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Madam Chair,

Thank you for giving us the floor to speak on this agenda item. My delegation aligns itself with the statements delivered by the distinguished representatives of the African Group and the Non-Aligned Movement, respectfully.

2. We commend the Secretary-General for his report and relevant United Nations agencies for the efforts made since the introduction of this agenda item.

3. United Nations Officials and experts on mission abroad are entrusted with the flag of the United Nations which they are obliged to uphold and respect with a sense of duty and responsibility. Any act contrary to this, is unacceptable. In this regard, Nigeria condemns any form of criminality by UN Officials or others working on behalf of the UN. We will continue to advocate that Officials found culpable of any infractions be held accountable according to established laws.

Madam Chair,

4. Nigeria welcomes the zero

encourage others, while crime and misconducts should be punished to the full extent of the law. We should be mindful of how the work of the UN impacts the lives of people around the world.

8. I thank you for your attention.

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