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STATEMENT BY H.E. Mr. ENKHBOLD VORSHILOV, AMBASSADOR

LLDCs to keep the progress achieved so far, and respond to addressing the impact of the pandemic and beyond.

Mr. Chairman,

I would like to briefly touch upon implementation in the COVID-19 context. The principle of SDGs - behind is the key directive in our countering the COVID-19 pandemic. My government has introduced economic stimulus packages amounting up to 5 percent of GDP and taken the proactive measures through implementing comprehensive plan for

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We welcome the UN Roadmap for accelerated implementation of the Vienna Program of Action, at the international level, in the remaining 5 years that highlights priority areas with practical deliverables towards achieving the objectives of this dedicated program.

A scientific knowledge, effective research studies, evidence-based advisory services and analytical tools are imperative to overcome the challenges faced by LLDCs. Hence, I would like to underscore the important role of the International Think Tank for LLDCs and its contribution in achieving the sustainable development in LLDCs. Taking this opportunity, I invite the member states, development partners and relevant stakeholders to provide the Think Tank with adequate support and contribution for enabling this organization to do more for LLDCs.

In conclusion, may I reiterate our continued support to the work of the Group of the LLDCs. Also, I wish the Annual Meeting of Foreign Ministers of the LLDCs a full success.

I thank you for your attention.