Mr. Chair,

1. On behalf of the delegation of the Government of the Republic of Burundi and on my own behalf, I wish to convey to the People and the Government of Mexico my sincere and heartfelt thanks for the warm welcome extended to us and all the delegations present.

2. I wish also to thank the organizers of this event for the useful arrangements made so that working documents reach everybody in due time.

3. Since the March 2013 Oslo Conference, a lot has been done in order to abide to the conclusions reached there. It remains true that the threat of nuclear weapons is real and it is the duty of the International Community to be vigilant with respect to nuclear weapons which are a very lethal weapon.

4. Many presentations and statements were made here and one may rejoice over the fact that many actors of the International Community do share the same aspirations.

5. The delegation of the Government of the Republic of Burundi is sharing these positive aspirations of minimizing
the humanitarian impact of nuclear weapons. It also solemnly expresses its readiness to back up to Burundi any initiatives to further work out a robust roadmap or action plan on totally banning nuclear weapons.

6. We congratulate the civil society and International organizations on their endeavors relating the implementation of a legally binding instrument.

Mr. Chair,

7. The delegation of the Government of the Republic of Burundi finally wishes to congratulate you on the fruitful results obtained at this NAYARIT Conference under your able chairmanship. May I here thank and command the Government of Austria for hosting the coming 3d conference on humanitarian impact of nuclear weapons, sometime later this year in Vienna.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND ATTENTION.