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Brazil welcomes the delegation of the Kingdom of Swaziland to the second cycle of the UPR.

We commend positive developments such as the implementation of the Free Primary Education programme, as well as achievements concerning the protection of the right to health, especially regarding the fight against HIV/AIDS.

In a spirit of cooperation, and recalling the challenges still faced by the country, particularly in the areas of discrimination against people with albinism; rights of children and adolescents; forced labour; freedom of expression; and freedom of assembly, Brazil would like to recommend that Swaziland:

(1) Adopt specific legislation criminalizing torture;

(2) Strengthen policies on violence against women by means of effective complaint mechanisms and legal and social counseling;

Finally, Brazil would like to express its appreciation for the establishment of the national Human Rights Commission and for the ratification of core treaties since the first cycle, such as the CRPD and its Optional Protocol.