

Madame Chair,

I have the honor to speak on behalf of the African Group on agenda item

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The Group notes that the resources proposed for 2019 for the 11 continuing

Our Group continues to place to emphasis on the importance of the utilising regional knowledge and expertise benefiting from the comparative advantage of regional and sub-regional organizations in solving of conflicts. The Group also continues to stress the importance of using existing in-house capacities as well as Regional and Sub regional organizations as opposed to consultants.

Madame Chair,

We look forward to an amicable conclusion of these Agenda items.

I thank you



