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Georgia welcomes the Delegation of Vanuatu and thanks for the presentation of the national report.

We commend the Government of Vanuatu for the work undertaken for strengthening the national human rights protection framework including by developing The National Gender Equality Policy (NGEP) 2021-2030 and The Health Sector Strategy (HSS) 2021-2030.

Georgia also welcomes the meaningful steps taken in addressing gender-based and domestic violence against women

Additionally, we acknowledge the government's efforts to protect and promote the rights of person with disabilities including those aimed at improving access to education for children with disabilities.

With this Georgia would like to recommend to the Government of Vanuatu:

* To sustain efforts for the advancement of the rights of persons with disabilities.
* To proceed with the steps aimed at advancing children’s rights and prevention of all forms of violence against them.

We wish the Delegation of Vanuatu a successful UPR.