| **Recommendation** | **Position** | **Full list of themes** | **Assessment/comments on level of implementation** |
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| ***Theme: A12 Acceptance of international norms*** |
| 104.1 Complete the ongoing national procedures to ratify core human rights conventions (Bahamas); Accelerate the process of signing and ratifying the core international instruments for the protection and promotion of human rights (Georgia); Speed up the process of ratification or accession to international human rights instruments (Senegal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.2 Make further efforts to accede to the main international United Nations human rights instruments (Iraq);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.5 Seek the technical and other assistance necessary to honour its national and international human rights commitments, especially with the ratification of treaties and conventions (Barbados);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.16 Ratify the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (France) (Ukraine);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsB32 Racial discrimination**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.11 Intensify efforts to ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Fiji); Expedite the process of ratifying the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Indonesia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 104.12 Ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Denmark) (France) (Ukraine);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 104.13 Ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and its Optional Protocol (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 104.14 Ratify, as previously recommended, the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and its Optional Protocol (Portugal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 104.15 Consider ratifying the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Chile) (Kyrgyzstan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 104.10 Intensify efforts to accede to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, as well as other conventions, notably the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Ghana);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatmentE1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.17 Ratify the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD32 Enforced disappearances**Affected persons:**- disappeared persons |  |
| 104.19 Ratify the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Denmark);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.18 Consider ratifying the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (Kyrgyzstan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsG4 Migrants**Affected persons:**- migrants |  |
| ***Theme: A21 National Mechanisms for Reporting and Follow-up (NMRF)***  |
| 104.27 Establish a national mechanism for reporting and follow-up (Costa Rica); Establish a national mechanism for implementing, reporting and follow-up (Bahamas);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A21 National Mechanisms for Reporting and Follow-up (NMRF)**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies*** |
| 104.26 Submit its initial and periodic reports to the treaty bodies of the human rights instruments to which it is a party (Peru);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.24 Take advantage of the technical assistance offered by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, in order to improve its reporting records (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodiesA28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.25 Continue engaging international and regional partners, including OHCHR, to address issues regarding capacity and resources required to better fulfil its international treaty obligations (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodiesA28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.22 Complete and submit pending reports to the treaty bodies, in particular those addressed to the Committee on the Rights of the Child and the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodiesF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women- children- girls |  |
| ***Theme: A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)***  |
| 104.103 Include active measures in the national gender policy project 2018–2028, in order to combat sexism and hyper-masculinity, as follow-up to all the accepted universal periodic review recommendations on gender equality and women’s and girls’ empowerment (Haiti);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)F12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: A28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions*** |
| 104.23 Intensify cooperation with the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights in order to build capacity and implement their international obligations (Iraq);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistance*** |
| 104.67 Continue efforts to address the effects of climate change, with the mobilization of further assistance from the international community (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistanceB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A41 Constitutional and legislative framework*** |
| 104.122 Promulgate legislative changes to address sexual offences against children (Bahamas);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.29 Review existing national legislation to ensure conformity with international human rights treaties to which it is a party (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.137 Develop a more comprehensive policy or legislation in the implementation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, including through close collaboration with other States parties in the developing world (Indonesia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistanceF3 Children**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 104.95 Implement a public advocacy campaign to combat sexual violence against women and children, including appropriate training for law enforcement, educators, and medical personnel, as well as effective support and accountability for victims (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB51 Right to an effective remedyF13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.81 Criminalize child pornography and trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation (Panama);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF33 Children: protection against exploitation**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.107 Adopt a law on protection against domestic violence (Senegal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD29 Domestic violence**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.109 Adopt legislative and regulatory measures to strengthen efforts to combat domestic violence, further promote the rights of persons with disabilities and establish a national institution for the coordination of questions relating to persons with disabilities (Togo);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD29 Domestic violence**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 104.90 Guarantee by law the right to education of children with special needs and apply an inclusive approach to incorporate them in the general education system (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkE51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.138 Carry out legislative reforms that guarantee the right to education of children with disabilities, guaranteeing an inclusive education that comprises safe physical access to educational facilities (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkE51 Right to education - GeneralF3 Children**Affected persons:**- children- persons with disabilities |  |
