The 29th Session of the Conference of the States Parties Agenda Item 5: Organisation of work and establishment of subsidiary bodies Statement by Ms. Hyejeong Ahn Representative of the Republic of Korea to the OPCW, and Chargé d'Affaires,

Embassy of the Republic of Korea in the Kingdom of the Netherlands

We would like to express our gratitude to the African group and Guatemala for their non-papers. We would also like to thank you, Chair, for your leadership and guidance on this matter.

My delegation is prepared to engage in discussions on the voting procedure for the election of EC members. However, given that these papers were proposed only 2 weeks before this CSP, and there are diverse perspectives on how to move forward with this issue, we believe that sufficient discussion is necessary to achieve a consensus.

In this regard, we support the Chair's proposal made today, and we hope that, through a well-structured and inclusive discussion process, a consensus can be reached on this important matter.

Thank you.