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Mr. Chairperson, distinguished delegates,

I want to express our great appreciation for the important work this Commission
is carrying out in following up on the commitments made in the

These laws establish the *National Policies for Equality between Men and Women* and for the *Elimination of Violence against Women*. They are supported by mechanisms of inter-institutional linkage and coordination as well

That is why Mexico is pleased that in this session, we are giving priority to addressing the subject of financing to benefit gender equality and women's empowerment. Furthermore, I am certain that the CSW will make major contributions to the process of preparing for the Doha Conference, where the

We also are grateful for the technical assistance of _____
