

**Statement by Turkmenistan  
during the review of the Yemeni Republic  
(29 January 2014)**

Thank you Mister President,

First of all we would like to extend a warm welcome to the distinguished delegation of the Yemeni Republic to this session of the UPR Working Group and thank H.E. \_\_\_\_\_ for presenting a comprehensive update on the efforts undertaken by the Yemeni Government to improve the human rights situation on the ground.

We welcome the measures taken by the Yemeni Government to strengthen the national institutional infrastructure for the promotion of human rights, establishment National Committee to Combat Human Trafficking.

Mister President,

To further accelerate the progress in areas of promotion and protection of human rights, we would like to propose the following recommendations:

- Continue the practice of implementing programs aimed at further improving the welfare of the population
- Take further measures to protect the environment and human health in the context of ensuring effective ways of sustainable development.

Thank you Mister President.