| **Recommendation** | **Position** | **Full list of themes** | **Assessment/comments on level of implementation** |
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| ***Theme: A12 Acceptance of international norms*** | | | |
| 127.1 Ratify those international instruments that Botswana had committed to ratifying during the second cycle of the universal periodic review (Madagascar);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.3 Continue to work on the implementation of its commitments to promote and protect human rights in the light of the recommendations already accepted (Sudan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.23 Ratify the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (Armenia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  B13 Genocide  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.24 Consider ratifying the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in view of the upcoming seventieth anniversary of its adoption (Rwanda);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  B13 Genocide  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.10 Consider acceding to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Ethiopia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 128.13 Consider ratifying the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Mauritius);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: A21 National Mechanisms for Reporting and Follow-up (NMRF)*** | | | |
| 127.4 Consider the creation of a national follow-up mechanism for recommendations on human rights issues, which would allow for the adequate follow-up of the obligations and recommendations made by regional and universal human rights systems (Paraguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A21 National Mechanisms for Reporting and Follow-up (NMRF)  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies*** | | | |
| 127.2 Cooperate fully with treaty bodies by meeting reporting obligations as a Member State (Republic of Korea);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.31 Fully cooperate with the United Nations human rights mechanisms and, in particular, invite the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders to conduct visits, and ensure that there are unhindered visits with human rights defenders (Chile);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies  A24 Cooperation with special procedures  H1 Human rights defenders  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - human rights defenders |  |
| ***Theme: A24 Cooperation with special procedures*** | | | |
| 128.26 Extend a standing invitation to the special procedure mandate holders (State of Palestine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.27 Extend a standing invitation to the special procedure mandate holders (Honduras);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.28 Issue an open standing invitation to the special procedures of the Human Rights Council (Ukraine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.29 Issue a standing invitation to the special procedures of the Human Rights Council (Portugal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.30 Issue a standing invitation to the special procedure mandate holders (Montenegro);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A41 Constitutional and legislative framework*** | | | |
| 128.37 Take the necessary steps to incorporate into domestic law those international human rights conventions that Botswana has ratified (Slovakia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.38 Accelerate ongoing efforts to domesticate the provisions of the international human rights treaties to which it is a party (Zimbabwe);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.43 Adopt laws to incorporate into its national legislation the international human rights instruments to which it is party (Niger);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.44 Include provisions of international human rights treaties ratified by Botswana in national legislation, in order to ensure their applicability in courts and administrative organs (Russian Federation);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 127.5 Domesticate the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, in order to enhance the promotion and protection of women’s rights (Namibia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: A42 Institutions & policies - General*** | | | |
| 128.45 Further consolidate its social and human rights policies, particularly in the area of economic, social and cultural rights, in order to improve the quality of life, particularly of the most vulnerable groups of its population (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - General  A43 Human rights policies  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 127.21 Resource adequately the National Gender Commission established in 2016 to monitor implementation of the National Policy on Gender and Development to perform its functions effectively (Singapore);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - General  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  B41 Right to development  F11 Advancement of women  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls |  |
| ***Theme: A43 Human rights policies*** | | | |
| 127.73 Implement gender equality policies that foster girls’ access to health and education and raise awareness among the population about sexual and gender-based violence (Mexico).  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A43 Human rights policies  A54 Awareness raising and dissemination  E41 Right to health - General  E51 Right to education - General  F12 Discrimination against women  F13 Violence against women  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)*** | | | |
| 127.6 Continue efforts to ensure that the national human rights institution that will be established will be in compliance with the Paris Principles (Portugal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.7 Expedite the establishment of a national human rights institution in conformity with the Paris Principles (Sierra Leone);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.8 Intensify efforts aimed at establishing a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles (Ukraine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.9 Prioritize the setting-up of a national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris Principles (South Africa);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.10 Step up the process of setting up a national human rights institution in conformity with the Paris Principles (Togo);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.11 Accelerate the establishment of a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles (Afghanistan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.12 Establish, without further delay, a national human rights institution that will be in full compliance with the Paris Principles (Liechtenstein);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.13 Establish a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles (Morocco);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.15 Complete its efforts to establish a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles (Greece);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.17 Make every effort to ensure that its national human rights