



delivering mandates are firmly rooted. We will also assess the fundamentals of the budget in a continuous effort to improve the transparency, accountability, and performance reporting of the budget. We further note the ACABQ has made some bold recommendations, some that my delegation is inclined to support, such as including indicative estimates of major capital projects in the budget, and others where we have some concerns such as micromanagement of the vacancy rate.

Finally, Mr. Chairman, I would like reemphasize the critical importance of consensus in this committee. My delegation believes we can achieve consensus on even the most contentious issues before us, and we will work closely with colleagues to ensure we preserve the integrity and spirit of the committee in this regard. Thank you very much.