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Mr. Chairman,

Let me congratulate you on assuming the Chairmanship of this Main Committee. Brazil fully associates itself with the statement delivered by New Zealand on behalf of the New Agenda Coalition (NAC).

Mr. Chairman,

Enduring non-compliance with Article VI remains the single biggest hurdle to the full implementation of the NPT and the attainment of a world free of nuclear weapons. The current

the center of the nuclear disarmament debate in all disarmament-related fora, including the United Nations General Assembly. - Affirm that nuclear disarmament and other related measures should be pursued within a multilaterally agreed legal framework with specified timelines. 1. 4 _1...1...... J. which will be required to ensure compliance with nuclear disarmament agreements for a nuclearweapon-free world, and underscore the central role of the International Atomic Energy Agency in this process, in accordance with its statute and relevant IAEA General Conference resolutions. - Welcome the adoption of UNGA Resolutions 68/32 and 69/58 entitled "Follow up to the 2013