

**STATEMENT BY THE DELEGATION OF INDONESIA
24th SESSION OF THE WORKING GROUP ON UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW
CONSIDERATION OF THE NATIONAL REPORT OF SOMALIA
GENEVA, 22 JANUARY 2016**

Mr. Vice President,

Indonesia would like to thank the delegation of Somalia, for their comprehensive national report and continued engagement in the UPR process.

Indonesia commends efforts taken by the Government of Somalia in strengthening the promotion and protection of human rights through the legislative process and the establishment of the National Human Rights Road Map and it's Plan of Action.

Mr. Vice President,

While recognizing the efforts taken by the Government of Somalia to establish a National Human Rights Institution, **we recommend that the Government of Somalia expedite its efforts to establish the National Human Rights Institution, in line with the Paris Principles and with full participation of the civil society.**

We take note that Somalia has one of the world's lowest enrolment rates for primary school aged children. In this regard, **we recommend that the Government of Somalia enhance its efforts to encourage people to enroll their children in schools as well as to improve access to education.**

Furthermore, Indonesia is of the view that measures can be taken to ensure the full implementation of human rights and **recommends that the Government of Somalia consider to ratify the Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW) and the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families (ICRMW).**

Mr. Vice President,

To conclude, Indonesia wishes the distinguished delegation of Somalia a succesful UPR.

Thank you.