**ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO SEYCHELLES (THIRD BATCH)**

**PANAMÁ**

* In the second cycle, Panama recommended that Seychelles ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. We would appreciate information on the progress made in the implementation of this recommendation.
* What steps are being taken to combat all forms of discrimination against all groups of children in vulnerable situations, gender-based violence, as well as the persistence of discriminatory gender stereotypes and patriarchal attitudes regarding the roles and responsibilities of women and men in the family and in society?
* We recognize Seychelles’ commitment to promoting international humanitarian law and human rights. Is it envisaging to ratify the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons?
* What steps has been adopted to ensure the rights of all persons with disabilities to participate in political and public life, including electoral matters?
* What steps is Seychelles taking to implement its commitment made at the Nairobi Summit on ICPD25 to achieve zero preventable maternal neonatal and child deaths?