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Statement by

**The Delegation of Indonesia
at the Sixth Committee of the General Assembly
on**

Agenda item 79:

**“Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its
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Mr. Chairman,

Indonesia wishes to comment specifically on Chapters VI, VIII and X of the ILC Report.

With respect to the **Protection of the environment in relation to armed conflict** (Chapter VI), Indonesia is of the view that the rules on this issue have always had a firm foundation in international law.

In this regard, the inclusion of principles applicable during armed conflict, which are described in draft principles 12 - 19, are of the utmost importance.

Indonesian Government recognizes is the customary law community (*masyarakat hukum adat*), which is firmly inscribed and protected under the Indonesian Constitution.

Mr. Chairman,

Turning to the topic of