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UPR of INDONESIA

Madame President,

Slovenia welcomes the distinguished delegation of Indonesia and thanks for the preparation and presentation of the informative national report and for Indonesia's commitment to the UPR process.

We wish to commend the Government for their comprehensive and elaborative responses to the recommendations put forward to Indonesia in the first cycle of the UPR in May 2008. In particular, we wish to express our satisfaction with the measures that the Authorities have taken in the field of human rights education.

We welcome Indonesia's commitment to the implementation of the recommendation on the ratification of important international human rights instruments and the Rome Statute of the ICC. The ratification process, however, seems to be extremely slow therefore we **recommend** Indonesia to ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child, the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture, and the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court at the earliest opportunity. We also **recommend** that Indonesia accedes to and ratifies the third Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on a communications procedure.

Serious outstanding human rights issues, however, still remain. We are deeply concerned about the fact that the vast majority of human rights violations perpetrated by police and security forces continue to go unpunished. We **recommend** the Government to ensure that all cases of human rights violations are credibly and impartially investigated and prosecuted in proportion with the crimes committed.

Thank you.