

**PERMANENT MISSION OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE
TO THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN GENEVA**

Universal Periodic Review

Jordan

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Thank you, President/ Vice-President,

Timor-Leste warmly welcomes the members of the delegation of Jordan and thanks them for their informative report.

Timor-Leste notes with appreciation the progress made by Jordan on human rights since its last UPR.

My delegation complements the government of Jordan’s efforts in addressing Human Trafficking, enhancing women's participation in political and public life.

Further, we welcome Jordan’s proactive steps to fortify frameworks for inclusive economic growth and enhance the resilience of its healthcare systems.

In a constructive spirit, Timor-Leste recommends that Jordan:

* Consider introducing a moratorium on the death penalty with the view to abolishing it,
* Continue to enhance measures to prevent human trafficking;
* Continue to strengthen efforts to ensure the enjoyment of women’s rights, and
* Consider strengthening the capacities of children and youth and supporting their participation in decision-making processes on climate-related issues.

We wish Jordan a successful review.

Thank you.