| 104.105 Strengthen actions to combat violence against women and children (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF13 Violence against womenF32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- women- children |  |
| 104.130 Strengthen the legislative child protection regime by speedily enacting the care and adoption bill and the child justice bill while giving primary consideration to the best interests of the child (Seychelles);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.133 Continue promoting progress in its legislative and institutional framework for the promotion and protection of the rights of the Kalinago indigenous peoples (Dominican Republic);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkG3 Indigenous peoples**Affected persons:**- Indigenous peoples |  |
| ***Theme: A42 Institutions & policies - General*** |
| 104.58 Continue to build a “Climate Resilient Nation” that has at the centre the mitigation of climate change for the enjoyment of human rights (Barbados);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.59 Continue developing public policies to address climate change and reduce risks related to natural disasters, adopting a human rights-based approach (Chile);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.117 Strengthen the Bureau of Gender Affairs (Senegal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.134 Strengthen the work carried out by the Ministry of Kalinago Affairs to improve the socioeconomic and cultural conditions of the Kalinago population (Peru);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralG3 Indigenous peoplesS10 SDG 10 - inequality**Affected persons:**- Indigenous peoples |  |
| ***Theme: A43 Human rights policies*** |
| 104.61 Ensure that a human rights-based approach is incorporated into the implementation of the Climate Resilience Act of 2018 (Fiji);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesA44 Structure of the national human rights machineryB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.62 Adopt a human rights-based approach in the implementation of the Climate Resilience Act 2018 and the action plan of the Climate Resilience Execution Agency of Dominica (Panama);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesA44 Structure of the national human rights machineryB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.63 Take into account the vulnerabilities, needs and views of women, children, youth, elderly persons, persons with disabilities, indigenous peoples and other marginalized groups in the implementation of the resilience and recovery plan of the Climate Resilience Execution Agency (Fiji);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesA44 Structure of the national human rights machineryB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- women- children- Indigenous peoples- persons with disabilities- older persons |  |
| 104.64 Further enhance the participation of vulnerable groups and communities in the development and implementation of measures on climate resilience and disaster risk management (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesA44 Structure of the national human rights machineryB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 104.66 Ensure that a human rights lens is adopted in the implementation of the Climate Resilience Act and the plans of action of the Climate Resilience Execution Agency of Dominica (Seychelles);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesA44 Structure of the national human rights machineryB73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.110 Fully implement the draft national gender policy 2018–2028 (Bahamas);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.118 Continue taking measures in order to increase the political and social participation of women (Azerbaijan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.135 Take further steps to advance the rights of people with disabilities through the implementation of social programmes (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesF4 Persons with disabilities**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 104.38 Put in place additional programmes for the rights of older persons, persons with disabilities and the Kalinago population (Panama);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A43 Human rights policiesS10 SDG 10 - inequality**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities- older persons |  |
| ***Theme: A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)***  |
| 104.123 Adopt additional measures and allocate the necessary resources in order to adequately enforce its National Action Plan on Child Sexual Abuse and update the mandatory reporting protocol for child abuse (Brazil);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.84 Continue implementation of a road map to be devised within the national action plan with the aim of eliminating violence against children, child labour and child pregnancy, along with reducing poverty and social and territorial inequality and discrimination (Turkey);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A46 National Plans of Action on Human Rights (or specific areas)E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - generalF32 Children: family environment and alternative careF33 Children: protection against exploitationS01 SDG 1 - poverty**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: A54 Awareness raising and dissemination*** |
| 104.92 Promote human rights awareness-raising activities among citizens (Myanmar);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | A54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: B51 Right to an effective remedy*** |
| 104.65 Continue to cooperate closely with the United Nations bodies and other relevant international organizations to remedy all of the effects of Hurricane Maria, which occurred in September 2017, for the benefit of all citizens, especially children and displaced persons (Serbia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | B51 Right to an effective remedyA28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- children- internally displaced persons |  |
| ***Theme: B73 Human rights and climate change*** |
| 104.55 Continue its efforts for resilience to climate change (Algeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | B73 Human rights and climate changeS13 SDG 13 - climate change**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: D26 Conditions of detention*** |
| 104.78 Address shortages of judicial, prosecutorial and police staffing, which contribute to lengthy pretrial detentions and severe backlogs in the judicial system (United States of America);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionD51 Administration of justice & fair trial**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| ***Theme: D29 Domestic violence*** |
| 104.100 Continue fighting against sexual violence, including domestic violence (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | D29 Domestic violence**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.99 Urgently adopt the domestic violence act (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | D29 Domestic violenceA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.120 Take further measures to prevent and combat domestic violence and to ensure the education of children in schools (Algeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | D29 Domestic violenceE51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.98 Implement measures to eliminate violence and discrimination against women, including the amended domestic violence act, strengthen the functioning of the Bureau of Gender Affairs and finalize and implement the national policy and action plan for gender equality (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | D29 Domestic violenceF12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation*** |
