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Intervention by H.E. Ambassador Kurt Jäger Permanent Representative of Liechtenstein

Liechtenstein welcomes the delegation of Syria and wishes to thank for the information provided in the introductory statement and in the national report.

In a constructive spirit, Liechtenstein recommends, based on information provided in the OHCHR's report, that Syria

- 1. Cooperate with the *International, Impartial and Independent Mechanism* to assist in the investigation and prosecution of persons responsible for the most serious crimes under International Law committed in the Syrian Arab Republic,
- 2. Halt deliberate attacks against humanitarian aid workers, in particular grant humanitarian actors unrestricted access to vulnerable communities and detention facilities as well as implement all UN Security Council resolutions related to humanitarian assistance,

- 3. Stop enforced disappearances, abductions, arbitrary arrests and detention, the denial of fair trial, extrajudicial executions, the use of sexual and gender-based violence and all forms of torture,
- 4. Adopt a national action plan to combat child labour, sexual exploitation of children, prohibit corporal punishment of children in all circumstances as well as child marriages,

We thank you.