

**Statement**

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Thank you, Mr. Chair, for giving me the floor.

**Chapter VII**      **Provisional application of treaties**

With regard to Chapter VII on the topic of provisional application of treaties, Thailand wishes to thank the Special Rapporteur for his

Second, that establishing an illustrative list of *jus cogens* may actually hinder the development of *jus cogens* itself, which may and should evolve over time. We would be interested to study the proposals by the Special Rapporteur on this issue in his next report.

Regarding the question of whether or not regional norms of *jus cogens* exist, my delegation is of the view that the acceptance of the existence of regional *jus cogens* would contradict and undermine the notion of *jus cogens* being norms , and therefore would not be possible under international law.

I thank you, Mr. Chair.

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