institution is in compliance with the Paris Principles (Timor-Leste);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.18 Ensure the independence of the Office of the Ombudsman as a national human rights institution in line with the Paris Principles (Canada);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.20 Ensure that the Office of the Ombudsman, as a national human rights institution, is independent and adequately financed in line with the Paris Principles (Germany);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.16 Establish a national human rights institution that is in line with the Paris Principles by finalizing and adopting the Ombudsman Amendment Bill that will confer a human rights mandate on the Office of the Ombudsman (Thailand);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A42 Institutions & policies - General  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.19 Take concrete steps towards the finalization of the bill on the transformation of the Office of the Ombudsman into a hybrid national human rights institution (Namibia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A44 Structure of the national human rights machinery  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.14 Complete the legal procedures to establish the national human rights institution (Tunisia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  A44 Structure of the national human rights machinery  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)*** | | | |
| 127.22 Finalize the work on a Comprehensive Human Rights Strategy and National Action Plan (Turkey);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.23 Finalize its plans to develop a National Human Rights Strategy and National Action Plan (Zimbabwe);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.71 Continue conducting the situational analysis of the National Plan of Action for Orphans and Vulnerable Children (Slovenia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 127.72 Allocate dedicated funding to the National Plan of Action for Orphans and Vulnerable Children for more effective implementation (Singapore);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: A47 Good governance*** | | | |
| 127.24 Take measures to improve efficiency, accountability and transparency in the public service of the country (Azerbaijan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A47 Good governance  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A51 Human rights education - general*** | | | |
| 127.63 Promote human rights education and awareness-raising for the public, including schools, through government ministries and other bodies (Ghana);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A51 Human rights education - general  E51 Right to education - General  E56 Basic/continuing education  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A53 Professional training in human rights*** | | | |
| 127.25 Provide trainings on human rights principles and obligations for all law enforcement officers, as well as continue to investigate allegations of human rights violations, including violations committed by police officers, and hold accountable those who are responsible (Thailand);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | A53 Professional training in human rights  B51 Right to an effective remedy  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - law enforcement / police officials |  |
| ***Theme: B31 Equality & non-discrimination*** | | | |
| 127.65 Continue to put emphasis on gender equality and ensuring the rights of women and girls, including better access for them to education, aside from committing greater budgetary resources to the Women’s Economic Empowerment Programme (Malaysia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  F12 Discrimination against women  E51 Right to education - General  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls |  |
| ***Theme: D23 Death penalty*** | | | |
| 127.28 Take active steps to ensure that public consultations on the abolition of the death penalty, including on its abolition, are held, and include information on the outcome of those consultations in its next universal periodic review report (Rwanda);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D23 Death penalty  D21 Right to life  A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.29 Renew the work towards holding a public national discussion on the death penalty (Ukraine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D23 Death penalty  D21 Right to life  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment*** | | | |
| 128.48 Continue to fully implement various international human rights instruments, particularly the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, with a view to reducing gender-based violence (Indonesia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  F12 Discrimination against women  F13 Violence against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| ***Theme: D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking*** | | | |
| 127.39 Take concrete measures to prevent human trafficking and exploitation, especially of women and children (Republic of Korea);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  A42 Institutions & policies - General  F13 Violence against women  F33 Children: protection against exploitation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children |  |
| 127.38 Continue to strengthen measures to combat human trafficking by providing training to service providers and stakeholders working with victims of human trafficking (Maldives);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  A53 Professional training in human rights  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children  - girls |  |
| 127.40 Work closely with civil society and non-governmental organizations in addressing human trafficking issues (Philippines);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  A61 Cooperation with civil society  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children |  |
| 127.37 Take the necessary measures, as a country of origin, transit and destination for human trafficking and sexual exploitation of children, to address and investigate such crimes (Syrian Arab Republic);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  B51 Right to an effective remedy  B52 Impunity  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 128.58 Take effective measures to prevent trafficking in human beings and to rehabilitate victims (Russian Federation);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - children  - girls |  |
| ***Theme: D28 Gender-based violence*** | | | |
| 127.31 Implement further measures to combat gender-based violence and take steps to strengthen legal protections for victims of gender-based violence (Australia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D28 Gender-based violence  F13 Violence against women  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 127.32 Train police officers and other stakeholders on the handling of reported cases of gender-based violence (Belgium);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D28 Gender-based violence  F13 Violence against women  A53 Professional training in human rights  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women  - law enforcement / police officials |  |
| ***Theme: D29 Domestic violence*** | | | |
