| **Recommendation** | **Position** | **Full list of themes** | **Assessment/comments on level of implementation** |
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| ***Theme: Acceptance of international norms*** | | | |
| 26.55 Continue to bring its national legislation into line with the international human rights instruments that it is a party to (Russian Federation);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Acceptance of international norms  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.56 Continue its efforts in bringing its national legislation into compliance with international obligations (Kyrgyzstan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Acceptance of international norms  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.321 Continue measures to protect and promote the rights of migrant workers in line with the relevant international instruments (Sri Lanka);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Acceptance of international norms  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Migrants & domestic workers |  |
| ***Theme: Inter-State cooperation & development or humanitarian assistance*** | | | |
| 26.51 Continue efforts to share with other countries its successful experiences in the protection of children ’ s rights (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Inter-State cooperation & development or humanitarian assistance  **SDGs:**  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.52 Pursue initiatives to continue promoting dialogue, cooperation and tolerance between different cultures and religions (Armenia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Inter-State cooperation & development or humanitarian assistance  **SDGs:**  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.53 Continue to hold bilateral human rights dialogues with other countries (China);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Inter-State cooperation & development or humanitarian assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS |  |
| ***Theme: Constitutional & legislative framework*** | | | |
| 26.60 Pursue efforts to protect and support persons with special needs (Lebanon);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Constitutional & legislative framework  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: Legal, institutional & policy framework*** | | | |
| 26.57 Continue efforts to confront the negative impacts of unilateral coercive measures on the human rights of the Iranian people in order for them to overcome the obstacles resulting from such measures (Syrian Arab Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Legal, institutional & policy framework  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.58 Continue its efforts for the protection of vulnerable groups affected by economic sanctions and unilateral coercive measures (Democratic People ’ s Republic of Korea);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)*** | | | |
| 26.64 Continue ongoing efforts on the establishment of a national human rights institution (Turkmenistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.66 Continue its efforts to set up a national human rights institution (Afghanistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Equality & non-discrimination*** | | | |
| 26.308 Continue its initiatives aimed at the promotion and protection of the rights of the minorities and the strengthening of its legal measures (Cuba);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.314. Make further efforts to promote and protect the rights of minorities (Japan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.318 Take measures to protect religious and ethnic minorities and ensure their full and equal participation in public and private life (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 11 | Supported | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.322 Continue to ensure that all refugees within the territory of the Islamic Republic of Iran enjoy their basic human rights and are protected from arbitrary arrest, humiliation and enforced expulsion (Afghanistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Arbitrary arrest & detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - refugees & asylum seekers  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| ***Theme: Right to development*** | | | |
| 26.88 Continue promoting programmes that stimulate the development of rural and less developed areas (Dominican Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to development  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 26.89 Consolidate the progress made towards reaching the Sustainable Development Goals and improving the human development indicators (India);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to development  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS |  |
| 26.90 Pursue efforts to improve the human development index indicators, especially for education, health and fighting poverty (Lebanon);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to development  - Right to health  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.91 Continue to strengthen the human development indicators (Oman);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to development  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS |  |
| ***Theme: Human rights & climate change*** | | | |
| 26.93 Consider conducting a periodic review and assessment of its disaster risk reduction management and climate change adaptation efforts with due consideration for the protection of the most vulnerable sectors of society (Philippines);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights & climate change  - Human rights & the environment  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES  - 13 - CLIMATE ACTION  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment*** | | | |
| 26.142 Ensure freedom from torture while in detention (Canada);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Conditions of detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| ***Theme: Conditions of detention*** | | | |
| 26.145 Ensure that prison conditions comply with the United Nations Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners (the Nelson Mandela Rules), in particular by providing adequate health care (Austria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Conditions of detention  - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.146 Ensure that all individuals in custody receive adequate health care and treatment, including preventive measures, such as screening for medical conditions, free of charge and without discrimination (Malta);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Conditions of detention  - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.147 Ensure the rights of detainees and prisoners, and their right to receive satisfactory medical treatment (Norway);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Conditions of detention  - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| ***Theme: Good governance & corruption*** | | | |
| 26.181 Continue its legal and administrative efforts regarding anti-corruption measures (Kazakhstan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Good governance & corruption  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Administration of justice & fair trial*** | | | |
