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Georgia welcomes the Delegation of Cuba and thanks H.E. Minister Parilla for the presentation of the national report.

Georgia positively assesses work carried out for the protection of the rights of the children and youth, in particular, adoption of the Policy on Comprehensive Support for Children, Adolescents and Youth in 2023.

Georgia also values Cuba's efforts to promote the rights of people with disabilities, including the establishment of the Association of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities.

With this, Georgia would like recommend to Cuba:

* To reinforce efforts aimed at preventing and combating gender-based and domestic violence.
* To speed up the implementation of the National Action Plan on Support for Persons with Disabilities.

We wish the Delegation of Cuba successful UPR.