Chairperson,

My delegation aligns itself with the statement delivered by the distinguished representative of the Kingdom of Morocco on behalf of the African Group and the Islamic Republic of Iran on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement.

Chairperson,

Universal Jurisdiction seeks to promote global accountability by obligating

inform the processes of ensuring that Zambia achieves a more robust legal framework in relation to universal jurisdiction.

To make universal jurisdictiona reality, Member States must domesticate applicable Treaties and enact relevant laws. It is imperative to bridge the gap between international law and national law if we are to attain the desired results.

Chairperson,

In this respect, Zambia remains committed to upholding the principles and values enshrined in conventions and treaties to which it is a signatory. We remain committed to cooperate with other like-minded countries to preserve the principle of universal

"consent" and "cooperation" of the states of nationality of the defendants as pre-requisites of