**STATEMENT BY THE DELEGATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA**

**AT THE 37th SESSION OF THE UPR WORKING GROUP**

**CONSIDERATION OF THE UPR REPORT OF NAURU**

(27 January 2021)

Thank you, President,

Indonesia thanks the delegation of Nauru for the presentation of its national report.

Indonesia welcomes the positive steps taken by the Nauruan government in implementing the recommendations it committed to during its previous UPR cycle, particularly in enacting national laws to give effect to the human rights treaties that Nauru is party to.

In the spirit of constructive cooperation to further improve progress in the promotion and protection of human rights in Nauru, Indonesia wishes to offer the following recommendations:

1. To continue strengthen measures to ensure the independence of the judiciary branch.
2. To strengthen effort in establishing a national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris Principles; and

3. To strengthen its maritime policy aimed at respecting human rights in maritime sector, including abolishing human trafficking, slavery and other human rights abuses in seafood and fisheries sectors through bilateral and international cooperation .

We wish the Government of Nauru a successful review.

Thank you.