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**Statement by Delegation of Myanmar
During the 16th Session of the Universal Periodic Review Working
Group on Cuba
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Mr. President,

- My delegation warmly welcomes the delegation of Cuba headed by H.E. Mr. Bruno Rodriguez, the Minister of Foreign Affairs.
- My delegation would like make the following recommendations:
 - o To continue to encourage the training of athletes with disabilities and to further promote their participation in international sporting events.
 - o To maintain national efforts to ensure compliance and stability of the MDGs (Millennium Development Goals).
 - o To continue working to achieve a greater presence of women as leaders in cooperatives linked to agricultural production.
 - o To deepen studies on gender perspective and prevent against any kind of discrimination in the media.
 - o To continue ensuring free and universal access to public health.
 - o To continue improving the Mother and Child Care Program.

I thank you Mr. President.