| 26.170 Guarantee the right to a fair trial, including the right to choose one ’ s lawyer, including for those accused of offences related to national security (Switzerland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.172 Take all necessary measures and procedures to ensure compliance with fair trial standards (Bahrain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.174 Continue strengthening the judicial system, especially in relation to the rights of women and children (Bhutan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - Women  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.175 Continue to effectively remove barriers for access to justice for women, children, persons with disabilities and persons in vulnerable situations (Fiji);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - vulnerable persons/groups  - Women  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.178 Ensure the independence of the judicial system, the rules of fair trial, the right to defence and access to a freely chosen lawyer (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| ***Theme: Right to effective remedy & reparations*** | | | |
| 26.324 Implement fully the relevant laws to hold to account the perpetrators of intimidation and reprisals against human rights defenders and journalists (Republic of Korea);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - media |  |
| ***Theme: Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information*** | | | |
| 26.162 Continue to enact and fully implement legislation that seeks to promote and protect the rights to freedom of the media, speech and religion (Ghana);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - media |  |
| 26.167. Take steps to encourage freedom of expression, ensuring that human rights defenders, lawyers and journalists are not subjected to intimidation or arbitrary arrest in connection with their work (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Arbitrary arrest & detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - media  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.325 Fully guarantee the rights of freedom of expression and to peaceful assembly and association, by creating an enabling environment, especially for women human rights defenders and human rights lawyers (Belgium);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.326 Protect human rights defenders and media workers and fully guarantee the right to freedom of expression and association (Slovenia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Freedom of association  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - media |  |
| ***Theme: Prohibition of slavery, trafficking*** | | | |
| 26.148 Continue to strengthen efforts to combat trafficking in women, young girls and children with regular monitoring (Sri Lanka);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Prohibition of slavery, trafficking  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - girls  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Human rights & poverty*** | | | |
| 26.189 Further develop initiatives aiming at accelerating poverty reduction and developing rural and less-developed areas (Viet Nam);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights & poverty  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| 26.191 Strengthen its ongoing approach for poverty reduction and development in the rural areas, in accordance with the 20-year Vision Plan (Myanmar);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights & poverty  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty  - persons living in rural areas  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| ***Theme: Right to an adequate standard of living*** | | | |
| 26.61 Continue implementing targeted programmes to further improve the well -being of older persons (Malaysia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - older persons |  |
| ***Theme: Right to adequate housing*** | | | |
| 26.186 Continue efforts to provide affordable housing for general populations and in particular for persons with low incomes (Qatar);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to adequate housing  - Human rights & poverty  **SDGs:**  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty |  |
| 26.187 Continue to implement the provisions of the Comprehensive Housing Plan 2017–2026 in order to guarantee the right to adequate housing for all (Dominican Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to adequate housing  **SDGs:**  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES |  |
| 26.188 Ensure effective implementation of the Comprehensive Housing Plan through adequate resources and a comprehensive monitoring mechanism (Malaysia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to adequate housing  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES |  |
| ***Theme: Human Rights & drinking water & sanitation*** | | | |
| 26.192 Continue to promote and protect the right to safe water and sanitation (Brunei Darussalam);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human Rights & drinking water & sanitation  **SDGs:**  - 6 - CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION |  |
| ***Theme: Right to health*** | | | |
| 26.183 Continue to promote the development of education and health care (China);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.196 Continue implementing the Health System Development Plan and the Health Insurance Scheme for further achievements in realizing the right to health (Viet Nam);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING |  |
| 26.197 Continue its efforts so that all citizens across the country have equal access to health-care services (Algeria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING |  |
| 26.198 Continue taking measures in the field of health and social security to enhance access to health, particularly of vulnerable groups (Bhutan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  - Right to social security  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 26.199 Continue the policies aimed at increasing the coverage and enjoyment of primary health-care services (Plurinational State of Bolivia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING |  |
| 26.200 Effectively implement the actions for the development of health insurance for all citizens, including in rural areas (Cuba);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 26.201 Preserve the major achievements registered by the Health System Development Plan and scale up its outreach (Ethiopia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.202 Further develop its existing policies to provide adequate and accessible maternal and child health care for all women and children, especially those in vulnerable situations (Fiji);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  - Access to sexual & reproductive health & services  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - Women |  |
| 26.203 Continue to expand its health insurance coverage to all citizens, including those in rural areas (India);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| ***Theme: Right to education*** | | | |
| 26.205 Continue its efforts and policies to prevent students from leaving schools (Pakistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.206 Continue to improve measures to provide educational facilities to children living in rural areas (Pakistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.207 Continue its efforts for enhancing educational and health services at rehabilitation and correction centres (Senegal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.208 Take the necessary measures to address the high dropout rates of girls in rural schools (Thailand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - girls |  |
| 26.209 Continue efforts to guarantee equal access to the right to education for all (Tunisia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.210 Continue taking measures in the field of education and capacity-building of human rights (Turkmenistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.211 Continue making progress in the transformation of the education system by ensuring the schooling of boys and girls throughout the country, incorporating human rights education (Uruguay);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - girls |  |
