**47th session of the UPR Working group**

**Consideration of the UPR report of Costa Rica**

**Statement by Pakistan**

(Geneva, 11 November 2024)

Mr. President,

Pakistan welcomes the delegation of Costa Rica and thanks it for presenting its national report.

In the spirit of constructive engagement, my delegation offers the following recommendations:

1. Reduce the rate of violent crime including murder
2. Enhance access to digital technologies and infrastructure in areas inhabited by communities of African descent
3. Protect victims of human trafficking and sexual exploitation
4. Prosecute those engaged in trafficking women and exploiting them in prostitution
5. Take effective measures to realise the right to development alongside all other human rights

We wish Costa Rica a successful UPR.

Thank you.

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