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**Intervention by Denmark**

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President,

Denmark thanks the delegation of Norway for its presentation.

Denmark acknowledges Norway’s efforts to prevent and combat sexual and gender-based violence and welcomes the action plan “Safety for all 2024-2028”. However, the prevalence of SGBV remains high and underreported. Denmark also appreciates the efforts to ensure the interests of Sami people in national procedures although consultation practices vary.

Denmark recommends Norway to:

*1. Ensure the prompt, full and effective implementation of the action plan “Safety for all 2024-2028”*

*2. Consult and cooperate with the Sami people, through their own representative institutions, to obtain their free and informed consent prior to the approval of any project affecting their lands or territories and other resources.*

Denmark wishes Norway a successful review.

I thank you.