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aims to develop and amend 96 laws in total and to this date, more than 30% of that target has been achieved. This process has been carried out in a transparent, accountable and participatory manner. Over the past years, the Lao PDR has deployed its utmost efforts to fulfill its obligations under the international conventions it is a party to, including customary international law.

On prevention and anti-corruption, the Lao PDR has continued to implement the Plan of Action on Prevention and Anti-corruption 2016-2025, which has been incorporated into the current Five-year National Social Economic Development Plan.

With regard to the sub-topic suggested by the Secretary-General on “using technology to advance access to justice for all”, my delegation is of the view that, in this digital era, the use of digital technology is crucial. In building the rule of law state and ensuring access to justice for all, the Lao Government has attached great importance to development and improvement of digital platforms, which include hot lines, social media, E-Office, information sharing system, mobile applications, among others. For emer11.9906 628.2992c6T -0.0.24 0 0 0.24 11.9906 6 B 58 0