

## KEMENTERIAN SOSIAL REPUBLIK INDONESIA

## Minister of Social Affairs Republic of Indonesia Closing Remarks on 27<sup>th</sup> Session of Commission for the Rights of Persons with Disability 2022

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Assalammu'alaikum warrahmatullah wabarrakatuh, Good afternoon,

Excellencies Chairman of the Commission, Co-chairs and all Honorable Commissioners, Ladies and gentlemen,

Kindly allow me to convey my sincere gratitude to this dialogue, to all questions, advices and recommendations to Indonesian Delegates I headed in this two-day meeting.

All were taken as notes for our continuous journey towards a better life for persons with disabilities in Indonesia. As I highlighted yesterday and this afternoon, there are challenges but and the same time, progresses were also achieved.

The Government and I as the newly appointed Minister of Social Affairs realized how big an opportunity this moment to further deliver the best possible outcomes for persons with disabilities all across our country. And with collaborations, supports, and dialogues like today, I believe there are always answer to every challenges ahead of us.

With this closing remarks, I would like to thank all members of the Commission for constructive inputs. Personal gratitude addressed to KOMNAS HAM, all NGOs and OPDs from Indonesia to whom we have been partners for quite sometimes, and to all valuable partners from the region and beyond.

Thank you and stay healthy ladies and gentlemen.

Wassalamu'alaikum warahmatullah wabarakatuh,

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