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Mr. President,

Rule of Law at the national and international level

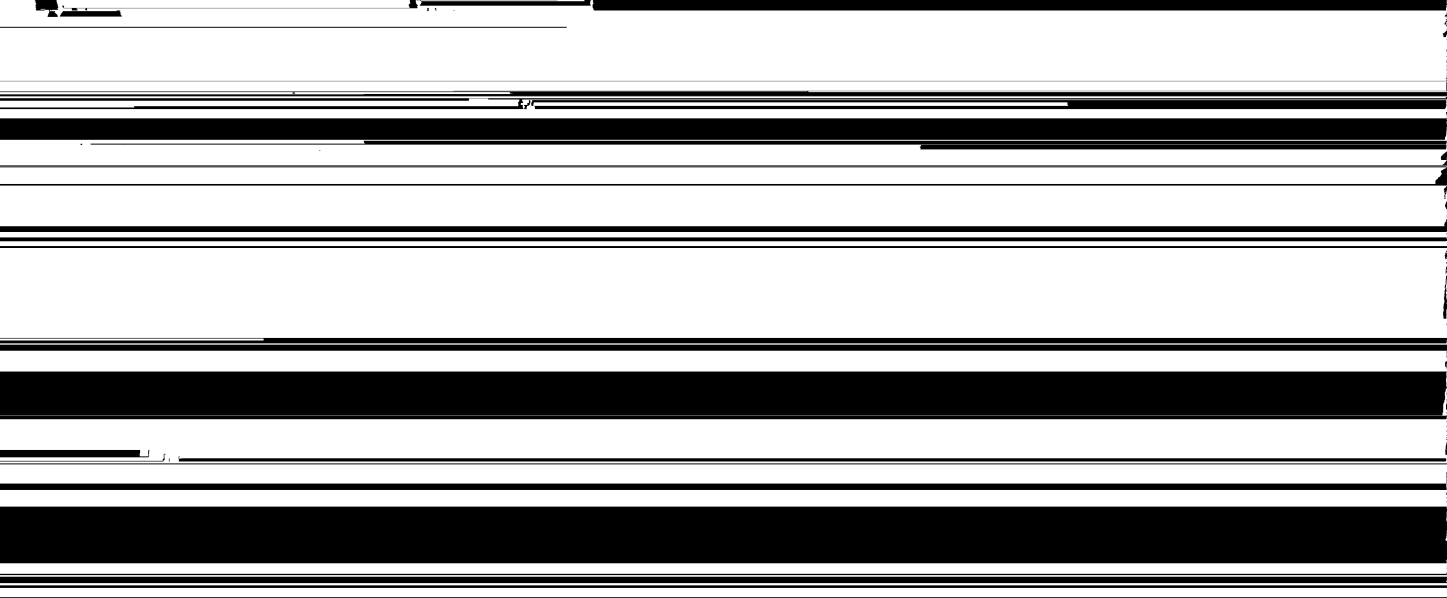
Thank you for giving me the floor Chair,

Let me start by thanking the Assistant Secretary-General for Strategic Coordination in the Executive Office of the Secretary-General, for his briefing this morning. Let me also thank the Secretary-General for his report on 'Strengthening and coordinating United Nations Rule of Law Activities' (A/74/139).

We align ourselves with the statement given by European Union on behalf of the EU and its Member States.

We would like to make some additional comments on:

(1) Strengthening the rule of law at the national level.



(3) Strengthening the rule of law within the United Nations.

including through strengthening the rule of law at national and international levels, that is paragraph 1 of Security Council resolution 2447 (2018).

The Kingdom of the Netherlands is proud that we were able to get the Security Council to

adopt this resolution, decisive for membership of the Council

with a focus on the 14,000 police officers, 305 judicial officers

[Strengthening the rule of law at the international level]

Chair,

As the United Nations Charter states, one of the main tenets of the United Nations is to

save succeeding generations from the scourge of war, which twice in our lifetime has

brought untold sorrows to mankind.

in this report we welcome that the report contains information on the Administration of

Justice. In the next report we would welcome information on the implementation by the