| 26.212 Continue to give special attention to the education of vulnerable groups of less developed rural areas and nomadic populations (Uzbekistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.213 Continue its policy and efforts to provide free education to nearly half a million refugee children (Algeria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - refugees & asylum seekers  - Children |  |
| 26.214 Enhance its efforts to make sure that all nationals have access to university education (Algeria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.215 Continue to implement targeted policies to combat illiteracy and promote quality education, particularly for girls, and in rural and poorer communities (Singapore);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in poverty  - girls  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| 26.216 Continue to introduce national policies to combat illiteracy (Brunei Darussalam);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.217 Scale up the activities of the Literacy Movement Organization where the literacy rate was raised to 95 per cent in 2018 (Ethiopia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.218 Further strengthen its efforts to promote access to education for all, especially in rural areas, and reduce the number of school dropouts (Sri Lanka);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| 26.219 Continue its efforts with regard to education, and adopt policies to enhance inclusion for girls, children with disabilities and children from rural areas (State of Palestine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - girls  - persons living in rural areas  - vulnerable persons/groups  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.220 Continue its efforts in promoting the right to education to ensure that all children, including children with disabilities, can have access to formal education (Lao People ’ s Democratic Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.221 Extend the length of compulsory primary and secondary education to at least 9 years of age, and progressively extend free education to 11 years of age (Mexico);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| 26.222 Pursue the implementation of education reforms in order to ensure access to education in all parts of the country (Oman);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to education  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION |  |
| ***Theme: Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising*** | | | |
| 26.68 Further promote human rights education and training programmes (Armenia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Law enforcement / police & prison officials  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.69 Continue measures to adopt laws and programmes in the field of human rights education (Azerbaijan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Law enforcement / police & prison officials  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.70 Continue strengthening its initiatives on human rights education (Cuba);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Law enforcement / police & prison officials  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.71 Continue its efforts to provide the necessary financial resources for the development of human rights and citizenship rights education (Kuwait);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Law enforcement / police & prison officials  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.72 Continue its efforts to establish, at universities, specialized training courses related to human rights (Kuwait);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Educational staff & students |  |
| 26.73 Pursue efforts to set up specialized training courses on human rights at universities (Nicaragua);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Educational staff & students |  |
| 26.74 Continue its efforts in the field of human rights capacity-building and training for duty bearers (Philippines);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Law enforcement / police & prison officials  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.75 Continue to enhance-capacity building and public awareness campaigns regarding citizenship rights (Kuwait);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.76 Continue improving public awareness-raising campaigns on citizens ’ rights (Nicaragua);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.77 Continue efforts to increase the financial resources that are needed for the development of education in human rights and citizens ’ rights (Nicaragua);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.78 Continue improving the training efforts of NGOs on the promotion and protection of children ’ s rights (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Human rights education, trainings & awareness raising  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Civil society  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Discrimination against women*** | | | |
| 26.246 Take steps to identify and remedy all laws that have a discriminatory impact on women and girls (Malta);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Discrimination against women  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - girls  - Women |  |
| 26.248 Continue to reform penal and civil laws to ensure non-discrimination against women and girls (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Discrimination against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - girls  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Participation of women in political & public life*** | | | |
| 26.227 Take effective measures to implement the decisions of the Supreme Administrative Council, which require the Government to allocate 30 per cent of its managerial positions to women, as well as the selection and appointment of professional directors on the basis of the requisite general and specialized competencies regardless of gender (Botswana);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.237 Continue measures to promote various rights of women, including participation in sports and access to sports facilities (Myanmar);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Advancement of women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.257 Continue to promote women ’ s participation in political and other decision-making processes (Bangladesh);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.258 Remove legal restrictions and social barriers to women ’ s equal participation in the workforce, access to education and participation in the conduct of public affairs (Canada);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Discrimination against women  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.259 Strengthen its efforts to promote representation of women in public and political life, including in leadership positions (Slovenia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Advancement of women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.329 Create a safe and enabling environment for civil society and human rights defenders, especially women human rights defenders (Norway).  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Advancement of women  - Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - Civil society  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Violence against women*** | | | |
