

**Statement by the Vietnamese Delegation at the 48th Commission  
On Population and Development (13-17 April 2015)**

*Mr. Chairman,*

*Distinguished delegates,*

*Ladies and gentlemen,*

On behalf of the Government of Viet Nam, we would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Secretary-General for the excellent reports submitted to this important meeting. We highly appreciate the quality reports of the Secretary-General on integrating population issues into in the post-2015 development agenda and on the flow of financial resources for assisting in the further implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development

*Mr. Chairman,*

In the past 20 years, Viet Nam has made considerable progress in implementing the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development. As we all know, together with socio-economic development in our country, the health status of the Vietnamese people, particularly those related to sexual and reproductive health has greatly been improved. With this profound progress, Viet Nam is one of just a few developing countries around the world on good track to achieve MDGs 4 and 5 by 2015.

Our country is now in the development process of the national sustainable development agenda for the post-