| 127.30 Criminalize domestic violence and continue the elaboration and implementation of public policies to prevent, address, punish and eradicate all forms of violence against women, including building help centres for women victims of violence (Paraguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D29 Domestic violence  F13 Violence against women  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: D51 Administration of justice & fair trial*** | | | |
| 127.34 Strengthen its domestic criminal legal system in order to effectively investigate and prosecute crimes (India);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  B51 Right to an effective remedy  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:** |  |
| ***Theme: E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation*** | | | |
| 127.27 Continue with reforms, which include introducing measures to diversify the economy and accelerate economic growth aimed at increased productivity, poverty reduction and the attainment of equitable social development (Indonesia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general  B41 Right to development  B42 Human rights, structural adjustment/economic reform policies & foreign debt  E25 Human rights & poverty  E24 Right to social security  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S12 SDG 12 - sustainable consumption and production  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups  - persons living in poverty |  |
| ***Theme: E24 Right to social security*** | | | |
| 127.41 Enhance its social protection programme in areas such as targeting mechanisms, implementation procedures and coordination (State of Palestine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E24 Right to social security  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 127.42 Strengthen the economic resources of the most vulnerable so that they can live in dignity (Libya);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E24 Right to social security  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: E25 Human rights & poverty*** | | | |
| 127.44 Adopt a specific policy with affirmative action measures to lift young people out of exclusion and poverty, particularly those living in rural areas (Honduras);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E25 Human rights & poverty  A42 Institutions & policies - General  E2 Right to an adequate standard of living  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| 127.46 Further strengthen policies aimed at poverty eradication (Georgia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E25 Human rights & poverty  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.45 Continue working on poverty eradication initiatives with special focus on women and children (Bhutan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E25 Human rights & poverty  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children |  |
| 128.61 Strengthen further its efforts in the area of poverty eradication, including by strengthening and addressing shortcomings highlighted in the poverty-eradication programmes (Malaysia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | E25 Human rights & poverty  E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 127.43 Continue taking further measures to eradicate poverty (Azerbaijan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E25 Human rights & poverty  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty |  |
| ***Theme: E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation*** | | | |
| 127.49 Adopt a national water policy, elaborating a long-term strategy to manage this resource in a sustainable manner (Senegal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S06 SDG 6 - water and sanitation  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.50 Adopt policies aimed at improving the quality of water and introduce a systematic monitoring system for water treatment (Holy See);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S06 SDG 6 - water and sanitation  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.47 Adopt measures to improve the quality of water (Timor-Leste);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  S06 SDG 6 - water and sanitation  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 127.48 Continue efforts to ensure the right to safe drinking water and sanitation by adopting, in this regard, a national water supply policy that includes a strategy for its sustainable management and measures to improve its treatment (Spain);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  S06 SDG 6 - water and sanitation  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: E41 Right to health - General*** | | | |
| 127.57 Maintain the Government’s programmes on combating HIV/AIDS with the support of the World Health Organization and other international partners (Ukraine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  A42 Institutions & policies - General  A28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 127.52 Broaden access to emergency obstetric care, improve midwifery training for medical personnel and consider increasing resources assigned to maternal health (Russian Federation);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - children |  |
| 127.56 Strengthen the policies to combat HIV/AIDS (Senegal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 127.55 Further strengthen its national programme to reduce HIV prevalence, especially among young people (Indonesia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  E43 Access to sexual and reproductive health and services  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - youth |  |
| 127.54 Further improve the health-care infrastructure in Botswana and pay special attention to awareness-raising programmes among women and adolescent girls in rural areas for addressing the challenge of HIV/AIDS (India);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  E43 Access to sexual and reproductive health and services  E44 Health awareness raising, access to information  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children  - girls  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 127.59 Continue to take action to promote awareness-raising programmes for the prevention of HIV/AIDS (Myanmar);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  E44 Health awareness raising, access to information  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 127.60 Strengthen targeted interventions on vulnerability to HIV and gender-based violence (Ethiopia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  F13 Violence against women  S03 SDG 3 - health  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 127.51 Take necessary measures to improve access to health, particularly for vulnerable groups, including children and women (Algeria);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - general  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 127.53 Work at improving health-care infrastructure, access to emergency obstetric care, midwife training and resources devoted to maternal health (Holy See);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - children |  |
| 127.58 Take further steps to ensure the right to health, particularly by combating the scourge of HIV/AIDS (Azerbaijan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| ***Theme: E51 Right to education - General*** | | | |
