

**Albanian Statement
on UPR-Myanmar**

Mr. President,

Albania welcomes the delegation of Myanmar for presenting their comprehensive national report today.

We would like to commend the progress made by the Myanmar Government for implementing the priorities for the current 5 Year Plan intended to reach the same level with other developing countries by 2020, within the Framework for Economic and Social Reform.

Albanian congratulates also the measures of the Myanmar Government to become a signatory to the remaining international human rights treaties including the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhumane or Degrading Treatment or Punishment.

While encouraging the Myanmar Government for further improvements with regard to Human Rights, Albania has the following recommendations:

1. To strengthen efforts regarding the effective measures on the registration of all children born in Myanmar without any discrimination;
2. To undertake the appropriate measures to prevent and combat domestic violence and sexual violence committed by military personnel and police officers against young girls and adolescents.

Albanian would once again wish Myanmar Government a successful review session.

Thank you!

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