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STATEMENT BY THE DELEGATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF NICARAGUA TO THE OPCW AT THE 100TH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Director-General, Permanent Representatives, Members and observers of the Executive Council, Distinguished authorities of the Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons,

On behalf of the Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Nicaragua to the Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons (OPCW), I share the congratulations extended to H.E. Ambassador Ziad M.D. Al Atiyah, who has been named Chairperson of the Executive Council for the period of 2022 - 2023.

The Permanent Delegation of the Republic of Nicaragua urges the States Parties to take into account the technical nature of the Organisation and its objectives, which are well defined. It is our duty to avoid the politicisation of the Organisation.

The Permanent Delegation kindly requests that this statement be considered an official document and published on the Organisation's extranet and website.

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