Mr. Chair, dear colleagues,

I have the honour to introduce, on behalf of the Bureau, the draft resolution under agenda item 82, entitled “Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization”, which is contained in document A/C.6/78/L.5.

The draft resolution is based on resolution 77/109 adopted last year, with necessary technical updates in line with the decisions made in previous resolutions, especially paragraph 2 of the annex to resolution 71/146 regarding the mandate of the Special Committee and paragraph 5(b) of resolution 77/109 regarding subtopics of the thematic debate in future sessions. It also incorporates the recommendations made by the Chair of the Special Committee on the Repertory of Practice of United Nations Organs and the Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council.

In my view, the text reflects a consensus among delegations. For this reason, I recommend that the Sixth Committee adopt the draft resolution without a vote.

Thank you, Mr. Chair.