| 127.61 Continue efforts to promote comprehensive education policies, particularly by implementing the national strategic education plan (2015–2020) (Brazil);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E51 Right to education - General  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 127.62 Improve the quality of education (Iraq);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | E51 Right to education - General  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: F11 Advancement of women*** | | | |
| 127.68 Continue efforts to achieve gender equality and the empowerment of women (Egypt);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F11 Advancement of women  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 127.69 Continue to strengthen programmes for the economic empowerment of women (Cuba);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F11 Advancement of women  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F12 Discrimination against women*** | | | |
| 127.26 Take measures to prevent and combat all forms of discrimination, especially against women, persons with disabilities and other vulnerable groups (Italy);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against women  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 127.64 Continue efforts to implement Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women obligations and promote and protect the rights of women (Maldives);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against women  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 127.67 Continue efforts to combat discrimination against women and achieve gender equality (Tunisia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against women  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F13 Violence against women*** | | | |
| 127.33 Punish the authors responsible of sexual violence against women and girls (France);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F13 Violence against women  B51 Right to an effective remedy  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls |  |
| 127.66 Take measures aimed at ending violence against women and girls and the discrimination suffered by them by influencing traditional practices that undermine gender equality and promoting greater participation of women in all sectors of society (Spain);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F13 Violence against women  F12 Discrimination against women  F14 Participation of women in political and public life  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F14 Participation of women in political and public life*** | | | |
| 127.35 Continue with efforts in the field of gender equality, especially by removing loopholes in national legislation and by encouraging participation of women in the economy and politics (Slovenia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F14 Participation of women in political and public life  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 127.36 Continue to study the possibility of establishing the measures and mechanisms in order to improve the representation of women’s access to decision making positions in politics (Mauritania);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F14 Participation of women in political and public life  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A42 Institutions & policies - General  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection*** | | | |
| 127.70 Pursue the implementation of plans and strategies to promote the rights of the child (Cuba);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 127 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 128.67 Establish a comprehensive monitoring mechanism on the treatment of children, with the aim of disclosing cases of sexual abuse, mistreatment and neglect, including by introducing the possibility of taking children out of an environment which is not conducive for their development (Germany);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  F33 Children: protection against exploitation  F36 Children in street situations  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: F33 Children: protection against exploitation*** | | | |
| 128.68 Take effective measures to end violence against children, including sexual abuse and exploitation (Myanmar);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitation  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: A12 Acceptance of international norms*** | | | |
| 129.5 Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and take the necessary measures to repeal the death penalty from its legislation (Argentina);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.39 Incorporate into domestic law those international human rights conventions that Botswana has ratified, including the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, making them directly applicable to the courts and administrative authorities (Greece);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - girls |  |
| 128.5 Consider the ratification of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance, the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families and the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and its Optional Protocol, and incorporate these instruments into its national legislation (Burkina Faso);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  D32 Enforced disappearances  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  G4 Migrants  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  S09 SDG 9 - infrastructure, industrialization  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - migrants  - disappeared persons  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.7 Ratify the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families and harmonize its national migration policy with the principles espoused in the Convention (Philippines);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  G4 Migrants  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - migrants |  |
| 129.1 Ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on a communications procedure, the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (Slovakia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  D32 Enforced disappearances  F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - children  - girls  - persons deprived of their liberty  - disappeared persons |  |
| 129.2 Ratify the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the Second Optional Protocol thereto, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights and its Optional Protocol (Spain);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.3 Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and observe a moratorium on the death penalty in the interim (South Africa);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.4 Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Togo) (Côte d’Ivoire) (Liechtenstein);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.6 Accede to the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and adopt a formal moratorium and commute all death sentences to prison terms (Sweden);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D23 Death penalty  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.9 Intensify efforts to ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Georgia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  G4 Migrants  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.8 Ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment (Denmark);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.19 Ratify the 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness (Sierra Lone);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - stateless persons |  |
