Monsieur le Président, Madame la Directrice générale, distingués délégués,

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À un moment où les principes scientifiques éprouvés font

 Indigenous peoples, and will be active in advancing the goals of the UN Decade of Indigenous Languages.

The upholding ofrights and fundamental freedomsmust underpin all UNESCO activities, and be a centralconsideration when developing and implementing allstandard-yV-o#\ fields of work.

A good example is the

: an ambitious text which reinforces universal human rights as the basis for the development and use of AI systems. As chair of the in 2022, Canada will further the implementation of the Recommendation while advocating for a feminist Internet that respects the rights of everyone and advances our shared vision centered on digital inclusion.

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is also essential. This is why we are proud to support the amazing work of the Global Media Defence Fund. With hate speech on the rise, much more remains to be done to advance the respect for and inclusion of all vulnerable populations, including LGTBQ2+ people, who are too often the victims of violence and discrimination. We strongly $yV-o#\ engagement$ in the fight against

In , girls have been disproportionately affected by the COVID pandemic. u \ defend , particularly through its work in education, has been remarkable and must @ ensuring that rights is not lost, must be a priority if SDG4 is to be realised. UNESCO must also support Member States as they try to ensure continuity of education through the pandemic.

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We are glad to see that the in Montreal continues to produce quality data to help Member States monitor progress towards 2030.

Monsieur le Président, distingués délégués,

En matière de culture, le Canada et le Québec accordent une grande importance à la

des contenus diversifiés en ligne joue un rôle central dans la constitution de sociétés démocratiques et inclusives.

En terminant, i i i le