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**Human Rights Council**

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**Review of China**

**6 November 2018**

**Intervention by the delegation of Ukraine**

**Mr President**,

Ukraine commends China’s adherence to the Review process.

We positively note the efforts taken by China, including in line with our 2nd cycle recommendations, to improve the institutional and legislative framework on human rights, in particular a number of national action plans, as well as the adoption of the law on ombudsman.

Ukraine would like to **recommend**:

- to ratify ICCPR and ICPPED;

- to elaborate comprehensive anti-trafficking legislation which provides for criminalization of all forms of trafficking;

- to strengthen cooperation with the HRC special procedures, including receiving visits requested so far.

**Thank you**.