



STATEMENT BY CAMBODIA

*Review of Thailand*

*25<sup>th</sup> Session of the UPR Working Group*

*11 May 2016 at 9.00 am*

*Mr. President,*

- 1. Cambodia warmly welcomes the delegation of Thailand, a fellow ASEAN country, to the 25<sup>th</sup> Session of the UPR Working Group and thanks them for the presentation of its national report.*
- 2. My delegation is pleased to note that since the first cycle review, the Government of Thailand has passed and amended a number of human rights related legislations to further strengthen the promotion and protection of human rights.*
- 3. We also appreciate the further achievements Thailand has made in the areas of economic development and poverty eradication, rights to work of all persons regardless of their ethnicity and nationality, healthcare, education, the protection of vulnerable groups, and the prevention of human trafficking.*
- 4. In conclusion, Mr. President, my delegation would like to make the following two recommendations for the consideration of Thailand:*
  - 4.1 Strengthen the implementation of the third National Human Rights Plan of Action by all relevant Government agencies.*
  - 4.2 Continue its efforts in strengthening policies and measures to promote and protect the human rights of its people, in particular those of vulnerable groups such as women, children, poor people, and migrants.*

*I thank you, Mr. President.*