**KYRGYZ REPUBLIC**

**Statement**

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Thank you, Mr. President.

The Kyrgyz Republic welcomes the delegation of Nigeria, appreciates the engagement in the UPR process and thanks for presentation of the national report.

We recommend:

1. allocate sufficient resources for the implementation of the National Action Plan to Combat Trafficking in Persons in Nigeria for 2022-2026, aimed at preventing and combating trafficking in persons, especially women and children;
2. continue to increase efforts to reform the criminal justice system by strengthening the legal and institutional framework;
3. make efforts to increase women's participation in political and public spheres.

We wish Nigeria all success for its review.

I thank you!