



Statement by
the Republic of Slovenia

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Mr President,

We encourage Djibouti to further strengthen its efforts to promote rights of women, especially by introducing legislative measures and raising awareness on issues such as violence against women, child marriage, female genital mutilation, gender equality and others.

Slovenia commends the adoption of the 2015 Child Protection Code. We encourage Djibouti to ensure its full implementation and to continue adopting policies concerning children, particularly concerning birth registration, violence against children, sexual abuse of children, juvenile justice and street children.

Slovenia would like to repeat its recommendations from the 2nd cycle of the UPR, which have been accepted by the State under review, however, they remain to be implemented, and would like to recommend to Djibouti to:

1. Ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention Against Torture,
2. Ratify the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide

I thank you!