**41ST SESSION OF THE UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW WORKING GROUP:**

**REVIEW OF INDONESIA**

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**STATEMENT BY BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

Thank you, Mr. President.

Brunei Darussalam commends Indonesia for the preparation of their National Report.

We welcome the positive steps taken by Indonesia in implementing recommendations from its previous UPR cycle, despite still recovering from the COVID-19 pandemic. We commend also the Government’s efforts in ensuring health service delivery to all its provinces to boost vaccinations, including in remote areas. This ensures that no one is left behind in the fight against COVID-19.

In the spirit of constructive engagement, Brunei Darussalam proposes two recommendations:

1. To strengthen measures to ensure the effective implementation of priority areas set forth in the women’s empowerment and child protection plan; and
2. To continue efforts in ensuring the full implementation of initiatives to promote and protect the rights of persons with disabilities and older persons.

Mr. President,

We wish Indonesia a successful conclusion of its UPR session.

Thank you.

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