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**31st session of the UPR Working group**

**Consideration of the UPR Report of Nigeria**

**Statement by Pakistan**

**(November 6, 2018)**

Mr. President,

Pakistan welcomes the delegation of Nigeria and commends it for a comprehensive presentation of their national report.

We note with appreciation the efforts made by Nigeria for improvement in the effectiveness, accessibility, accountability, transparency and fairness of the justice system. We also commend the development of Economic Recovery and Growth Plan 2017–2020 for improving the social and economic wellbeing of its people.

My delegation recommends the Government of Nigeria to:

1. Continue to mobilize resources and galvanize international support to address the humanitarian crisis occasioned by terrorist activities, especially in the North Eastern part of the country.
2. Sustain its determined efforts in strengthening its legal and institutional frameworks to ensure the full enjoyment of human rights by its people.

We wish Nigeria a successful review.

I thank you Mr. President.