| 128.20 Accede to and domesticate the 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness to address child statelessness and lack of nationality (Kenya);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - stateless persons |  |
| 128.21 Accede to the 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness (Slovakia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - stateless persons |  |
| 128.22 Accede to the 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness (Côte d’Ivoire);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - stateless persons |  |
| 128.17 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights and the Convention against Discrimination in Education (Honduras);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  E51 Right to education - General  S04 SDG 4  - education  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - children  - girls  - persons with disabilities  - vulnerable persons/groups  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.4 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families and the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (Sierra Leone);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  F4 Persons with disabilities  E31 Right to work  E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work  D32 Enforced disappearances  G4 Migrants  S09 SDG 9 - infrastructure, industrialization  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - migrants  - persons with disabilities  - disappeared persons |  |
| 128.6 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights and the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (Mexico);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  G4 Migrants  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  S03 SDG 3 - health  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - migrants  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.15 Continue the process of ratification of international conventions to which this country is not yet a party, especially the ratification of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Gabon);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.16 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Angola) (Armenia) (Egypt) (Iraq);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.18 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights and its Optional Protocol and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Portugal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - persons with disabilities  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 128.25 Ratify the Convention against Discrimination in Education (Senegal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  E51 Right to education - General  S04 SDG 4  - education  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - children  - girls  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 129.7 Ratify the Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) of the International Labour Organization (Denmark);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  G3 Indigenous peoples  G1 Members of minorities  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - Indigenous peoples |  |
| 128.1 Enhance efforts to conform to the international standards concerning human rights, also by continuing the ratification process of the main international instruments (Italy);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.2 Consider initiating the processes of ratification of the main human rights treaties that have not been ratified (Paraguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.3 Become a party to international human rights instruments to which Botswana has not as yet become a party (Niger);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.11 Accelerate the process of accession to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Georgia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 128.12 Speed up the process of accession to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Azerbaijan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 128.14 Ratify the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Morocco);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: A13 Reservations*** | | | |
| 129.58 Lift its reservations on the Convention relating to the Status of Refugees, with a view to amending the policy of holding asylum seekers and refugees in camps and to providing them with work permits and decent job opportunities (Honduras).  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A13 Reservations  G5 Refugees & asylum seekers  E31 Right to work  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  **Affected persons:**  - refugees & asylum seekers |  |
| ***Theme: A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies*** | | | |
| 128.33 Adopt an open, merit-based selection process when selecting national candidates for United Nations treaty body elections (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A23 Follow-up to treaty bodies*** | | | |
| 128.36 Finalize domestic implementation of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Turkey);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A23 Follow-up to treaty bodies  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  B32 Racial discrimination  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  F12 Discrimination against women  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - girls  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors  - persons deprived of their liberty  - vulnerable persons/groups  - law enforcement / police officials |  |
| 128.32 Recognize the competence of the Committee against Torture to receive individual communications under article 22 of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Morocco);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A23 Follow-up to treaty bodies  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - persons deprived of their liberty  - vulnerable persons/groups  - law enforcement / police officials |  |
| ***Theme: A41 Constitutional and legislative framework*** | | | |
| 128.41 Ensure full incorporation of the provisions of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women into national legislation (Afghanistan);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  B32 Racial discrimination  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls |  |
| 128.40 Incorporate into domestic law those international human rights conventions that had been ratified, including the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and the African Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights, making them directly applicable to the courts and administrative authorities (Zambia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - women  - girls |  |