| 26.228 Further promote women ’ s rights, strengthen policies and measures to combat violence against them, and facilitate their participation in political, social and professional spheres (Bulgaria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Violence against women  - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.238 Make all possible efforts to provide comprehensive frameworks for the non-discrimination of women and the protection of women and children from violence, including domestic violence (Poland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Violence against women  - Domestic violence  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - Women |  |
| 26.252 Continue its efforts in protecting the rights of women, inter alia, by finalizing the bill on the protection of women against violence (Indonesia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Domestic violence*** | | | |
| 26.256 Adopt the draft bill on the protection of women against domestic violence so as to criminalize domestic violence (Iceland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Domestic violence  - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles*** | | | |
| 26.285 Make additional efforts to provide health insurance for persons with disabilities (Serbia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Right to health  - Right to social security  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.286 Redouble its efforts to provide education facilities for children with disabilities (Pakistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.287 Give special attention to improving the social security system for persons with disabilities (Qatar);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Right to social security  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.288 Carry out efforts to successfully implement the Act on Protection of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Turkmenistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.290 Strengthen measures to facilitate access to education, especially for persons with disabilities (Angola);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.291 Continue its awareness-raising activities to combat stigma and discrimination against disabled persons and work towards the creation of a national committee for the coordination of the affairs of persons with disabilities to supervise the implementation of the Act on Protection of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities 2017 (Singapore);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Equality & non-discrimination  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.292 Take further action to promote and protect the rights of persons with disabilities (Japan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.293 Ensure the accessibility of health-care services and facilities for persons with disabilities (Malaysia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Right to health  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.294 Continue efforts in protecting the rights of persons with disabilities, especially women and children (Nigeria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - Women  - persons with disabilities |  |
| 26.295 Continue implementing measures to comply with the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Oman);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  - Acceptance of international norms  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: Persons with disabilities: protection against exploitation, violence & abuse*** | | | |
| 26.289 Adopt a strategy to prevent and combat all forms of exploitation, violence and abuse against persons with disabilities (Angola);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Persons with disabilities: protection against exploitation, violence & abuse  - Violence against women  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: Children: definition; general principles; protection*** | | | |
| 26.262 Continue to comprehensively assess the resources needed to exercise the rights of children, in particular from the budget for social policies (Serbia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.263 Enhance the protection and promotion of the rights of children (Tunisia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.264 Continue efforts to strengthen child protection mechanisms and speed up the process of adopting a bill to protect children and adolescents (Bangladesh);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Children: protection against exploitation  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.266 Strengthen educational and cultural programmes, especially in cases of early marriage, and pay further attention to children left behind or deprived of education (Syrian Arab Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Children: protection against exploitation  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Children: protection against exploitation*** | | | |
| 26.269 Enhance efforts to ensure full eradication of child marriages in certain parts of the country (Uganda);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - girls |  |
| 26.280 Accelerate efforts towards eliminating child abuse and child labour, and ensuring that legal action is taken against perpetrators (Sri Lanka);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.281 Continue its efforts to implement the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography (Iraq);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Acceptance of international norms  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Scope of international obligations*** | | | |
| 26.1 Uphold its international commitments under the human rights treaties that it is a party to (Ukraine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.26 Consider the possibility of ratifying the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (Niger);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Scope of international obligations  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Migrants & domestic workers |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance*** | | | |
| 26.47 Continue the cooperation with the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (Egypt);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.48 Continue its effort to cooperate with Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, the United Nations Development Programme and the Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights (Kazakhstan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  - Inter-State cooperation & development or humanitarian assistance  - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS |  |
| 26.59 Continue measures leading to landmine clearance on its territory, with the support of international and national stakeholders (Sri Lanka);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures*** | | | |
| 26.43 Continue to cooperate with all mandate holders of the Human Rights Council and provide them with the requisite responses (Egypt);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation & follow up with the Universal Periodic Review (UPR)*** | | | |
| 26.46 Further strengthen national capacities in the promotion and protection of human rights, taking into account the concluding observations of the treaty bodies and the recommendations of the universal periodic review (Belarus);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation & follow up with the Universal Periodic Review (UPR)  - Cooperation & Follow up with Treaty Bodies  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation with other regional & international mechanisms and institutions*** | | | |
