



STATEMENT OF VIET NAM

By H.E. Ambassador/ Permanent Representative Thanh T. Nguyen

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17th session of the UPR working Group of the Human Rights Council
(9:00-12:00, Wednesday, October 23, 2013)

Mdm. President,

My Vietnamese delegation welcomes the comprehensive national report presented by H.E FM Dr. José Kuribrena, updating the latest efforts of Mexico in her UPR process.

We commend Mexico's remarkable determination and continued efforts in implementing a large number of recommendations to her since the first UPR Report.

It is pleasing to note that Mexico has also gained encouraging progress on legislative and institutional reform on national mechanisms for human rights, including those for the rights to education, health, housing, food and to healthy environment.

Mdm. President,

For full enjoyment of human rights for her people, further consolidation of the current momentum is needed. In a cooperative spirit, my delegation has two recommendations to Mexico:

1. Strengthen the state of laws and good governance, with more focus on capacity building for federal and local public officers for better law enforcement and human rights promotion and protection.

2. Further enhance institutions and infrastructure for human rights, policies and measures toward enhancing the social inclusion, gender equality and non-discrimination, favorable conditions for vulnerable groups of women, children, indigenous people, migrants and refugees.

I thank you./.