

Madam Chairperson

Jordan fully aligns itself with the statement presented by the honorable Representative of Pakistan on behalf of the G77 and China.

Jordan has been active in the area of Renewable Energy and RUE for the last 30 years as Jordan imports 97% of its energy need (Last Year = 25% GDP) also Jordan Has approved 3 CDM projects aimed at promoting RE and Reducing Carbon emission , To promote a strategy on Energy a Royal Energy Committee has been setup by HM king Abdullah the II of Jordan.

We feel that to promote RE, a Regional and Trance boundary cooperation in Renewable Energy is essential.

Large Renewable Energy power plants

Many research initiatives show that Renewable Energy technology can assist in solving the issue related to the Energy Security. The outcome of two scientific studies conducted by a think tank and the support of the Trans-Mediterranean Renewable Energy Cooperation network, *TREC*, concluded that all energy demands for power generation and sea water desalination, for MENA and EU regions, can be solved by:

**Deserts as sources of solar energy
Available solar thermal power technologies as CSP.**

In this valuable UN meeting a Renewable Energy Charter to improve our human condition and to ensure energy security should be considered.

We would also like to express our support to the Basket of Voluntary Commitments proposed.

Madam Chairperson Thank you.