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 **Statement by Armenia**

### Armenia warmly welcomes the delegation of Iceland and thanks for the comprehensive national report.

### We commend Iceland for its exemplary record in the promotion and protection of human rights, particularly in the field of gender equality and women’s rights. We also appreciate the inclusiion of human rights education in school curricula, as well as the efforts to ensure inclusive education for all.

 We welcome the legislative and administrative measures to promote the rights of persons with disabilities, particularly the Action Plan on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities adopted by the Government for 2012–2014 and extended until 2016.

 Armenia notes with appreciation that Icelend is a party to numerous major human rights instruments. We encourage Iceland to continue the process of ratifications.

 We have two recommendations for Iceland

1. To ratify the Convention on the Non-Applicability of Statutory Limitations to War Crimes and Crimes against Humanity, and
2. To continue its policies and efforts to further promote and protect women’s rights.