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**STATEMENT BY TÜRKİYE**

Mr. President,

We welcome the delegation of Brazil and thank them for the report and presentation.

Türkiye is pleased to observe the developments realized in Brazil since the last review in 2017.

Türkiye recommends Brazil to;

1. Continue efforts for reducing the poverty in the country, especially in the most vulnerable parts of the population, whose living conditions and welfare deteriorated after the COVID-19 pandemic.
2. Continue to implement programs and endeavors aiming at the protection of people of African descent, indigenous people, people with disabilities, women and children in order to ensure equal opportunities to all segments of the population.
3. Address the problem of overcrowded prisons to improve the conditions therein.

We wish Brazil all the success during its fourth UPR.

Thank you.