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Statement by H.E. Maung Wai, Permanent Representative of Myanmar Review of Thailand At 25th session of the UPR Working Group 11 May 2016

Mr. President,

My delegation warmly welcomes Thai delegation led by Permanent the Secretary of the Ministry of Justice. We thank them for the comprehensive national report and their active participation in the review.

We are delighted to note that Thailand has taken measures, improving the social welfare services for all workers, including migrants and foreign workers. We also take note with satisfaction that a nationwide registration scheme has been implemented to ensure that these workers are protected and provided with welfare under Thai Labour law similar to Thai nationals.

Finally, my delegation would like to recommend that Thailand continues its efforts to protect the rights of migrants and foreign workers, particularly to further enhance their safety and welfare.

As our close neighbour and a fellow member of the ASEAN, we wish Thailand great success in the current review.

I thank you, Mr. President.