| 104.68 Continue disaster relief and rehabilitation and further promote sustainable economic and social development (China);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementationE21 Right to an adequate standard of living - generalS08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general*** |
| 104.69 Continue its efforts to reduce poverty and inequality (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty |  |
| 104.82 Continue strengthening its successful social programmes in the fight against poverty, exclusion and social inequality, with an emphasis on employment, education, health and food, particularly in the most vulnerable areas (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - generalE22 Right to foodE31 Right to workE41 Right to health - GeneralE51 Right to education - GeneralS01 SDG 1 - poverty**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 104.56 Adopt and implement effective policies to reduce poverty and unemployment, in particular through implementation of the sustainable development programme up to 2030 (Algeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - generalE31 Right to workS01 SDG 1 - povertyS08 SDG 8 - economic growth, employment, decent work**Affected persons:**- general- persons living in poverty |  |
| 104.89 Reinforce its positive actions to improve access to and quality services of health and education in the country for a better standard of living of its population (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E21 Right to an adequate standard of living - generalE41 Right to health - GeneralE51 Right to education - GeneralS01 SDG 1 - povertyS03 SDG 3 - health**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E23 Right to adequate housing*** |
| 104.57 Continue the construction of resilient housing facilities for its citizens who are affected by natural disasters (Azerbaijan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E23 Right to adequate housing**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E24 Right to social security*** |
| 104.60 Continue designing actions to ensure the welfare of its population, in particular children, women, the elderly and persons with disabilities, in its plans to address natural disasters and emergency situations (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E24 Right to social security**Affected persons:**- women- children- persons with disabilities- older persons |  |
| 104.83 Continue to strengthen the social security system and meet the living needs of vulnerable groups, including old people and persons with disabilities (China);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E24 Right to social security**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 104.140 Continue consolidating its achievements in promoting the rights and welfare of migrant workers (Dominican Republic).**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E24 Right to social securityG4 Migrants**Affected persons:**- migrants |  |
| 104.85 Strengthen the positive public assistance programmes which provide necessary public support to people in need (Plurinational State of Bolivia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E24 Right to social securityS03 SDG 3 - health**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: E41 Right to health - General*** |
| 104.86 Make continued efforts to ensure adequate health care is accessible to all segments of Dominican society (Guyana);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E41 Right to health - GeneralS03 SDG 3 - health**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.87 Continue to improve its national health care system and ensure access to quality health care for all (Kyrgyzstan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E41 Right to health - GeneralS03 SDG 3 - health**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.88 Promote increased access to the health insurance scheme for mothers and infants, ensuring more affordable prenatal and postnatal care for all Dominican mothers through increased awareness (Maldives);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E41 Right to health - GeneralS03 SDG 3 - health**Affected persons:**- women- children |  |
| ***Theme: E51 Right to education - General*** |
| 104.37 Strengthen policies aimed at combating discrimination affecting, in particular, Kalinago children in schools outside the territory reserved for persons belonging to this minority (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.91 Continue to deliver quality education for all children (Lao People’s Democratic Republic);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralS04 SDG 4 - education**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: F11 Advancement of women*** |
| 104.102 Continue to work towards empowerment of women and their integration in the society (Lao People’s Democratic Republic);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F11 Advancement of women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: F12 Discrimination against women*** |
| 104.115 Continue its efforts for gender equality (Myanmar);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.116 Swiftly finalize the update of Dominica’s national policy and action plan for gender equality (Portugal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.111 Continue with the project to reform the national gender policy and action plan, which aims to promote gender equality in the field of national development (Plurinational State of Bolivia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against womenA43 Human rights policiesS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.93 Take further steps to protect the rights of women and children, especially by strengthening support services (Australia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against womenF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.104 Continue consolidating the achievements made in the promotion of women’s rights, through the national policy and the plan of action on gender equality (Dominican Republic);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.113 Continue efforts to ensure gender equality across all sectors (Maldives);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against womenS05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: F13 Violence against women*** |
| 104.94 Promote the protection of women and girls against gender-based violence (Barbados);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.96 Prioritize conducting a study on the prevalence of gender violence (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.97 Continue efforts aimed at sensitizing the public on gender issues and strengthening systems for prevention of and response to gender-based violence (Georgia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.101 Continue its efforts in eliminating violence against women and girls to provide a safe living environment for them (Kyrgyzstan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women- girls |  |
| 104.108 Continue fighting against gender-based violence with measures based on prevention and awareness-raising in society (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 104.106 Continue its training and capacity-building programmes for duty bearers and stakeholders on addressing violence against women and children (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- women- children |  |
