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**Statement by Slovakia**

30 April 2024

Thank you Mr. Vice-President,

Kalimera to the delegation of Cyprus.

Slovakia **welcomes** ratification of almost all International Human Rights Treaties and International and European legal instruments for combating human rights violations of migrants, refugees and asylum seekers.

Slovakia **appreciates** further improvement of the working conditions, the safety and health of all workers, including domestic, as well as informing employers of their legal obligations and workers of their rights.

Slovakia offers following **recommendations** to Cyprus:

1. to adopt and implement the mechanism to guarantee the same **legal protection to domestic workers** as to other residents of the Republic of Cyprus,
2. tocontinue to **involve more women and young people** in public and political life and in the process of rapprochement between the Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities,
3. to **ratify and implement** the Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons and the Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness.

We wish Cyprus a successful review.

Thank you.