**Statement by Iceland**

**UPR39-Hungary**

Madam President,

Iceland welcomes the delegation of Hungary and the national report, and the steps outlined therein.

Iceland makes the following recommendations:

1. Ratify the Istanbul Convention and criminalize all forms of domestic violence.
2. Enforce the principle of equal pay for work of equal value to eliminate the gender pay gap.
3. Revert the current ban on legal gender recognition and develop a procedure for recognition based on personal autonomy and self-identification.
4. Reestablish the Equal Treatment Authority, adopt a comprehensive strategy and action plan to tackle discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity.
5. Guarantee the right of children to comprehensive sexuality education, including on the full diversity of sexual orientations, gender identities, and sex characteristics.

I wish Hungary all success for its review.

I thank you.