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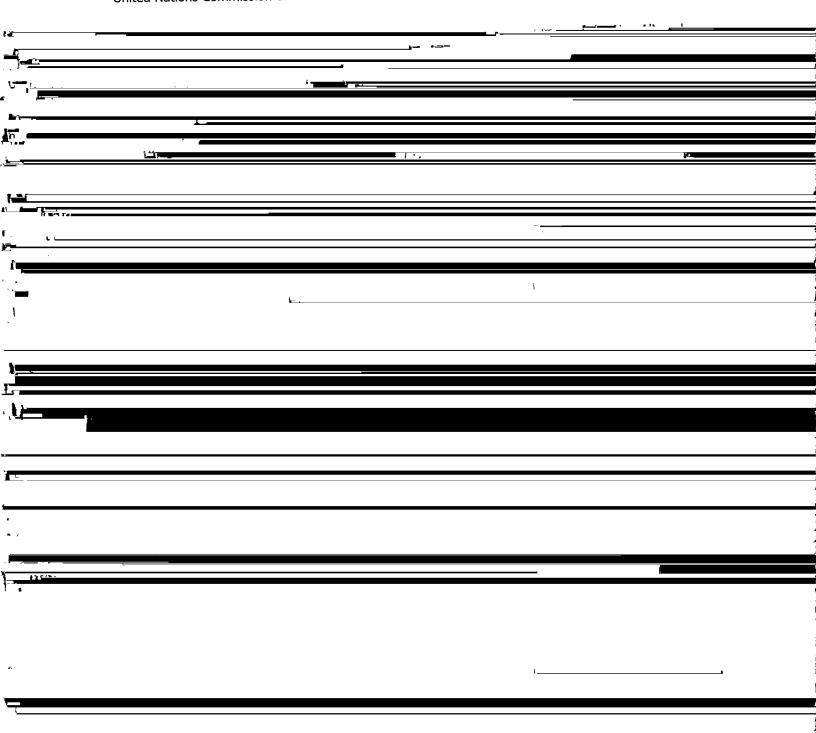
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AT THE

53RD SESSION OF THE COMMISSION ON

Mr. Chairperson,
Members of the Bureau,
Distinguished Delegates,

It is my privilege and honour to address the plenary session of the $53^{\rm rd}$ Session of the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women.



On behalf of the Nigerian Government, I wish to seize this opportunity to acknowledge and

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