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Thank you, Mr. President,

The Maldives warmly welcomes the distinguished delegation of Czechia to the adoption of the UPR Report and we commend Czechia for their commitment to the UPR process in the promotion and protection of human rights.

My delegation notes with appreciation that Czechia has accepted both the recommendations made by the Maldives to strengthen the office of the Ombudsperson and accelerate progress towards establishing a national human rights institution and to further strengthen efforts to combat violence against women and raise awareness on available assistance and protection.

We wish Czechia every success in the implementation of the accepted recommendations and requests the Council to adopt the UPR outcome report by consensus.

I thank you, Mr. President.