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Civil Society Organization Report to the
Second Session of the Working Group on the
Asian and Pacific Decade of Persons with Disabilities, 2013-2022
New Delhi, 2-3 March 2015

At the First Session of the Working Group on the Asian and Pacific Decade of Persons with Disabilities held at Incheon, Republic of Korea, on 25 and 26 February 2014, it was recommended that the ESCAP secretariat should draft a standard format, aligned with the road map, for every Working Group member to use in preparing a structured and concise report on Incheon Strategy implementation and other actions in follow-up to Working Group session, for transmission to the ESCAP secretariat at least 80 days before the next session (see recommendation (b) (ii)). It was also agreed that those reports should be uploaded at least 60 days prior to the session (see recommendation (b) (iii)).

This report template should be completed and returned in electronic form, i.e., MS-Word, by 10 December 2014 to:

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1. Has your Organization taken any action to promote regional/subregional cooperation in supporting implementation of the Incheon Strategy?

☒ Yes ☐ No

- 1.1. If yes, list all the activities implemented by your Organization at the subregional and regional levels in support of the Incheon Strategy (e.g., conferences, training, campaign, etc.).

- **APDF·KDF·VFD Joint Seminar in Vietnam** on the Implementation of Incheon Strategy and partnership between CSOs (May, 2013)
 - Asia Pacific Disability Forum: APDF, Korea Disability Forum: KDF, Vietnamese Federation on Disability (VFD)
- **APDF & KDF·Milestone Seminar in Pakistan** on sharing experiences and common issues on disability: disability movement history and rights of women with disabilities (Oct. 2013)
- **A Joint Seminar with YPAC National in Indonesia** on the implementation of The Asian and Pacific Decade of Persons with Disabilities and Incheon Strategy and the establishment of an effective network among disability organizations (Nov. 2014)
- **Asia and Pacific Disability Forum (APDF) General Assembly and Conference** on Accelerating Action to Make the Rights Real –2 years since the Ministerial Declaration 2012 (Hanoi, Nov. 2014)
 - Theme
 1. Poverty reduction and access to human rights of persons with disabilities
 2. UN CRPD, MDGs, Incheon Strategy and post-2015 development strategies
 3. Participation and access of young people with disabilities
- KOICA Project in Vietnam
 - Title: Setting up the environment for persons with disabilities to narrow their digital divide in Hanoi, Vietnam
 - Activity 1: To renovate ICT classrooms for accessibility for persons with disabilities
 - Activity 2: To implement basic ICT practical training programs for persons with disabilities
- Global IT Challenge for Youth with Disabilities (Oct. 2013, Dec. 2014)
 - Slogan : Global ICT Partnerships to Make the Right Real
 - Purpose : Alleviate digital divide and expand participation to the society for the youth with disabilities in Asia Pacific Region through ICT capacity building

(Limit each activity to max. 50 words)

2. Has your Organization contributed to including specific measures on the Ministerial Declaration and the Incheon Strategy in the agendas and programmes of meetings organized by regional/subregional intergovernmental bodies (e.g., ASEAN, ECO, PIF, SAARC)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

- 2.1. If yes, please specify which meeting your Organization attended (including the title of the meeting, venue and dates).

^{3.} (Limit each entry to max. 50 words)

2.2. Please describe which goal(s) of the Incheon Strategy your intervention specifically targeted at the above meeting(s).

- ☒ All areas covered by the 10 Goals of the Incheon Strategy
☐ Only specific area(s), e.g., Goal 1 on poverty reduction

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