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Thank you Mr. Chair for the floor.

My name is Allen Ottaro, and I represent the Catholic Youth Network for Environmental Sustainability in Africa (CYNESA), which belongs to the Children and Youth Major Group.

I would like to thank the secretariat, as well as the distinguished delegate of Brazil and the distinguished delegate of Malaysia, for their comprehensive presentations.

I have two brief questions:

1. First, it is encouraging to note the efforts on education and training in pollution prevention and sustainable waste management at universities. Are there any programs that target children and youth, especially in behavior change and attitudes towards waste?
2. Are there any programs to support youth initiatives on sustainable waste management that can help generate employment opportunities?

Thank you Chair.
