

Item 6: UPR. Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Organization for Defending Victims of Violence

Mr. President:

With taking into consideration that external coercive measure inflicts the promotion and protection of human rights, and also by bearing in mind that North Korea pays particular attention to the economic and social rights of its citizens, and has over the years managed to have noticeable achievements in health, education and gender equality, Organization for Defending Victims of Violence, ask the government of Democratic People's Republic of Korea to:

1. Intensify the efforts which tend to promotion of human rights culture in the country and in the region.
2. Ensure that high goals of economic development by 2012 contribute to bringing about a decisive turn in the promotion and protection of human rights.
3. Intensify its efforts to promote and protect the human rights of specific groups within society, such as women, children, disabled persons and the elderly, with a view of empowering these vulnerable groups.
4. Increase its cooperation with international humanitarian and human rights bodies and mechanisms.
5. Try to make a balance between the enjoyment of its people from civil and political rights accentuated in international documents, in parallel to economic, social and cultural rights.

Thank You.