Form for submitting commitments for the Global BULLTY Disability Summit 2018

1. Your organisation:

Type of organisation: National Government

If other: Click or tap here to enter text.

Name of organisation Ministry of Social Development/Palestine

2. Charter for Change

Please read the attached Summit Charter for Change: the principal legacy of the Summit. If your organisation is happy to sign up to the Charter, please confirm by putting a cross in the box below.

My organisation signs up to the Summit Charter for Change x

3. Your organisation's commitments to achieve the rights of people with disabilities in developing countries:

A. Commitments to eliminate Stigma and Discrimination:

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to: Policy, legislation and its implementation

The ministry is committed to revise and update the Palestinian law for the disabled rights.

Timeframe and/or implementation plan (75 words limit)

The ministry launched the revision process for the disable rights law for the purpose of enforcing the rights of the disabled and to guarantee that our law is harmonized with the International convention on the rights of PWD. We expect to complete this process by mid 2019.

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B. Commitments for Inclusive Education:

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to: Other

Please enter the exact wording of the commitment/s, including details of others who have supported its development (75 words limit):

The ministry is committed to facilitate inclusion of the blind in higher education

The ministry provides blind university students with speaking computers

C. Commitments for **Economic Empowerment**:

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to:

Access to financial services

The ministry is committed to include PWD in financial services through microcredit program. This is an ongoing program

The ministry implements a microcredit program for PWD to support their productivity and self reliance through small enterprises.

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to: Access to decent work

MoSD guarantee access for PWD to employment

The government is committed to secure the quota of employment of 5% for the disabled . This policy is being implemented on annual basis in civil service.

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D. Commitments for <u>Technology and Innovation</u>:

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to:

New programmes or services

Please enter the exact wording of the commitment/s, including details of others who have supported its development (75 words limit):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Timeframe and/or implementation plan (75 words limit)

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please copy and paste this box for additional commitments under this theme.

E. Commitments for <u>Data Disaggregation</u>:

Please select the category which your commitment most relates to: Commit resources to support strengthened disability data

The ministry is committed to build a national data base for the disabled.

The ministry started preparations for building the disabled data base; we expect to complete this task by 2020.