**STATEMENT BY THE PERMANENT MISSION OF SINGAPORE AT THE UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW (UPR) OF COMOROS AT THE 46TH UPR WORKING GROUP, 3 MAY 2024**

Mr President,

Singapore welcomes the participation of Comoros in the UPR process and commends its progress since its 3rd review.

We commend the longstanding cooperation between Comoros and international partners such as UNICEF and the World Bank to improve access to education for children, including children with disabilities. We welcome the implementation of the national strategy for basic education for children with disabilities from 2017-2026. **Singapore recommends that Comoros continue to work with international partners to strengthen its education system.**

Singapore commends Comoros’ considerable progress in improving its healthcare sector over the period of review. This includes ensuring access to obstetric and neonatal care services, the reduction of maternal mortality, and the strengthening of healthcare infrastructure. **Singapore recommends that Comoros continue to strengthen its healthcare system.**

We hope our recommendations will be favourably considered. Thank you.

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