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The Republic of Serbia welcomes the delegation of Algeria at the UPR’s Session and thanks it for presenting its National Report.

Serbia commends the efforts of Algeria invested in responding to the recommendations from the last UPR process. We note with appreciation the establishment of the Youth High Council as the institutional mechanism that deals with socio-economic, cultural and other needs of this significant part of the population. We commend the efforts on improving and broadening access to health care services as one of the national priorities and the measures taken in the health sector to bring health care services closer to communities. We welcome that the national legislation guarantees equal opportunities to women and men in all areas, especially in the labor market, and giving priority to the measures to strengthen economic integration of women. We commend the equal right to health and education for all the children, regardless of their nationality, situation or status. We further commend incorporating all three dimensions of sustainable development in the Constitution and development policies, as well as implementing a program aimed at improving the living conditions of persons in remote areas and giving them access to basic services.

We would like to recommend to Algeria to ratify the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances, as well as to continue efforts on ensuring the full incorporation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities into domestic legislation. We also encourage it to continue its efforts in taking adequate measures to prevent and reduce maternal and neonatal mortality.

Serbia wishes Algeria a successful and fruitful review process.