| 128.42 Continue efforts to domesticate ratified human rights conventions such as the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the African Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights (Kenya);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.9 Adopt specific legislation to protect victims of violence and other human rights violations committed against persons on the basis of their real or imputed sexual orientation or gender identity, in line with resolution 275 of the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights (Netherlands);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A29 Cooperation with regional mechanisms  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.13 Protect lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons from discrimination by amending sections 164, 165 and 167 of the Penal Code of Botswana to decriminalize same-sex activities among consenting adults and by explicitly including sexual orientation and gender identity as listed grounds of non-discrimination in section 3 of the Constitution (Germany);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.14 Prohibit discrimination towards the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex community, at the same time ensuring the full respect of everyone’s human rights, regardless of their sexual orientation or gender identity (Uruguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 128.57 Amend the 2009 Children’s Act to include the definition of child trafficking and to criminalize the worst forms of child labour (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  F33 Children: protection against exploitation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.12 Ensure the adoption of specific legislation to fight discrimination, hate speech and violence based on sexual orientation and gender identity (Brazil);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D28 Gender-based violence  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.41 Abolish the practice of corporal punishment by introducing appropriate changes to legislation (Russian Federation);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.42 Explicitly prohibit corporal punishment of children in all settings, including in the home, schools and penal institutions (Estonia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.43 Outlaw corporal punishment in all settings (Kenya);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.44 Take legislative measures to prohibit all forms of corporal punishment against children and to conduct awareness-raising campaigns to ensure that non-violent forms of discipline are administered in a manner consistent with the child’s dignity (Liechtenstein);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F32 Children: family environment and alternative care  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.11 Enact legislation to eliminate discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity (Australia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.8 Continue efforts to harmonize laws and review the dual system between customary law and common law in order to remove contradictions and inconsistencies (Tunisia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A42 Institutions & policies - General*** | | | |
| 128.34 Consider developing, in consultation with Parliament and civil society, a policy framework to guide practices and procedures concerning international treaty processes that creates rights and obligations under international law (Ghana);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A42 Institutions & policies - General  A43 Human rights policies  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)*** | | | |
| 128.35 Adopt a national action plan on the implementation of Security Council Resolution 1325 (2000) (Portugal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: A54 Awareness raising and dissemination*** | | | |
| 129.15 Initiate awareness-raising activities for the general public on the human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons, in order to prevent stigmatization and discrimination and to support civil society actors in similar efforts (Finland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | A54 Awareness raising and dissemination  B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A61 Cooperation with civil society  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| ***Theme: A61 Cooperation with civil society*** | | | |
| 128.54 Enlarge the space for participation of civil society for more democratic governance and social inclusion (Republic of Korea);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | A61 Cooperation with civil society  A47 Good governance  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: B31 Equality & non-discrimination*** | | | |
| 129.47 Repeal laws that criminalize consensual, same-sex conduct between adults and ensure all legislation, policies and programmes do not discriminate on the bases of sexual orientation or gender identity (Canada);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  A42 Institutions & policies - General  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.51 Build upon recent court decisions upholding the human rights of transgender persons and take action to decriminalize lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex status or conduct (United States of America);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.45 Decriminalize consensual, same-sex sexual acts (Sweden);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.46 Decriminalize same-sex sexual activities and ensure non-discrimination in accordance with Botswana’s domestic and international human rights obligations (Iceland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.48 Decriminalize consensual sexual relations between people of the same sex and act to stop the discrimination suffered by people because of their sexual orientation (Spain);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.49 Analyse modifying the legislation that criminalizes sexual relations between adults of the same gender in order to guarantee the rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (Argentina);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.50 Repeal the law repressing homosexuality (France);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 128.47 Authorize sex changes (France);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  E42 Access to health-care (general)  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 128.66 Review laws in order to stop violations of women’s rights in the areas of adoption, marriage, divorce, burial and devolution of property on death and other personal law matters (Honduras);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 128.46 Continue to address concerns about discrimination based on sex, sexual orientation or gender identity (Philippines);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.10 Eliminate normative exceptions and practices contrary to the principle of non-discrimination which are not in line with international human rights treaties (Ecuador);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: D23 Death penalty*** | | | |
