ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO INDONESIA

DENMARK

- What measures is the government of Indonesia taking in order to ensure that state, regional and local institutions have the capacity to eliminate torture and fulfill the obligations of UNCAT, to which Indonesia is a party?

- What measures is the government of Indonesia taking in order to ensure basic protection for religious beliefs, freedom of expression, and association included in the 1945 Indonesian Constitution and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, which Indonesia ratified in 2005, are safeguarded and can be exercised by the people without risk of violence?

GERMANY

- In view of the rising reported administrative obstacles towards and violent attacks on Christian churches since 2009, what concrete steps has the government undertaken to ensure freedom of religion?

- When does the government of Indonesia intend to accept the requests for country visits of the Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion and the Special Rapporteur on freedom of expression?

- Since the adoption of the national Human Rights Action Plan in the fall of 2011, what are concrete results of implementation?

NORWAY

- What steps will Indonesia take to protect religious minorities from harassment, and ensure freedom of belief and conscience for all?

- What steps will Indonesia take to ensure that all women and girls are granted equal access to reproductive health services?

- Indonesia introduced a ban on genital mutilation in 2006. However, the Indonesian Ministry of Health introduced hygiene regulations in 2011, which may undermine the ban. How will the Indonesian government ensure that the 2006 ban on genital mutilation is upheld?
SLOVENIA

- What are the main obstacles to a quicker and more efficient ratification process of international human rights instruments and how does the Indonesian Government intend to overcome those obstacles?

UNITED KINGDOM

- The UK notes an increase in hostility and attacks against religious minority communities. What specific plans do you have to tackle discrimination and ensure protection of these communities?


- What is your timeline to revise and enact a new Criminal Code?

- Can you outline how Indonesia evaluates the human rights training delivered to its armed forces and police officers?

- In the 2008 UPR Indonesia reaffirmed its commitment to continue to combat impunity. We note recent reports that the President has undertaken to issue an apology for all past human rights abuses. What is the timeframe for this apology and what specific steps are being taken to bring perpetrators of past human right violations to justice?