| ***Theme: F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection*** |
| 104.129 Invest in the protection of children from abuse by facilitating the process of reporting child abuse to the authorities and adopting a more victim-centred approach, in line with Sustainable Development Goal 16 (Netherlands);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: S09 SDG 9 - infrastructure, industrialization*** |
| 104.136 Take measures to ensure that accessibility for persons with disabilities is taken into account in the reconstruction or renovation of buildings and public and private infrastructure (Haiti);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Supported | S09 SDG 9 - infrastructure, industrializationF4 Persons with disabilities**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: A12 Acceptance of international norms*** |
| 104.3 Ratify all the core international human rights instruments to which it is not a party yet (Honduras);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.4 Adhere to or ratify the fundamental international human rights treaties (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international norms**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.36 Maintain efforts to promote and protect human rights in accordance with their international obligations, particularly in the implementation of measures to protect the most vulnerable segments of society (Turkey);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsA43 Human rights policiesS10 SDG 10 - inequality**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 104.33 Make efforts towards the establishment of the national human rights institutions and continue efforts towards the ratification of the international human rights treaties (Guyana);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsA44 Structure of the national human rights machinery**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.7 Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty to formalize its de facto moratorium on the death penalty with a view to abolition (Australia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsD1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementationD23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.8 Abolish the death penalty and ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Germany); Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and abolish the death penalty in domestic law (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsD1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementationD23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.9 Ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Togo) (Ukraine);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsD1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementationD23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.6 Consider ratifying the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty, and the Domestic Workers Convention, 2011 (No. 189) of the International Labour Organization (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsD1 Civil & political rights - general measures of implementationD23 Death penaltyE32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.21 Ratify and implement the International Labour Organization’s 2014 Protocol to the Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (No. 29) (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingE32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 104.20 Ratify the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Montenegro) (Portugal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A12 Acceptance of international normsE1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies*** |
| 104.28 Adopt an open, merit-based process when selecting national candidates for United Nations treaty body elections (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A41 Constitutional and legislative framework*** |
| 104.35 Strengthen specific legislation to combat discrimination based on disabilities, sexual orientation, gender identity or social status (Honduras);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.51 Protect lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons against violence and discrimination, in line with Sustainable Development Goal 10, by amending sections 14 and 16 of the Sexual Offences Act to decriminalize consensual same-sex conduct (Netherlands);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.34 Consider adopting legislation to strengthen the principle of non-discrimination, and which affords particular protection to persons belonging to vulnerable groups (Peru);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.40 Take measures to reduce the societal stigma faced by lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons, including repealing provisions in national law that criminalize same-sex relations, including in the Sexual Offences Act (Australia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.42 Decriminalize homosexual relations and fight discrimination against lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.43 Repeal all legislation and provisions that criminalize same-sex relations, including article 16 of the Sexual Offences Act, and implement measures to effectively prevent discrimination and social stigmatization of individuals based on sexual orientation and gender identity (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.44 Decriminalize same-sex acts (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.46 Amend anti-discrimination laws to include discrimination based on sexual orientation, gender identity and sex characteristics (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.47 Adopt concrete measures to combat discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity, including by repealing article 16 of the Sexual Offences Act 1998, to decriminalize consensual same-sex relations (Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.53 Repeal all legal provisions which discriminate against persons on the grounds of their sexual orientation and gender identity, including relevant language in the Sexual Offences Act (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.54 End criminalization of consensual same-sex sexual activity between adults (United States of America);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.48 Reinforce the anti-discriminatory legal framework in order to provide for a strengthened protection of the rights of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex community (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discriminationB53 Support to victims and witnesses**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.49 Promote a legal framework that protects persons from all forms of violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity, and review the Sexual Offences Act 1998, which criminalizes consensual same-sex relations between adults (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB31 Equality & non-discriminationB53 Support to victims and witnesses**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.45 Take all measures to protect lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex individuals, investigate all acts of violence motivated by the sexual orientation or gender identity of the victim, and bring the perpetrators to justice (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB51 Right to an effective remedyB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.71 Adopt legislation to abolish the death penalty (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.76 Adopt the necessary legislative measures for the complete abolition of the death penalty in the country (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.79 End criminalization of libel, which leads to selective self-censorship due to public and private threat of lawsuits (United States of America);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD43 Freedom of opinion and expression**Affected persons:**- media- human rights defenders |  |
