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**ON AGENDA ITEM 180:  
OBSERVER STATUS FOR THE SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES DOCK  
(SIDS DOCK) IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**AT THE SIXTH COMMITTEE OF  
THE 75TH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

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Mr. Chair,

Malaysia notes that Article 1 of the Statute establishing the Small Island Developing States DOCK (SIDS DOCK) has established SIDS DOCK as a trans-regional international organization. Malaysia further notes that the objectives and activities of SIDS DOCK in supporting the implementation of several United Nations global environmental conventions and the global environmental agenda cover matters of interest to the General Assembly particularly the 2030 Agenda on Sustainable Development Goals.

2. Based on the above, and taking into consideration the continued efforts of SIDS DOCK in supporting projects and programmes in numerous areas, namely to support sustainable energy development and conservation, and the development of renewable energy and participation in the global carbon market, Malaysia supports SIDS DOCK to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of an observer.

Thank you.