

**PERMANENT MISSION OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE
TO THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN GENEVA**

Universal Periodic Review

Estonia

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Madam President,

Timor-Leste welcomes Estonia’s strong commitment to promoting and protecting human rights and wishes to make the following two recommendations:

* That Estonia continues improving its vocational education and training programmes,
* That Estonia takes further measures to ensure that rural, older and marginalized women benefit from adequate medical services.

Madam President,

We commend Estonia for establishing a national human rights institution and expanding the mandate of the Chancellor of Justice, in compliance with the Paris Principles. In addition, Timor-Leste welcomes the reduction in the number of children living in institutional care as well as the reduction in the number of persons with undetermined citizenship.

We wish Estonia a successful review.

I thank you, Madam President.

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