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Cluster II:

Settlement of disputes to which international organizations are parties Subsidiary means for determination of rules of international law

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Now, I would like to turn to the topic of "Subsidiary means for the determination of rules of international law". The Czech Republic welcomes the second report of the Special Rapporteur, Mr. Charles C. Jalloh, and appreciates the work of the Commission on the draft conclusions

We are of the opinion that in the work on the current topic, it is not necessary to produce extensive theoretical studies on this subject. The Czech Republic welcomes the Special general approach to focus on the practical aspects of the use of subsidiary means in order to provide guidance to practitioners and to clarify relevance and, as the case may be, increase the impact of these instruments for the determination of rules of internation al law. We would also support the final outcome in the form of draft conclusions.

We note with interest the adoption of draft conclusions 4 to 8 with commentaries and would like to comment on some of those conclusions.

The draft conclusion 4 paragraph 1

Commission, in its previous commentaries to analogous draft conclusions, emphasised is the quality of the particular writing that matters rather than the reputation of the author , and that regard has to be had, so far as possible,