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Statement by HE Ms. Iruthisham Adam,  
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Thank you Mr President,

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The Maldives welcomes Uzbekistan's commitment to cooperating with international human rights instruments and mechanisms, including the UPR.

The Maldives takes positive note of the consideration and acceptance of recommendations on various areas, including socio-economic issues. The Maldives appreciates Uzbekistan's commitment to strengthen the institutional framework of human rights promotion and protection. We look forward to continuing to work together in the Human Rights Council on the full range of human rights issues.

We hope that the progress achieved in the implementation of the recommendations during the first cycle of the UPR mechanism as well as the accepted recommendations from the second cycle would continue to enhance the promotion and protection of human rights in Uzbekistan.

I thank you.