



STATEMENT OF VIET NAM

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Mr. President,

My delegation would like to welcome and thank the delegation of Jordan for her second UPR report presented to the Council this morning.

We take note of Jordan's efforts made in the socio-economic development and the improvement of legislation system and national mechanisms for better human rights promotion and protection in Jordan. We particularly appreciate Jordan's achievements in the fields of social security, employment stimulation and promotion of women's participation in political and economic activities.

Taking this opportunity, we would also like to recommend Jordan to:

1. Continue her efforts on alignment of national legislations and international standards and good practices of human rights, especially those on civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights.
2. Intensively pursue current national priorities and strategies, with effective measures focusing on rights to health, education, gender equality, social protection and women's participation in employment and socio-political progresses.

I thank you Mr President./.