| 129.22 Establish a moratorium on the death penalty as a first step towards its full abolition and ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Portugal);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A12 Acceptance of international norms  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.33 Hold public consultations on the use of the death penalty and consider ratifying the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Uruguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A12 Acceptance of international norms  D1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.35 While welcoming the public debates on the death sentence, Namibia encourages Botswana to consider placing a moratorium on executions, commute all death sentences to other sentences and consider ratifying the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Namibia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A12 Acceptance of international norms  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.26 Enact a moratorium on the use of the death penalty, with a view to abolishing it, and enhance the promotion and the protection of the right to life (Holy See);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D21 Right to life  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.28 Establish and implement a moratorium on executions as a first step towards the abolition of the death penalty (Belgium);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.16 Abolish the death penalty (France) (Honduras);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.17 Consider abolishing the death penalty (Mozambique);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.18 Give due consideration to the legal abolition of the death penalty and to the commutation of all death sentences to terms of imprisonment (Liechtenstein);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.19 Impose a moratorium on the use of the death penalty (Montenegro);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.20 Establish an official moratorium on executions and abolish the death penalty (Germany);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.21 Establish a moratorium on the application of the death penalty, with a view to holding informed debates about its full abolition (Mexico);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.23 Agree to a moratorium on the death penalty as a first step towards its ultimate abolition, as previously recommended (Ireland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.25 Consider implementing a moratorium on the death penalty (Ghana);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.27 Establish a formal moratorium on the death penalty, as a step towards complete abolition of this practice (Australia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.29 Establish a moratorium on the use of the death penalty, with a view to its abolition in law and practice (Chile);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.30 Establish a moratorium on executions, with a view to fully abolishing the death penalty, as previously recommended (Estonia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.31 Consider a moratorium on the death penalty, with a view to its legal and practical elimination (Ecuador);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.32 Repeal the death penalty and consider a moratorium pending its complete abolition (Canada);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.34 Consider initiating an inclusive public discussion on the implementation of a moratorium on the death penalty with the aim of abolishing it (Angola);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.24 Impose a country-wide moratorium on the death penalty that immediately halts all sentences and executions, with a view toward complete abolition of the death penalty (Iceland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.36 Promote a national debate on the death penalty, with a view to establishing a moratorium on executions (Italy);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.37 Abolish the death penalty definitively, hold a public debate to that end, and, in the meantime, humanize the process to mitigate the suffering of the persons sentenced and their families (Spain);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D23 Death penalty  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general  - children  - prison officials |  |
| ***Theme: D28 Gender-based violence*** | | | |
| 129.38 Take measures to eliminate all forms of sexual and gender-based violence, including through criminalizing marital rape, investigating and prosecuting all acts of sexual violence and providing training to law enforcement officials on sexual and gender-based violence (Canada);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | D28 Gender-based violence  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F13 Violence against women  A53 Professional training in human rights  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - law enforcement / police officials  - prison officials |  |
| ***Theme: D43 Freedom of opinion and expression*** | | | |
| 128.51 Ensure that all journalists can report freely on government activities without threat or harassment (United States of America);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D43 Freedom of opinion and expression  E31 Right to work  E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - media |  |
| 128.52 Improve legal protections for journalists, especially those receiving information from whistle-blowers or covering government protests (Australia);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D43 Freedom of opinion and expression  E31 Right to work  E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - media |  |
| 128.53 Refrain from using criminal charges to obstruct freedom of information and expression, including for journalists who receive information from whistle-blowers (Netherlands);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D43 Freedom of opinion and expression  E31 Right to work  E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work  S08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - media |  |
| ***Theme: D51 Administration of justice & fair trial*** | | | |
| 128.50 Disseminate further the legal aid programme aimed at promoting access to justice, increase the number of offices for legal aid throughout the country and extend the mandate of the legal aid programme to include criminal issues (Algeria);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  B51 Right to an effective remedy  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality*** | | | |
| 128.75 Amend the Citizenship Act and the citizenship regulations in accordance with the Convention on the Rights of the Child, so as to ensure every child’s right to a nationality (Belgium);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 128.76 Adopt legislative measures, administrative measures and programmes which ensure the registration of all children born within its borders, regardless of their parents’ migratory status or nationality, including refugees, foundling children and those born outside of hospitals (Mexico).  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  G5 Refugees & asylum seekers  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children  - migrants  - vulnerable persons/groups  - stateless persons |  |
| 128.73 Adopt legislative and normative acts to ensure the right of all children to acquire citizenship and ensure that no child is born stateless (Russian Federation);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 128.74 Amend its legislation in order to grant nationality to any child born in Botswana who would otherwise be stateless, as well as to foundlings (Sierra Leone);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: E25 Human rights & poverty*** | | | |
