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**Agenda 5. Status and Application of the Five United Nations Treaties on Outer Space
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Madam Chair, distinguished delegates,

Indonesia attaches the importance of major United Nations treaties as legal basis for carrying out peaceful uses of outer space exploration in safe, secured, and sustainable manner. Those treaties have proven their capabilities to maintain and sustain peaceful uses and benefit to many COPUOS member states.

Indonesia appreciates continuous increase of parties to the United Nations treaties of outer space. In addition, Indonesian delegation calls on other states that have not become parties to these international treaties to consider becoming members to the treaties.

In this regards Indonesia takes note a guidance document on the legal framework for space activities produced by the Working Group that it can be a valuable to promote legal framework for the universality of space activities, and to achieve the Space2030 Agenda.

Regarding on the topic of registration of large constellations and mega constellations, particularly the ongoing process of developing an online registration portal, adding some specific questions under part D of the registration submission template in order to standardize the information provided in the registration of objects launched as part of a large constellation or mega constellation. Indonesia supports the efforts to enhance registration practices.

Indonesia ratified the 1975 Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into the Outer Space on July 16, 1997. Indonesia has contact points which are responsible for registration on space objects in the orbit, as well as national focal point of the implementation the LTS guideline B.1 and updated contact information and sharing information on space objects and orbital events.

Indonesia also established Indonesian Space Object Registry portal in 2017 that can be accessed on https://lapan.go.id/index.php/indonesia_space_object_registry.

Thank you