

**STATEMENT of the Kingdom of Morocco on Preamble and Cluster 1 -**

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**Mr. Chair,**

valuable efforts of ILC in preparing the draft articles on Crimes against Humanity.

My delegation aligns itself with the statements made by the African and Arab Groups.

In addition to the observations and remarks submitted by my delegation previously on the draft articles, I would like to make the following additional

The preamble does not specify the limit of States' obligations in light of other international instruments. Therefore, it is recommended:

(1) to define at the level of the preamble, the relationship between the draft articles on the one hand, and the international instruments relating to international

(2) to specify the limits of States' obligations as set out in other instruments relating to international humanitarian law (such as the Geneva Conventions of 1984, the 2 Protocols to the Geneva Conventions, the Rome

Convention on the Liability of States for Damages Caused by Space Objects, the Protocols

provisions on protection of children, women, prisoners and

the position of the Kingdom of Morocco on the draft articles on the important topic of Crimes against Humanity, to which we attach the preamble to peremptory norms

as a matter of fact, subject of consensus given the strongly the debate on the jus cogens

its voice to the numerous other delegations which consider the Draft Articles should enshrine the principles of the

United Nations Charter relating to  
interference in the internal affairs of States.

At the end, I would like to emphasize that the Kingdom of Morocco engages in  
discussions in a positive and open spirit  
to bridge the gaps and hopefully advancing on this important process

**I thank you.**