

Resumed session Crimes against humanity (Cluster 2)
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With regard to the definition under Article 2, during the discussions in the Sixth Committee at the time of

Paragraph 2 also contains the important element that crimes against humanity are not necessarily committed in the context of an armed conflict.

Finally, with regard to Article 4, Italy would like to note the following.

The obligation of prevention refers to positive actions both in the territory under the jurisdiction of the State through appropriate legislative, administrative or judicial measures and in international relations through international cooperation involving other States, international organizations or, where appropriate, other organizations such as the International Red Cross. The requirement that such actions must be

of crimes against humanity internally shall not involve the violation of fundamental human rights and externally does not justify measures, which are beyond the limits imposed by international law, including with regard to use of military force.