**Statement by Iceland**

**UPR35 - Sweden**

Madam/Mr. President,

Iceland welcomes the delegation of Sweden.

We welcome Sweden´s engagement for the full respect of human rights and welcome action outlined in the report.

Iceland makes the following recommendations:

1. Ensure that all arms transfers and exports comply with Sweden´s obligations under the Arms Trade Treaty.
2. Adopt a new gender recognition law based on self-definition, detaching medical procedures from legal gender recognition.
3. Ensure access to comprehensive, affordable and accessible support for all survivors of sexual violence, including those who do not report the crime to the police.
4. Expand existing training programs on hate crime for police employees and make training on the legislation and implementation of the legislation on hate crime mandatory in all areas of law enforcement.

I wish Sweden all success for its review.

I thank you