



**National Statement delivered by Mr. Muneeb Ahmed, First Secretary,**  
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Mr. President,

We warmly welcome the delegation of Viet Nam and thank it for the presentation of its 4<sup>th</sup> UPR report.

We commend Viet Nam and the steady progress it continues to make on several facets of human rights and appreciate its commitment to further strengthen national human rights frameworks through steps taken, especially in the field of combatting climate change, promoting equitable access to education and combatting forced labour.

In the spirit of constructive engagement, Pakistan offers the following recommendations:

- Strengthen measures to improve awareness on provisions of the Labour Code among the business community;
- Continue its efforts to ensure the independence of judiciary and ensure the right to a fair trial; and
- Take further steps to ensure a safe and healthy educational environment for children.

We wish Viet Nam a successful review.

I thank you!