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**Bangladesh statement on UPR of United Republic of Tanzania**

Thank you Mr. President.

I welcome the delegation of United Republic of Tanzania to the intergovernmental working group on UPR.

We are happy to note various improvements and progresses made in Tanzania. Progresses made in the areas of access to health care services through budget increase, ensuring rights of women and Persons with disabilities, and initiatives to curb Violence against women and children are noteworthy. We are also happy to note that education remains a top priority for the Government of Tanzania.

Mr. President, we acknowledge the difficulties and challenges Tanzania faces as an LDC in fulfilling its aspirations to promote and protect human rights in the country. The challenges have rendered areas that are of concern to the international community. Treaty bodies have expressed concern at the lack of full access to education and indirect costs in primary education. CRC noted with concern the increasing number of children living without parental care. In view of the above, my delegation recommends that Tanzania Considers to –

1. take measures necessary to protect the rights of children deprived of a family environment and strengthens support to biological families to prevent out-of-home placements; and
2. allocates sufficient resources to improve the geographic accessibility of schools.

Thank you.