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## CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES NEW YORK, 13 DECEMBER 2006

CZECH REPUBLIC: OBJECTION TO THE DECLARATION MADE BY LIBYA UPON RATIFICATION  $^{\rm 1}$ 

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 14 February 2019.

(Original: English)

"The Government of the Czech Republic has examined the declaration made by the State of Libya with regard to article 25 (a) of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

The Government of the Czech Republic is of the view that the declaration made by the State of Libya is of general and vague nature and, therefore, its character and scope cannot be properly assessed. The declaration leaves open the question whether the State of Libya purports to exclude or modify the legal effect of article 25 (a) of the Convention in its application to the State of Libya, and, if so, to what extent the State of Libya commits itself to the obligations under this article and the Convention as a whole.

Therefore, the Government of the Czech Republic recalls that reservations may not be general or vague, since such reservations, without indicating in precise terms their scope, make it impossible to assess whether or not they are compatible with the object and purpose of the treaty."

14 February 2019

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Refer to depositary notification C.N.75.2018.TREATIES-IV.15 of 15 February 2018 (Ratification: Libya).