Statement by the Republic of Lithuania

UPR41 – Poland

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Thank you Mr. Vice-President,

Lithuania appreciates Poland for hosting millions of refugees in the context of Russia’s war of aggression in Ukraine.

We warmly welcome the delegation of Poland and thank it for its National Report.

Lithuania commends the progress made by Poland since the last UPR cycle. In particular, Lithuania welcomes positive steps taken towards achieving gender equality, improving social policy and support for the persons in most vulnerable situations.

To maintain the current momentum and to further strengthen human rights, Lithuania would like to provide Poland with the following recommendations:

* One, continue to pursue gender equality through effective implementation of The National Action Plan for Equal Treatment;
* Two, continue active efforts to combat all forms of violence, especially domestic violence against women and children;
* Three, continue to strengthen action to address the needs of persons with disabilities, including children with disabilities.

We wish Poland every success in this UPR.

I thank you Mr. Vice-President.