

## **PHILIPPINE STATEMENT**

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Mr. Chair, Excellencies,

The Philippines is pleased to participate in the Commission on Population and Development's 56th session. The is highly timely and pertinent for our country, as the most recent demographic trends present significant opportunitiesunities



The policy and program environment for holistic human capital development is also enabled by various laws including the Philippine Qualifications Framework