| 104.80 Decriminalize defamation and place it under the civil code, in accordance with international standards, particularly regarding freedom of opinion and expression (Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD43 Freedom of opinion and expression**Affected persons:**- media- human rights defenders |  |
| 104.119 Combat all forms of abuse against boys, girls and adolescents, eliminating from its domestic legislation the provisions permitting corporal punishment by parents, teachers or legal guardians (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- girls |  |
| 104.139 Approve domestic legislation on asylum, creating a national procedure for the determination of refugee status (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkG5 Refugees & asylum seekers**Affected persons:**- refugees & asylum seekers |  |
| 104.52 Amend the Sexual Offences Act to decriminalize consensual same-sex sexual activity between adults and adopt measures to protect defenders of the rights of this community (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkH1 Human rights defendersB31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)- human rights defenders |  |
| ***Theme: A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)***  |
| 104.30 Take continuing steps to establish a national human rights institution in compliance with the Paris Principles (Australia); Continue its efforts in order to establish an independent national human rights institution in full accordance with the Paris Principles (Georgia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.31 Intensify national efforts to establish a national human rights institution (Indonesia); Intensify efforts to establish a national institution for the promotion and protection of human rights (Portugal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.32 Establish a national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris Principles (Iraq); Establish a national human rights institution (Montenegro);/ Establish a national institution for the promotion and protection of human rights, in accordance with the Paris Principles (Senegal); Establish a national human rights institution complying with the Paris Principles (Ukraine);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: B31 Equality & non-discrimination*** |
| 104.39 Take the necessary measures to repeal provisions of its national law that are discriminatory and that penalize relations between persons of the same sex (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.41 Advance protections for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons by prohibiting discrimination based on sexual orientation, or gender identity (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 104.50 Take measures to address discrimination based on sexual orientation or gender identity (Myanmar);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discrimination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| ***Theme: D23 Death penalty*** |
| 104.70 Consider repealing provisions of its national law on the death penalty (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.72 Abolish the death penalty and, in the immediate future, introduce a moratorium (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.73 Abolish the death penalty (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.74 Consider adopting a de jure moratorium on the death penalty, with a view to totally abolishing it (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA43 Human rights policies**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.75 Follow the de facto moratorium on the death penalty by its abolition (Portugal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA43 Human rights policies**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 104.77 Establish a formal moratorium on executions with a view to abolishing the death penalty (Ukraine);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D23 Death penaltyA43 Human rights policies**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: D26 Conditions of detention*** |
| 104.126 Outlaw all sentences of corporal punishment for children as well as life imprisonment for children under the age of 14. Ensure full compliance with international standards and take adequate measures to stop the persisting child abuse, in particular sexual abuse (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | D26 Conditions of detentionF32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| ***Theme: E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of work*** |
| 104.112 Strengthen measures to eliminate the wage gap between men and women in all sectors and to increase the representation of women in both the public and the private sectors (Honduras);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | E32 Right to just and favourable conditions of workF14 Participation of women in political and public life S05 SDG 5 - gender equality and women's empowerment**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: E41 Right to health - General*** |
| 104.114 Legalize the voluntary termination of pregnancy in cases of rape, incest and fetal malformation and when the mother’s health is at risk (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | E41 Right to health - GeneralF13 Violence against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| ***Theme: E51 Right to education - General*** |
| 104.125 Repeal legal provisions authorizing corporal punishment of children both at school and in the home (Chile);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | E51 Right to education - GeneralF32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.132 Take appropriate steps to prohibit and sanction corporal punishment in early childhood educational institutions (Togo);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | E51 Right to education - GeneralF32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: F32 Children: family environment and alternative care*** |
| 104.121 Strengthen measures to eliminate corporal punishment of boys, girls and adolescents from its national law (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | F32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- girls |  |
| 104.124 Abolish corporal punishment against children in the justice system (Brazil);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | F32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.127 Prohibit corporal punishment of children in all settings and take all measures to enforce it in practice (Iceland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | F32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.128 Make further efforts to ensure the rights of the children are respected, including by taking measures against the use of corporal punishment (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | F32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 104.131 Prohibit corporal punishment of children in all settings, as recommended previously (Slovenia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/42/9/Add.1 | Noted | F32 Children: family environment and alternative care**Affected persons:**- children |  |