**Statement by Myanmar Delegation at the**

**33rd Session of the UPR Working Group of Qatar**

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Mr. President,

My delegation welcomes the delegation of Qatar to this UPR process and thanks it for the presentation of the national report.

Myanmar appreciates the efforts by Qatar to fulfill its human rights obligations, taking into consideration of recommendations made by states during the second cycle of UPR. We have also noted the strategies for protection and promotion of Human Rights nationally and globally and commend Qatar for its international humanitarian assistance.

In the spirit of constructive engagement, Myanmar wishes to make the following recommendations:

1. enforce measures to reform the sponsorship system and exit permit of migrant workers;
2. continue its efforts to tackle exploitation of migrant workers by employers, including migrant domestic workers and ensure their rights are not being violated;
3. continue its efforts for equal access to education by both girls and boys and children with disabilities.

We wish Qatar a successful UPR review.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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