

REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

**STATEMENT OF THE**

**PERMANENT MISSION OF UGANDA TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN GENEVA**

**DELIVERED BY MARY NAMONO KIBERE**

**AT THE**

**THE UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW OF JORDAN**

**AT**

**45TH SESSION OF THE UPR WORKING GROUP**

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**GENEVA**

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Thank you, Vice President,

We congratulate the delegation of Jordan for the presentation of her comprehensive report and we specifically commend the government of Jordan for the key role she continues to play in the region including her continued generosity in hosting large numbers of refugees in the region. Special applause to Jordan too for successfully co-convening, with Uganda and four other States the 2nd Global Refugee Forum. Uganda is proud of you.

In the spirit of constructive dialogue, we would like to make 2 recommendations.

1. Continue to take measures to protect the rights of persons with disabilities including enabling their accessibility to public facilities and transport means.
2. Enhance the implementation of the Child Rights Law to ensure provision of adequate standards of living in a secure environment.

We wish our Jordanian brothers and sisters a successful review.

Shukran!