| 26.49 Continue strengthening cooperation with regional and international institutions in the area of children rights (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation with other regional & international mechanisms and institutions  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.50 Develop cooperation with the international and regional mechanisms, including institutions, to exchange experiences and good practices on the rights of the child (Senegal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation with other regional & international mechanisms and institutions  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation and meaningful consultation with civil society & participation*** | | | |
| 26.79 Continue its efforts to ensure an effective presence for civil society organizations and NGOs in the local and international human rights arena (Kyrgyzstan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation and meaningful consultation with civil society & participation  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  - 17 - PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS  **Affected persons:**  - Civil society |  |
| 26.92 Optimize civil society capacity and participation in protecting the rights of people affected by natural disaster (Indonesia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Cooperation and meaningful consultation with civil society & participation  - Human rights & the environment  - Human rights & climate change  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES  - 13 - CLIMATE ACTION  **Affected persons:**  - Civil society |  |
| ***Theme: Economic crisis, natural disasters or other emergencies*** | | | |
| 26.94 Ensure that women, children and persons with disabilities are meaningfully engaged in the development of legislation and policies on climate change and disaster risk reduction (Fiji);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Economic crisis, natural disasters or other emergencies  - Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles  - Human rights & climate change  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 11 - SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES  - 13 - CLIMATE ACTION  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups  - persons with disabilities |  |
| ***Theme: Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence*** | | | |
| 26.255 Step up efforts for the protection of women from gender-based violence (Montenegro);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Violence against women  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Freedom of thought, conscience & religion*** | | | |
| 26.310 Protect the rights of Christians and other minorities and promote interfaith dialogue between religious groups in the Islamic Republic of Iran (Haiti);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| ***Theme: Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation*** | | | |
| 26.182 Continue to promote economic and social development, in order to provide a solid foundation for the enjoyment of all the human rights of its people (China);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES |  |
| 26.184 Continue its efforts to implement the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Iraq);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  - Acceptance of international norms |  |
| 26.185 Sustain its efforts in enhancing the socioeconomic well-being of its people (Nigeria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  - Right to an adequate standard of living |  |
| 26.195 Continue its socioeconomic development programmes, including national strategy plans in the field of human rights (Democratic People ’ s Republic of Korea);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementation  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES |  |
| ***Theme: Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights*** | | | |
| 26.193 Ensure timely and effective implementation of the plan on employment of the rural population to ensure sustainable employment on the basis of equal access to employment (Uzbekistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas |  |
| 26.194 Continue efforts to promote sustainable employment in rural and nomadic regions (Plurinational State of Bolivia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - persons living in rural areas  - vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 26.223 Enhance efforts to create suitable job positions for women graduating from universities (Peru);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Advancement of women*** | | | |
| 26.224 Further strengthen measures to support the economic participation of women (Philippines);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.226 Take measures in increasing the economic participation rate of women in different sectors of employment (Azerbaijan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.229 Continue taking additional steps to increase women ’ s participation in higher education (Cambodia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Discrimination against women  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.230 Identify new initiatives to further promote women ’ s entrepreneurship (Cambodia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.231 Continue adopting legislative measures promoting the protection and promotion of women ’ s rights (Dominican Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.234 Take further measures to promote and protect women ’ s rights (Japan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.235 Continue its activities towards the adoption of the legislative acts in the field of promotion and protection of women and family (Kyrgyzstan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.236 Continue to implement its legislative programmes and measures to further promote the rights, as well as the empowerment, of women in all areas (Lao People ’ s Democratic Republic);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.249 Continue efforts to enhance women ’ s rights and protect women from violence by carrying out the adoption of related projects of law (Tunisia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.261 Continue to support and empower women in public life (Nepal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Advancement of women  - Participation of women in political & public life  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Children: Juvenile justice*** | | | |
| 26.284 Take steps to ensure that all criminal trials, including trials involving juvenile offenders, are fairly conducted in a manner that meets international standards (Ghana);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.11 | Supported | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Acceptance of international norms*** | | | |
| 26.32 Ratify the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court and fully align national legislation with all its obligations under the Rome Statute (Latvia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Acceptance of international norms  - International criminal & humanitarian law (including crimes against humanity, war crimes, genocide)  - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - public officials  - military staff |  |
| 26.54 Take measures to bring its domestic legislation into compliance with the Convention on the Rights of the Child and ensure that the provisions of the Convention prevail whenever there is a conflict with domestic law (Republic of Moldova);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Acceptance of international norms  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)*** | | | |
