



Republic of Indonesia

National Statement

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Madame President

Excellencies, Distinguished Delegates,

First of all, I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to the UNEP, for the excellent arrangement of UNEA 6, and to the Government and people of Kenya for the warm hospitality extended to me and my delegates.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Despite all the challenges, the Government of Indonesia can deliver satisfactory outcomes in mobilizing social awareness, formulating policy options, and enabling policy implementation for greening the economy in Indonesia.

Indonesia continues to reduce carbon emissions. Between 2020 - 2022, Indonesia succeeded in reducing carbon emissions by 42% compared to the Business as Usual plan.

In FOLU management, Indonesia continues to maintain and expand mangrove forests and rehabilitate forests and land. Deforestation has also been reduced to its lowest point in the last 20 years.

In energy transition, we are taking the Indonesian Way of Just Energy Transition toward 2030, accelerating the development of New Renewable Energy, and reducing the use of coal.

In environmental quality, we are improving the quality through comprehensive, innovative and integrated measures, waste management as well as circular economy. We also stand ready to address the plastic pollution through INC process.

Excellencies, distinguished delegates,

The increasingly complex dynamics of environmental challenges, need a strong multilateral systems and global collaboration.

Thus, UNEA-6 should send a strong message to the world that effective, inclusive, and sustainable multilateral actions are important to tackle the triple planetary challenges. Through concrete actions.

Following up the UNEA 4 resolution on mangrove, Indonesia has been sparring its effort concrete actions in ensuring sustainable mangrove management. Indonesia is developing World Mangrove Center, and highly value the supports from various countries and invite others to support the Center.

Excellencies and Distinguished Delegates,

To conclude, Indonesia continues to engage all partners and stakeholders in leading by examples, in order to overcome the global environmental challenges. Indonesia welcomes all perspectives regarding the integration of environmental commitments, yet under the spirit of Nairobi and of UNEA-6 family, it is important to continuously acknowledge and respect the principles those enshrined in the Rio Declaration 1992.

Thank you.