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Georgia welcomes the Delegation of Cambodia and thanks the Head of the Human Rights Committee H.E. Mr. Keofor the presentation of the national report.

We note the adoption of the laws strengthening judiciary system’s independence and encourage the Kingdom of Cambodia to continue reform process in this direction

We positively view the establishment of national anti-torture independent mechanism which works in line with OPCAT and cooperates with the UN Sub-Committee against Torture in the Asia-Pacific. We encourage the Government to further expand the cooperation with the United Nations.

Georgia appreciates that the Royal Government has taken steps to protect rights of persons with disabilities in line with National Disability Strategic plan,

 Georgia would like to recommend to the RGC:

* To accelerate procedures for the adoption of the draft law on the Establishment of the National Human Rights Institution in accordance with the Paris Principles
* To intensify efforts to combat trafficking in persons, including children and women

We wish the Delegation of Cambodia a successful UPR.