**37th session of the Universal Periodic Review**

**Review of Oman**

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**Statement by H.E. Mr. Christopher Grima,**

**Permanent Representative**

Thank you, President

Malta warmly welcomes the delegation of Oman and thanks it for the presentation of its national report. We congratulate Oman for acceding to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment.

Malta would like to make the following recommendations to the Government of Oman:

1. Continue to ensure that labour rights of all workers are protected by laws, including domestic migrant workers;
2. Consider acceding the Convention on Cluster Munitions;
3. Establish an official moratorium on executions with a view to abolishing the death penalty.

We wish the delegation of Oman a successful review session.

Thank you.