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**Statement**

**delivered by Mr. Emin Aslanov, First Secretary of the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the UN Office and other International Organizations in Geneva**

**05 November 2019**

Thank you, Mr. Vice-President,

Azerbaijan welcomes the distinguished delegation of the Plurinational State of Bolivia and expresses its gratitude for presentation of their national report.

Azerbaijan appreciates Bolivia’s commitment to the Universal Periodic Review process and welcomes the progress achieved in implementation of the recommendations Bolivia has received during its 2nd UPR.

We take positive note of information that Basic Services in the country has improved due to the increased public investment leading to significant poverty reduction.

Azerbaijan offers the following recommendations to Bolivia:

* take further measures to ensure women empowerment;
* intensify efforts to provide access to public services to all;
* continue taking measures to increase access to early childhood education.

Azerbaijan wishes Bolivia a successful UPR.

I thank you.