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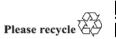
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Written statement\* submitted by Beijing Guangming Charity Foundation, a non-governmental organization in special consultative status

The Secretary-General has received the following written statement which is circulated in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31.

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## Sports integration between the disabled and the healthy to promote the physical and mental health of the disabled

Since its establishment in 2014, Beijing Guangming Charity Foundation jointly launched "healthy children running together with autistic ones" in Beijing Chaoyang Park in 2015, During this activity, we were surprised to find that autistic children miraculously smiled. They enjoyed sunshine and grass like healthy children, Their happiness shows that sports and nature are what disabled children like and yearn for. The seamless connection between healthy and autistic children, and innocence and purity of children are integrated in nature through sports.

Driven by the power of sports, our public welfare activities have become people's habits and hobbies. National sports and national public welfare are becoming more and more mature. Disabled children are enjoying the same sports rights and development opportunities as healthy ones.

In particular, in 2022, based on our experience over the years and in combination with the normalization of the global epidemic, we will work with the Beijing Sports Foundation to combine the national road running with public welfare projects, which will lead to the integration of more healthy families with disabled, and more autistic children will receive love and assistance from all walks of life. The physical and mental health of the healthy and disabled children in China have been promoted through sports and public welfare activities.

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