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**National statement during Enhanced Interactive Dialogue with the Independent
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Mr. President,

My delegation notes with appreciation the Sudanese Government's engagement with UN bodies including the Office of the High Commissioner (for Human Rights, OHCHR).

This Council should engage in genuine dialogue and cooperation to support national accountability processes in the Sudan to end impunity for grave human rights abuses. On the other hand, the imposition of mandates without the support of the Sudanese Government risks fragmenting the international response when coherence is essential.

Pakistan remains deeply concerned by the grave humanitarian situation in the country amidst continuing attacks by the Rapid Support Forces (RSF) on health care, critical civilian infrastructure and humanitarian personnel as well as restrictions on humanitarian access.

We condemn the RSF's crimes in the strongest terms. We affirm our support for the Sudan's unity, territorial integrity and sovereignty, which remain essential to peace, stability and human rights not only for the Sudanese people but also across the Horn of Africa.

Abiding by the Jeddah Declaration to protect civilians and shoring up international support remain imperative to ease the suffering of the Sudanese people.

A Sudanese-owned and Sudanese-led political process remains essential. We support the peace initiative presented by the Sudanese Government, as well as regional efforts to secure a lasting resolution to the conflict.

Thank you.

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