Egypt

1-    In article 3 (a): replace “Development centred on the individual and peoples” by “people-centered development”.

2-    In article 3: to replace “Human rights-based development” by “development based on the applicable human rights law”.

3-     In article 3 (b): to replace “Universal principles common to all human rights” by “Principles common to universal human rights”.

4-    In article 8, paragraph 1: to replace all the categories stated in this paragraph by the forms of discrimination mentioned in the two covenants (ICESCR- ICCPR).

5-    In article 15 paragraph 1: Egypt requests that all the categories stated in this paragraph be replaced by the forms of discrimination mentioned in the two covenants ICESCR- ICCPR, as follows: “States Parties recognize that certain~~human persons, groups and peoples, owing to their marginalization or vulnerability because of race, colour, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, nationality, statelessness, national, ethnic or social origin, property, disability, birth, age or other status, including as human rights defenders,~~ individuals affected by discrimination based on race, colour, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth or other status, may need specific and remedial measures to accelerate or achieve de facto equality in their enjoyment of the right to development.

6-    In article 16 Paragraph 1: to remove the word “substantive”.

7- Adding paragraph 16.3: “States Parties undertake to strengthen family-centered programmes, policies and measures, and to increase cooperation family issues at all levels, to ensure equality between men and women, as part of an integrated and comprehensive approach to the realization of the right to development”

7-       In article 23 referring to “UNFCCC and Paris Agreement”.

8-       We are of the view that paragraphs 25, 26 and 27 still need further study, in this regard we preserve our right to comment on it at a later stage. And for the time being, we convey our reservation on the following articles: