



Delegation: The United Arab Emirates

Forum: Special Conference on Hope for Democracy

Question of: The issue of power and its maldistribution in democracies

Honorable chair most distinguished delegates,

It is an honor to represent the United Arab Emirates at this annual conference. The United Arab Emirates state that democracy has never been suffering more than in these times. It is a critical time coined by the maldistribution of power in modern democracy, which obviously is an issue that affects governments and people all around the globe which has to stop imminently.

The United Arab Emirates have experienced British influence in their foreign policy for more than a century, we can finally state that being an independent state allows us to have a better overview about the distribution of power in our country and this also allows to significantly reduce corruption. The United Arab Emirates are meanwhile the least corrupt country in the Arab world. The United Arab Emirates Penal Code criminalizes active and passive bribery, embezzlement and abuse of functions. Anti-corruption and anti-fraud legislation is enforced, and practices of bribery and petty corruption are uncommon. Gifts and hospitality are regulated under the UAE's anti-corruption framework. Facilitation payments are treated as bribes and are thereby illegal. But all of this wouldn't have been possible if our presidents hadn't had the opportunity to rule at long term and a full separation of state and religious organization and of government and banking cartels.

However we suggest independency of each country and empower any measures to reduce respectively stop the maldistribution of power in democracies

The United Arab Emirates hopes that this conference will result in decisive safe and effective resolution of many important issues thank you honorable chair, esteemed delegates

Thank you for your attention

And the delegate of the United Arab Emirates yields the floor back to the chair