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Statement of Guatemala in closing 45th session CPD

Mr. President

We recognize your leadership during this process.

Guatemala, as a member of this commission has joined the consensus around the text of the resolution that you submitted to us. Nevertheless, we would like to make clear that in matter relating to adolescents and youth our policies and terminology will follow the precepts that originate in our constitution and current legislation on the matter. In addition we would like to register the fact that we would have liked the resolution to further elaborate on the fundamental role of the family in promoting the welfare of adolescents and youth.

Thank you.