| 129.53 Widen the scope of poverty eradication programmes and increase the budget assigned to them (Turkey);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E25 Human rights & poverty  A12 Acceptance of international norms  E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 129.52 Provide sustainable solutions to alleviate poverty and reduce high unemployment rates (20 per cent of the total of those able to work) (Syrian Arab Republic);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E25 Human rights & poverty  E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general  E31 Right to work  S01 SDG 1 - poverty  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: E33 Trade union rights*** | | | |
| 128.59 Amend the Trade Disputes Act and Trade Unions and Employees Organizations Act to conform to international standards, including protecting workers’ right to organize (United States of America);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | E33 Trade union rights  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| ***Theme: E41 Right to health - General*** | | | |
| 128.62 Widen the programmes to combat HIV for non-Botswana nationals (France);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | E41 Right to health - General  E42 Access to health-care (general)  E43 Access to sexual and reproductive health and services  S03 SDG 3 - health  **Affected persons:**  - persons living with HIV/AIDS |  |
| 128.63 Affirm that there is no international human right to abortion, resist calls to liberalize abortion and further implement laws aimed at protecting the right to life of the unborn child (Kenya);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | E41 Right to health - General  E43 Access to sexual and reproductive health and services  S03 SDG 3 - health  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  **Affected persons:**  - women  - children |  |
| ***Theme: E51 Right to education - General*** | | | |
| 129.54 Constitutionally guarantee the right to education of children and adolescents (Chile);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E51 Right to education - General  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.55 Enshrine the right to education in its Constitution (Timor-Leste);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E51 Right to education - General  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.56 Ensure that the right to education, which is a fundamental human right, is enshrined in its Constitution, and that the right to basic and further education for all is protected (State of Palestine);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E51 Right to education - General  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| 129.57 Ensure education and equal rights for all citizens in its Constitution (Syrian Arab Republic);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | E51 Right to education - General  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - general |  |
| 128.64 Take all appropriate measures to ensure children’s equal access to quality education, including, when possible, education in their own language (Finland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | E51 Right to education - General  S04 SDG 4  - education  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: F12 Discrimination against women*** | | | |
| 128.65 Adopt measures based on the principle of gender equality that protect women’s rights and safety and punish any discriminatory or harmful practice against them (Uruguay);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | F12 Discrimination against women  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F13 Violence against women*** | | | |
| 129.39 Take urgent steps to address gender-based violence, including the creation of an act that makes marital rape illegal in Botswana (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | F13 Violence against women  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 129.40 Enact specific legislation on marital rape and ensure that all violence against women and girls constitutes a criminal offence, as previously recommended (Ireland);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8 - Para. 129 | Noted | F13 Violence against women  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - women  - girls |  |
| ***Theme: F14 Participation of women in political and public life*** | | | |
| 128.56 Increase women’s representation in decision-making positions, in particular in the areas of access to water and services (Iraq);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | F14 Participation of women in political and public life  E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| 128.55 Create mechanisms to increase the representation of women in positions of responsibility (Togo);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | F14 Participation of women in political and public life  S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment  **Affected persons:**  - women |  |
| ***Theme: F34 Children: Juvenile justice*** | | | |
| 128.49 Raise the minimum age of criminality (Turkey);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | F34 Children: Juvenile justice  D51 Administration of justice & fair trial  B51 Right to an effective remedy  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - children |  |
| ***Theme: G1 Members of minorities*** | | | |
| 128.71 Strengthen programmes that are aimed at preserving and reinforcing the rights of people belonging to minorities (France);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | G1 Members of minorities  A43 Human rights policies  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| ***Theme: G3 Indigenous peoples*** | | | |
| 128.72 Ensure that indigenous peoples receive proper access to public services and water, and repeal the hunting ban, as recommended by the United Nations Special Rapporteur (Canada);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | G3 Indigenous peoples  A24 Cooperation with special procedures  E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation  A41 Constitutional and legislative framework  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - Indigenous peoples |  |
| 128.69 Increase efforts to promote the rights and well-being of indigenous peoples (Philippines);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | G3 Indigenous peoples  A43 Human rights policies  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - Indigenous peoples |  |
| 128.70 Strengthen measures to protect minorities and indigenous people living in the country (Benin);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | G3 Indigenous peoples  A43 Human rights policies  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - Indigenous peoples |  |
| ***Theme: G4 Migrants*** | | | |
| 128.60 Take effective measures to improve the condition of migrant workers in compliance with international standards (Holy See);  **Source of position:** A/HRC/38/8/Add.1 | Noted | G4 Migrants  E31 Right to work  E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work  S10 SDG 10 - inequality  S16 SDG 16 - peace, justice and strong institutions  **Affected persons:**  - migrants |  |