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Statement by Myanmar Delegation

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Mr. President,

My delegation warmly welcomes the high-level delegation of Mozambique led by the Minister of Justice, Constitutional and Religious Affairs. We thank them for their comprehensive national report.

We commend Mozambique's strong commitment to improving gender equality and the advancement of women, especially the participation of women in the political system. We are also delighted to note that Mozambique has adopted a series of measures to eliminate discrimination against women and to protect women from trafficking, sexual abuse and gender-based violence.

My delegation would like to make the following recommendations.

- Continue its efforts to increase the percentage of women in decision-making positions;
- Strengthen measures to eliminate gender-based violence against women.

Finally, Mr. President, we wish Mozambique a successful UPR.

I thank you, Mr. President.