments that led to the two popular revolutions the country went through, with their attendant challenges.

My delegation
~~Mozambique~~ commends Egypt for having found room to receive and interact with the Special *Rapporteur* on trafficking in persons, in 2010. We take note of the outstanding invitations, extended to 4 other Special *Rapporteurs*, inter alia, on sale of children; promotion of truth and justice; foreign debt and human rights; and violence against women.

Egypt should be praised for the efforts deployed in the process of redefining the concept of torture of Her ~~Penal~~ *Penal* Code, so as to conform it to the Convention Against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the country is party to.

Thank you Chair!

Juvenal Dengo