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**STATEMENT BY THE DELEGATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA  
AT THE 76th SESSION OF WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY  
AGENDA 16.4 THE HIGHEST ATTAINABLE STANDARD OF HEALTH FOR PERSONS WITH  
DISABILITIES  
AND  
AGENDA 16.6 BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES FOR BETTER HEALTH**

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**Thank you, Chair.**

1. First of all, we would like to thank the Secretariat for developing the documents under this agenda item.
2. As an effort to ensure that no one is left behind, Indonesia is making progress in providing more inclusive healthcare for persons with disabilities. We have developed and launched a Roadmap for an Inclusive Health Care System for Persons with Disabilities 2020 – 2024 as a guide for all stakeholders, both at the national and sub-national levels.
3. All accredited hospitals are equipped with infrastructure to ensure accessibility for persons with disabilities, and these are to be followed by all primary health centres. We are also building the capacity of health workers to better communicate with persons with disabilities through training in sign language.

**Chair,**

4. Indonesia acknowledges the importance of behavioural sciences to inform policy-making and program design to ensure that health policy and program is suitable and acceptable.
5. We agree that behavioural sciences should be mainstreamed across most areas and functions of public health, in particular with the advancement of technology. In this regard, Indonesia welcomes the resolution on behavioural sciences for better health and ascribe ourself as co-sponsor.
6. To better provide guidance and support in strengthening the Member States' capacities in behavioural sciences, Indonesia sees value in the WHO to develop a strategic plan focusing on capacity building for Member States, as well as assemble an expert team, comprising experts and practitioners in behavioural sciences from various countries and fields.

7. Finally, Indonesia seeks further support from the WHO in our efforts to accelerate disability inclusion in the health sector, as well as in the application of behavioural sciences to public health.

I thank you.