Statement by the Republic of Lithuania

UPR38 – Denmark

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Thank you, President.

Lithuania warmly welcomes the delegation of Denmark and commends the Danish government for continuously placing human rights at the forefront of the national agenda.

We are pleased to see steps taken to ensure the rights of the child, including the reformed *Family Law System* and focus on the improvement of the quality of the child-protection system.

Lithuania **recommends** Denmark to develop specific poverty reduction measures to protect children living in indigenous communities in Greenland and on the Faroe Islands.

Furthermore, we **recommend** to ratify the *International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance*.

We wish Denmark a successful review.