**STATEMENT BY THE DELEGATION OF INDONESIA**

**AT THE 33rd SESSION OF THE WORKING GROUP ON THE UPR CONSIDERATION**

**OF THE REPORT OF NICARAGUA**

**Geneva, 15 May 2019**

Thank you, Mr. President,

My delegation thanks the Delegation of Nicaragua for their comprehensive presentation.

Indonesia welcomes Nicaragua’s efforts in ensuring economic and social progress through the implementation of the National Human Development Programme for 2018-2021.

Indonesia also welcomes Nicaragua’s commitment in improving the right to education through the implementation of the Education Plan for 2017–2021.

To further improve its human rights condition, Indonesia would like to recommend the following to the Government of Nicaragua:

1. To strengthen the work of the Nicaraguan Office of the Human Rights Advocate;
2. To continue provide better access to education, by prioritizing budget allocation for preschool and secondary education in rural areas.
3. To implement effective policies to better promote and protect access to information, including through collaboration with other states.

Finally, we wish the Government of Nicaragua a successful review.

Thank you, Mr. President.