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Mr. Chairperson.

We are discussing Agenda Item 90 on the *Protection of persons in the event of disasters*, at a time when the world is witnessing an unprecedented number of natural disasters with increasing

In these efforts the Commission recognized the core role that the principles of humanity, neutrality, and impartiality play in humanitarian assistance and disaster response.

I had the opportunity during my tenure on the International Law Commission to...

