Burkina Faso'S SUBMISSION FOR INC-5 Contact Group 3 Article 11 : Finance, including the Establishment of a Financial Mechanism

Thank you, Madam Co-Chair,

Burkina Faso would like to support the submission of the African Group, GRULAC, Fiji, Cook Islands and Micronesia and now supported by the Arab League, Bangladesh, China and India and presented by Djibouti on Article 11. We believe that the proposed dedicated independent Fund is essential for delivering stable, predictable, and timely financial support to developing countries. This fund will ensure that all Parties, particularly those most in need, can effectively implement the treaty's provisions.

We have clear convergence from most, if not all, the developing world for a reason. Let's face it upfront and use the CRP submitted by the Africa Group and others as basis for negotiations.

Financial resources should be prioritised for capacity-building, technical assistance, and knowledge-relatedactivities, emphasising measures to reduce primary plastic polymer use, increase reuse and recycled plastics, phase out problematic plastics, and improve plastic recycling and waste disposal.

Thank you Madam Cochair.