Implementation mechanism - Intervention by Brazil

Madam Chair,

As for the questions relating to the mechanism of implementation of the convention, in the Brazilian point of view, the instrument we are negotiating should be on the same level of the International Drug Conventions, the Convention on Organized Crime and the Convention on Corruption. The convention we are negotiating should have the potential to became as universal as the other UN crime conventions.

In this sense, we reiterate the need for the convention being adopted by consensus.

Also, the convention we are negotiating will complement and update the other UN crime conventions, bringing the international cooperation in combating crime to the era of the internet.

The Comprehensive International Convention on Countering the Use of Information and Communications Technologies for Criminal Purposes, therefore should have the same level of the other UN crime conventions.

The need for inclusivity, as already expressed by countries, like Nigeria, is also something that compels as to follow the model of UNTOC and UNCAC, where all Parties participate, instead of a model based on a commission, where members have mandates, and decisions, when a vote is needed, are taken by a limited number of States.

Brazil would prefer that we establish a structure similar to the organized crime convention and the corruption convention, in other words, a convention of parties.

As for a review mechanism, we consider that it would be important to include such provision. In this sense a Governmental Review Group could be established, following the model of UNCAC.

Also, in order to include perspectives from academia, private sector and civil institutions, a permanent group could be established to exchange views on trends in cyber crime, technological advances and the relation among States and stake holders on the combat to cyber crime.

Thank you, madam Chair