

Statement on behalf of Latvia, Estonia, and Lithuania

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Madam Chair,

I have the honour to speak on behalf of the three Baltic states – Latvia, Estonia, and Lithuania.

We align with the statement made by the European Union.

We would like to thank Mr. Mahmoud D Hmoud, the Chair of the International Law Commission, for his presentation of the Commission's report and recent leadership of the ILC, and all the members of the Commission for the stellar quality of its outputs this year. We also express our appreciation to the bureau of the Commission and the Secretariat for the organizational arrangements put in place that allowed the Commission to be convened at its seventy-second session in hybrid format, as well as to everybody involved in the extraordin

tates stated at the Sixth Committee on Agenda item 85 " The Rule of Law at the national and international levels" earlier this month, we welcome the role of the United Nations in promoting the codification and progressive development of international law, notably through the International Law Commission, and are willing to take an active part in this process. The more states engage with the Commission's work and outputs in a serious and robust manner, the more likely it is to fulfil the potential of

