## Statement of Thailand on Fourth Meeting of States Parties issue 01.02.2002

Thank you, Mrs. co-chair,

On behalf of the Royal Thai government I would like to take this opportunity to reiterate that Thailand offers to host the Fifth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention in Thailand in the year 2003.

We had previously announced our interest to organize this significant event during the Third Meeting of States Parties in Managua, Nicaragua, in September, last year pending upon the Cabinet's approval.

The approval has been made by the Cabinet and we would appreciate kind support from all States Parties to our offer.

I thank you Mrs. Co-chairs