



**STÄNDIGE MISSION**  
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### Intervention by the delegation of Liechtenstein

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Liechtenstein welcomes the distinguished delegation of the Netherlands and wishes to thank for the valuable information provided in the introductory statement and in the national report.

Liechtenstein welcomes the Netherlands' commendable efforts in the area of women, peace and security and its active role in preventing and resolving conflicts in many regions. Liechtenstein **recommends that the Netherlands support women's conflict prevention efforts and provide technical assistance on conflict resolution processes to countries emerging from conflict in order to promote women's effective participation.**

Liechtenstein welcomes the Netherlands' efforts aimed at combatting child violence and abuse and **recommends that the Netherlands ensure that its legislation addresses all forms of violence, explicitly prohibits corporal punishment in all settings and includes measures to raise awareness of positive, non-violent and participatory forms of child-rearing throughout the Kingdom, in particular in Aruba as well as in the Caribbean Netherlands.** Liechtenstein also **recommends that the Netherlands, in order to further strengthen the fulfilment of children's rights, ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on a communications procedure.**