| 26.62 Complete the necessary measures for the creation of a national human rights commission in line with the principles relating to the status of national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights (the Paris Principles) (Qatar);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.63 Continue efforts to create a national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris Principles (Tunisia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.65 Speed up the adoption of a bill on the establishment of a national human rights institution (Uzbekistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.67 Accelerate measures to establish a national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris Principles (Nepal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Equality & non-discrimination*** | | | |
| 26.80 End discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, including repealing provisions in the Penal Code that criminalize consensual same-sex activities between adults (Canada);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.81 Review its legislation and policies so as to ensure non-discrimination, especially on the grounds of religion or belief, as well as sexual orientation and gender identity (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.82 Repeal the provisions in its Penal Code that criminalize consensual same-sex activities between adults (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.83 Abolish all legislation resulting in discrimination, prosecution and punishment of people based on their sexual orientation and gender identity (Israel);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.84 Decriminalize consensual same-sex relations (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.85 Take all the necessary measures to eliminate and prohibit discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression (Luxembourg);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.86 Take measures of protection against violence and discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation and gender identity (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.124 Repeal the relevant articles of the Penal code, including those that impose the death penalty and flogging for offences related to consensual same-sex conduct between adults, with a view to fully decriminalize same-sex relations between consenting adults (Iceland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Death penalty  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.296 Take the necessary measures to respect and guarantee the rights of all minorities, including religious minorities (Switzerland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.297 Strengthen norms and policies for ethnic and religious minorities so that they can fully enjoy their human rights (Peru);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.298 Strengthen its efforts to prevent and eradicate discrimination against religious and ethnic minorities (Republic of Korea);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.299 End immediately and fully the systematic persecution, including killings, arbitrary detention and torture in places of detention, of members of religious minorities in the Islamic Republic of Iran, and promote effective remedies and compensation for all victims and their families (Saudi Arabia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.300 Amend the constitutional provisions that give the followers of the Twelver Template preferential treatment over the rest of the followers of Islamic entities and other religions in the Islamic Republic of Iran (Saudi Arabia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.301 Adjust national legislation, in line with the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, in order to ensure the enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms by all persons regardless of religion and ethnicity (Ukraine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Acceptance of international norms  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.302 Undertake the necessary legal, administrative and policy measures to address discrimination and the limitations that may be placed upon the rights of members of ethnic and religious minority groups (Seychelles);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 14 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.303 Amend legislation and judicial procedures to ensure that no religious group is the subject of discrimination so that all religious groups receive the same treatment under the law (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.304 End discrimination in law and practice against all religious and ethnic minorities, and ensure full protection of their rights (Austria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.305 Eliminate all forms of discrimination against religious and ethnic minorities, including the Baha ’ is, Christians and Ahwazi Arabs, and ensure respect for their religious freedoms and cultural rights (Bahrain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.307 Take measures to ensure non-discrimination against ethnic and religious minorities (Canada);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2, 7 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.311 Identify and remedy all laws that have a discriminatory impact on persons belonging to the ethnic or religious minorities, including the Baha ’ i community (Iceland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.312 Ensure that the fundamental rights of ethnic and religious minorities are not violated (Israel);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.313 Guarantee equal rights for all citizens, regardless of their religion (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.319 Abolish laws, regulations and policies that discriminate on the basis of religion or belief in the areas of employment, education and participation in public life (North Macedonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Equality & non-discrimination  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| ***Theme: Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment*** | | | |
| 26.138 Remove all national law provisions that allow for punishments that amount to torture or cruel and degrading treatment (Ukraine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.139 Immediately end the use of torture, and credibly investigate and prosecute all allegations of torture, including the deaths in custody of Kavous Seyed-Emami and Mohammad Raji, and prosecute those found responsible (United States of America);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Conditions of detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.140 Immediately investigate all allegations involving the torture and other ill-treatment of those arrested or detained during the demonstrations in December 2017, and hold those responsible to account (Australia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.6, 14 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Right to peaceful assembly  - Conditions of detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.141 Immediately demonstrate that all detainees in prison are neither tortured nor subject to cruel or inhuman treatment or punishment (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Conditions of detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.143 Ensure automatic, independent and impartial investigation of allegations of torture (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2, 6 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.144 Define torture as a crime in national legislation in line with international standards (Greece);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Good governance & corruption*** | | | |
| 26.87 Halt the diversion of the country ’ s wealth abroad and focus on development to ensure that human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran are protected (Saudi Arabia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Good governance & corruption  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Administration of justice & fair trial*** | | | |
