

HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL
17TH SESSION OF THE WORKING GROUP OF THE UPR
REVIEW OF CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
25 OCTOBER 2013

STATEMENT BY NIGERIA

Mr. President, _____

The Nigerian delegation warmly welcomes the delegation of the Central African Republic and thanks them for the presentation of their UPR report.

We note the serious challenges and constraints faced by CAR in promoting and protecting human rights and we urge the international community to offer assistance to CAR that would help in meeting these challenges.

We would like to make the following recommendations:

- i. Continue to take measures within the framework of the Plan of Action on Education for All (2003 – 2015) in order to promote the right to education especially for women and girls.
- ii. Continue to fight tuberculosis and other endemic diseases in order to promote the right to health of the citizens of CAR.

I thank you.