ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO AZERBAIJAN (THIRD BATCH)

BANGLADESH

• What measures are being undertaken to ensure the rights of Azerbaijani IDPs and refugees to return to their native lands in safety and dignity?

BELGIUM

- When will Azerbaijan ratify the International Convention for the Protection of all Persons from Enforced Disappearance as well as the Optional Protocol to the international Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights?
- Is the government of Azerbaijan considering ratifying the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on a communications procedure?
- Is the Government of Azerbaijan considering ratifying the Rome Statute, the APIC or eventually aligning its national legislation with the Rome Statute?
- What measures does Azerbaijan take to ensure that all detained individuals are provided with effective safeguards for due process?
- What measures does Azerbaijan take to ensure that the work of Human Rights
 Defenders, including women defenders and LGBTI defenders, is recognized and these
 HRDs are given effective protection against gender-specific threats and violence they
 face because of their work or their real or perceived identity?