| 26.171 Establish an independent judiciary, including significant reforms to the revolutionary courts, and implement fair trial guarantees (United States of America);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.173 Promptly allow an impartial trial process that weighs evidence and ensures defendants, and lawyers of their choosing, can have timely access to the charges and evidence (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.176 Put in place measures aimed at respecting legal safeguards, for instance, through the publication of the sentences handed down and the possibility of appealing them, as well as complying with international standards in cases in which persons are temporarily detained (Spain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.177 Guarantee the right to a fair trial and repeal article 48 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.179 Align laws and practices on the right to a fair trial and on the rights to freedoms of opinion and expression, of peaceful assembly and association, and of religion and belief with international obligations and commitments, by removing restrictions against human rights defenders, lawyers, journalists, and ethnic and religious minorities, including the Baha ’ i community (Lithuania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Right to peaceful assembly  - Acceptance of international norms  - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - media  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.180 Guarantee, in law and practice, fair trial standards, including access to legal representation from the time of arrest through all stages of trial and appeals, and abate torture, cruel and inhuman or degrading treatment (North Macedonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| ***Theme: Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information*** | | | |
| 26.156 Guarantee freedom of expression, particularly of men and women human rights defenders and journalists, and repeal legal provisions that affect these rights (Argentina);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.10, 14 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - Women |  |
| 26.157 Guarantee the rights to freedom of expression, association and assembly, and release political prisoners, including women ’ s rights activists, labour rights activists, environmentalists, scholars, lawyers and journalists, detained for exercising these rights (Australia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - Women  - media  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.158 End restrictions on the right to freedom of expression and opinion, in accordance with the provisions of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (Chile);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.10, 19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.159 Abolish provisions of the Penal Code that excessively restrict the rights to freedom of expression, association and peaceful assembly, and release all prisoners of conscience (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.160 Adopt measures to guarantee the unrestricted exercise of freedoms of expression, association and assembly by the Iranian population (Spain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Freedom of association  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.161 Implement its international obligations to ensure the protection of human rights defenders, lawyers and others exercising their rights to freedom of opinion and expression, assembly and association in compliance with international human rights law, and to ensure that all investigations, prosecutions and trials against human rights defenders meet international standards (Finland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Impunity & transparency  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists |  |
| 26.163 Release all detainees who have been imprisoned for exercising their rights of freedom of expression and peaceful assembly as guaranteed under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (Ireland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.164 End the practice of filtering online content and restricting access to the Internet (Israel);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.165 Guarantee freedom of opinion, expression and assembly and cease arresting human rights defenders peacefully exercising these rights (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists |  |
| 26.166 Repeal or amend articles 186, 498, 610, 638 and 639 of the Islamic Penal Code, which criminalize rights regarding freedom of expression and the broad and vague definitions of which are arbitrarily misused to silence human rights defenders, including through imprisonment and corporal punishment (Netherlands);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists |  |
| 26.168 Cease the censorship of the media, as well as the arbitrary detention and intimidation of journalists (Norway);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Arbitrary arrest & detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - media |  |
| 26.169 Guarantee freedom of peaceful assembly, expression and the press, by removing the restrictions to access local and international news sites, and by releasing persons detained for having exercised or defended these rights (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  - Right to peaceful assembly  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists |  |
| ***Theme: Human rights & poverty*** | | | |
| 26.190 Strengthen efforts to further reduce poverty, in particular in provinces populated by persons belonging to ethnic minorities (Bulgaria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 14 | Noted | - Human rights & poverty  - Right to an adequate standard of living  **SDGs:**  - 1 - NO POVERTY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| ***Theme: Access to sexual & reproductive health & services*** | | | |
| 26.204 Provide information and education for young people on reproductive health in schools, in line with international standards (Iceland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Access to sexual & reproductive health & services  - Right to health  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 3 - GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - youth |  |
| ***Theme: Discrimination against women*** | | | |
| 26.15 Take adequate measures, such as ratification of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, to enhance the equal role of women in society, in particular in political, economic, social and cultural life, including sports, as recommended in 2014 (Greece);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.225 Undertake far-reaching reforms of the legislation relating to the status and rights of women and amend legislation on the lawful marriage age to increase it to 18 years old (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.239 Accelerate its efforts to ensure equal treatment of women and girls, including by ratifying the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Thailand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Advancement of women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.242 Continue to strengthen the legislative framework and policies on gender equality (India);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.9 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.243 Align national legislation with international standards on gender equality (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.9 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Acceptance of international norms  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.244 Ensure equal treatment of women in law and practice, in line with the relevant recommendations of the Human Rights Committee (Latvia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Cooperation & Follow up with Treaty Bodies  - Acceptance of international norms  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.245 Strengthen the efforts to eliminate all forms of discrimination against women and girls and consider ratification of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Lithuania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - girls  - Women |  |
