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Serbia welcomes the esteemed delegation of Kenya and we thank them for the presentation of their National Report. We congratulate Kenya for their commitment to the protection of human rights as demonstrated in their National Policy and Action Plan on Human Rights.

We endorse the ongoing endeavors to improve the **situation of children** in Kenya and we encourage further efforts especially in regards to preventing early child marriages and female genital mutilations. We recommend Kenya to conform the juvenile justice system to be in accordance with international standards so as to prevent children from being legally accountable in courts.

Concerning the **rights of women** and, specifically the decreasing number of women in decision making bodies, we recommend instituting administrative measures to secure the equitable representation and participation of women in governance.

Additionally, with respect to the **right to health**, we recommend to the government of Kenya to take measures towards the adherence to the WHO standards on health service delivery. We encourage the government to invest further efforts in preventive care so as to improve the health of the general population and to reduce the incidents of non-communicable diseases.

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