

Pakistan

**General Statement on behalf of the OIC on Draft resolution
A/HRC/6/L27 entitled "Preparation for the Durban Review
Conference"**

Mr. President,

The OIC thanks the African Group for its initiative contained in document A/HRC/6/27 regarding the preparation for the Durban Review Conference.

The OIC appreciates the leadership provided Ambassador Najat Al-Hajaji as President of the Preparatory Committee of the Durban Review Conference. Her effective steering of the work at the Organizational session helped in obtaining a successful outcome.

We also appreciate the leading role of the African Group in the Durban Review process. We welcome the constructive engagement of all member states. The OIC, on its part, assures its continued support to the preparatory process that should lead us to a meaningful Review Conference.

We believe that while keeping the Human Rights Council informed, the President must brief the General Assembly. It is the General Assembly as the highest political ~~entity~~ of the UN system and having larger membership than the Council that should also provide guidance and further decisions to ensure a smooth and successful Conference.

We strongly support the African Groups' proposal on the Preparations for the Durban Review Conference.

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