



Mr. Chairman,

Allow me, at the outset, to thank the Chairperson of the International Law Commission Professor Georg Nolte for the presentation of the respective parts of the

I will address Chapter VIII of the report namely the topic of

*“Peremptory norms of general international law (jus cogens)”*. First, my delegation would like to congratulate to Special Rapporteur Mr. Dire Tladi for his second report. We also welcome the change of the title of the topic, which now includes two notions:

