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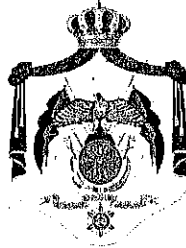
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Mr. President,

Jordan would like to welcome the Minister of Foreign Affairs H.E. Ms Dunya Maumoon, and the accompanied delegation to the twenty Second session of the UPR, and to thank them for the interesting presentation of their national report.

Jordan wishes to commend Maldives for its sincere and ongoing efforts to further promote and protect human rights and fundamental freedoms. We are particularly encouraged by the ratification of seven human rights treaties and the Rome Statute of the ICC.

Maldives efforts to strengthen the institutional framework are highly appreciated; these efforts included strengthening the Human Rights Commission, and the enactment of the Education and the Disability Act.

Finally, we wish to make the following recommendations:

1. Complete the enactment of the draft Child Protection Act.
2. Take concrete measures to implement the Domestic Violence Act.
3. Improve access to education for persons with disabilities.

I thank you