



**STATEMENT BY --------------------------- AMBASSADOR AND PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE/ DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE IN GENEVA, ON THE UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW PROCESS OF ERITREA, GENEVA, 06 MAY 2024**

**Mr. President,**

The United Republic of Tanzania welcomes the delegation of the State of Eritrea to the 46th Session of the Universal Periodic Review and commends the Government of Eritrea for taking the necessary measures to harmonize national legislation with International legal instruments ratified by the State and strengthen legal and institutional tools to enhance the promotion and protection of human rights.

We further wish to commend the State of Eritrea for the progress made in strengthening its governance structure, in particular at the grass-roots level.

**Mr. President,**

In the spirit of constructive dialogue, we recommend the State of Eritrea to:

1. Continue the reform of its national legal framework for ensuring its compliance with the provisions of the international and regional human rights instruments;
2. Continue giving priority to actions for the eradication of poverty and child malnutrition, and for achieving food security;
3. Continue to provide quality health care; strengthen efforts to promote and protect the rights of children, including through the introduction of an effective juvenile justice system;
4. Intensify its engagement with neighbouring countries so as to contribute to fostering peace and stability in the Horn of Africa; and
5. Ensure that law enforcement is conducted with full respect for human rights.

**Mr. President**,

The United Republic of Tanzania, wishes the State of Eritrea a successful review.

**I THANK YOU.**