

Thank you Chair, thank you Assistant High Commissioner -

I will keep it brief; the United Kingdom welcomes the statement with one note for the record -

As UNHCR will already of course be aware, the reference to the UK in paragraph 10 does not stand.

The UK has thanked the Government of Rwanda for our good-faith cooperation – and I do so here again - but this UK Government will be ending our Migration and Economic Development Partnership; this is not the way to tackle effectively the challenge of irregular migration.

Thank you