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Agenda item 6: United Nations development system reform

Mr. President.

We note with satisfaction that UNIDO is making significant progress with respect to reforms in United Nations Development System. UNIDO's collaboration with sister Organizations helped in development of Common Country Assessment and United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Frameworks (UNSDCFs).

General Assembly's objective for introducing reforms in UNDS was to transform the 'development cooperation function' and realize full capacity of UNDS for implementation of the 2030 Agenda.

Mr. President

In face of multifaceted challenges from poverty and hunger to climate change and wars, the UN Organizations need to work in tandem for optimal utilization of resources and to enhance their respective efficiency. It is also important to improve cooperation in the field at working level and at country, regional and at global levels.

Thank you, Mr. President,