

Statement by Turkmenistan
during the review of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
(22 October 2013)

Thank you Mister President,

We warmly welcome distinguished delegation of the Federal Republic of Nigeria led by H.E. Mr. Mohammed Bello Adoke, Honourable Attorney-General and Minister of Justice and thank for providing with comprehensive national report.

We took note with appreciation all measures had been taken by the Government of Nigeria including adoption new laws and establishment new institutions in order to protect and promote human rights situation in the country.

We applaud that between 2009 and 2013, Nigeria acceded to several fundamental human rights instruments.

Government of Nigeria has shown commitment to improving access to affordable housing through legal and policy frameworks including mortgage financing, and recapitalization of the Federal Mortgage Bank of Nigeria, and through Public Private Partnership (PPP) housing estate schemes.

Mister President,

Further we would like to propose the following recommendations:

- continue applying its successful practice to improve access to affordable housing;
- Continue to promote education and human rights training at the national level.

Thank you Mister President.