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*Recommendations by Romania*

Thank you, Mr. President.

Romania welcomes the participation of the delegation of the Islamic Republic of Iran to this UPR cycle.

Romania would like to make the following recommendations:

1. Ratify the International Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment; the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and the Second Optional Protocol to the ICCPR, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty.
2. Enact legislation to ban child marriages and raise the minimum age of marriage for girls and boys to 18 years

Romania wishes the Islamic Republic of Iran success in this UPR cycle.