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Closing Statement of the Group of 77 and China Delivered by the Delegation of Cambodia at the 89th Session of the Working Party on the Programme Plan and Programme Performance

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Thank you Mr. President,

Good morning Colleagues,

- I would like to thank DSG Pedro Moreno for his closing remarks.
- At this conclusion plenary, I would like to extend my heartfelt appreciation to You, Mr. President and Mrs. Vice-President-cum-rapporteur for your professional leadership in steering the discussions during this 89th Session of the Working Party.
- Let me would also like to thank the Members of G77 and China, as well as colleagues from other Groups for their flexibility and constructive engagement, which has enriched our deliberations.
- In order to facilitate future meetings of the working party, we believe that having a briefing to its membership has value to support the members' engagement as appropriate with sufficient inputs to share by the secretariat, vis-à-vis having a simple flow chart of the process between the Secretariat Geneva and New York. That would help also the new delegation to understand well the work and its process under the Working party.
- As this is the last Working Party meeting and the last formal meeting at UNCTAD under Cambodia's coordinators of the G77 and China, I wish to express my sincere gratitude to the members of the Group of 77 and China, other regional coordinators, and the entire UNCTAD membership for their extensive supports and collaboration, thus far.
- Let me end by expressing my appreciation to our capable Secretariat team and interpreters for their invaluable assistance and devoted efforts in facilitating the success of this meeting.

Thank you Mr. President.