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Proposal by the Delegation of the People's Republic of China on the Exchange of Information on Intellectual Property Protection in Relation to Activities in Outer Space

Mr. Chair,

The Republic of Kazakhstan thanks the delegation of the People's Republic of China for its proposal on the exchange of information on intellectual property protection in relation to activities in outer space.

Kazakhstan attaches great importance to developing international cooperation in the exploration and use of outer space for peaceful purposes. With the advancement of space technologies and the expansion of international scientific and technical cooperation, the legal protection of intellectual property arising from such activities is becoming increasingly relevant.

In the Republic of Kazakhstan, intellectual property protection in the space sector is governed by national legislation and relevant international agreements. In particular, bilateral cooperation with the People's Republic of China provides for mechanisms governing the ownership, use and protection of rights in the results of joint activities.

We believe that exchanging information on national approaches and practical experience in this area will contribute to a deeper understanding of existing legal mechanisms and their application.

In this regard, the Republic of Kazakhstan welcomes the initiative of the Chinese delegation and expresses its interest in further discussion of this matter within the Committee.

Thank you, Mr. Chair.