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**Intervention by Romania**

Madam/Mr. President,

Romania would like to thank the delegation of Myanmar for the presentation of its national report. However, we take note of the low level of implementation of the recommendations received under the previous cycle of reporting and regret the dramatic worsening of the human rights situation of ethnic and religious minorities, especially those of the Rohingya.

We recommend Myanmar to:

1. Ensure the protection of the human rights of persons belonging to all ethnic and religious minorities, both in law and practice;

2. Adopt a new inclusive national plan of action for children, in line with the CRC and allocate sufficient resources for its implementation;

3. Ensure operations by businesses are conducted in compliance with domestic laws, multilateral treaties, such as the ICESCR, and international standards.

4. Abolish the death penalty.

We wish a very successful UPR to the delegation of Myanmar.

I thank you.