**Statement of the Republic of Kazakhstan**

**35th session of UPR working group**

**Belarus**

Kazakhstan welcomes the delegation of Belarus to the third cycle of UPR. We note the friendly bilateral and strategic relations between out countries, as well as our close cooperation within the regional organizations. We commend high literacy rate in the country and welcome the ratification of CRPD.

In the spirit of constructive engagement with the country we make the following two recommendations:

1. First, continue strengthening efforts to provide adequate education and healthcare for everyone.

2. Second, undertake the necessary constitutional reforms and establish a national dialogue with civil society.

I thank you.