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Universal Periodic Review of Ethiopia

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Intervention by H.E. Ambassador Frank Büchel
Permanent Representative of Liechtenstein

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Thank you, Mister President.

In a constructive spirit, Liechtenstein recommends that Ethiopia

- 1. Ratify the Rome Statute to the International Criminal Court.
- 2. Establish a moratorium on the death penalty with a view to abolishing it and take steps towards commuting the sentences of those on death row to life imprisonment.
- 3. Enact comprehensive legislation on the crime of torture, in line with the Convention against torture, as pledged by Ethiopia in the context of the Human Rights 75 initiative.
- 4. Fully implement the recommendations made by the International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia.
- 5. Ensure that all instances of excessive use of force by police and security forces are promptly, impartially and effectively investigated and that those responsible are brought to justice and that victims are granted reparations.

We thank you.