

Statement by the Delegation of Thailand
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Mr. President,

Thailand welcomes the delegation of Kuwait and thanks them for their presentation made of the report.

Thailand commends Kuwait's efforts, since its first review, in improving its normative framework and establishing national mechanisms to ensure the promotion and protection of human rights with particular interest toward vulnerable groups.

In this connection, Thailand welcomes the ratification of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and look forward to effective implementation of related laws to guarantee inclusive education and improve work opportunities of persons with disabilities.

We note with appreciation of the encouraging reforms of Labour Law and other legislation improving women access to labour market. In this regard, Thailand recommends that Kuwait intensify its effort in ensuring gender equality, in particular, by reviewing its legal provisions in the area of civil and family law.

We also recommend Kuwait to provide equal access to education for all children regardless to their social and legal status.

I thank you, Mr. President.