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Mr. Chairman,

In Cluster III, my delegation would like to make a brief comment on the topic of

“predecessor States”, “successor State”, and “date of succession of States”, is the same as those used in articles 2 (b) to (e) of the 1978 Vienna Convention. Our delegation deems it necessary to maintain consistency with the previous work of the Commission on the related topics.

For future work on this topic my delegation would like to provide some comments

My delegation regards the most important matter at this stage will be identifying general rules applicable to this topic. The key issue here is to determine whether

Before closing, my delegation would like to take this opportunity to welcome the upcoming commemoration of the seventieth anniversary of the Commission next year. It is our sincere wish that events to be held in celebration of the anniversary will provide important momentum towards renewing the Commission's initiative in promoting the progressive development of international law and its codification.

I thank you.

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