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**Review of Germany**

**Statement by Greece**

Thank you, Mr. President

Greece welcomes the delegation of Germany to the 4th UPR cycle.

We would like to especially commend Germany on obtaining the status of a Pathfinder Country within Alliance 8.7, on combating forced labour, modern slavery and human trafficking.

Moreover, we commend the efforts made towards the promotion of the interests and needs of young people through the country’s Youth Strategy, planned to be expanded by 2025 by means of a National Action Plan for Child and Youth Participation.

Greece would like to recommend that Germany:

1. Continue adopting and implementing measures on combating structural racism, racist discrimination and ideologies of inequality at all levels of society.
2. Keep up its efforts for the best interests of the child and apply them in all policies, including those related to trafficking and child labour.
3. Continue its efforts to combat all forms of gender-based violence against women and address domestic violence.

We wish the delegation of Germany a successful UPR review.

I thank you.