| 26.247 Review and repeal discriminatory laws and policies against women and girls, particularly those related to employment and education respectively, and ensure that all children and girls enjoy the same rights provided by the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and the Convention on the Rights of the Child (Mexico);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Discrimination against women  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Acceptance of international norms  - Right to education  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Participation of women in political & public life*** | | | |
| 26.232 Remove restrictions on the types of jobs that women can do, including the requirement to obtain the husband ’ s permission (Honduras);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.233 Eliminate obstacles to the employment of women on the basis of equality between men and women and protect and promote the rights of working women and their equal treatment in public and private employment in accordance with article 7 of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (Honduras);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.260 Improve gender balance in the distribution of civil service positions, ministerial portfolios and other high-ranking political positions (Honduras);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Violence against women*** | | | |
| 26.250 Expedite the adoption of the pending draft bill on the provision of women ’ s security against violence and exercise due diligence in preventing and punishing gender-based violence in line with international norms (Sierra Leone);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Violence against women  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.251 Adopt and fully implement laws to combat discrimination and violence against women and girls, including domestic violence and marital rape (Finland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Domestic violence  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - girls  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Children: family environment and alternative care*** | | | |
| 26.265 Prohibit all forms of corporal punishment of children in all settings (Estonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Children: family environment and alternative care  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Children: protection against exploitation*** | | | |
| 26.267 Adopt legislation prohibiting all acts condoning or leading to child sexual abuse, and ensure legally that all persons below the age of 18, without exception, are considered as children and therefore are provided with all the rights under the Convention on the Rights of the Child (Portugal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.268 Develop programmes and policies for the prevention, recovery and social reintegration of child victims, including child brides, in accordance with the documents adopted at the World Congresses against Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (Uganda);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.270 Raise the minimum age of marriage to 18 years for both boys and girls without exception and eliminate the practice of early and forced marriage (Belgium);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Violence against women  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - girls |  |
| 26.271 Prohibit child labour of children below 16 years of age (Uruguay);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.272 Promote all necessary measures to repeal all legal provisions that authorize, tolerate or contribute to the sexual abuse of girls, and investigate and punish these kinds of acts (Argentina);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Violence against women  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - girls |  |
| 26.273 Investigate sexual exploitation of children aged under 18, including through forced, early and temporary marriage, and develop a national plan to protect children at risk (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Right to effective remedy & reparations  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.274 Introduce a minimum legal age for marriage in line with the Convention on the Rights of the Child (Cyprus);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.275 Raise the legal minimum age of marriage, initially by amending article 1041 of the Civil Code to eliminate all exceptions to the application of the minimum age (Denmark);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY |  |
| 26.276 Modify the legislation on the minimum age to marry and to consent to sexual relations in accordance with international standards, and adopt all necessary measures to end child marriages (Ecuador);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY |  |
| 26.277 End forced marriages and violence against women and girls, including by establishing the minimum age of marriage (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.8, 14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Violence against women  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - girls  - Women |  |
| 26.278 Legislate a minimum legal age for marriage in line with the standards of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Legal, institutional & policy framework  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.279 Amend its legislation in order to adopt a minimum age of marriage with the aim of ending child, early and forced marriage (Honduras);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.8, 19 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.282 Strengthen the efforts to combat all harmful practices against women and girls, including female genital mutilation and child, early and forced marriage, also by raising to 18 years the minimum legal marriage age (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.8,14 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Violence against women  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Children: definition; general principles; protection  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.283 Adopt domestic legislation to increase the minimum marriage age, in line with the Convention on the Rights of Child (Kenya);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Children: protection against exploitation  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Rights related to name, identity & nationality*** | | | |
| 26.323 Ensure that children of registered refugees and unregistered foreigners are provided with birth certificates (Afghanistan);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Rights related to name, identity & nationality  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - refugees & asylum seekers  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Scope of international obligations*** | | | |
| 26.2 Continue to adhere to more international human rights conventions (State of Palestine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.3 Consider ratification of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Georgia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.4 Consider ratifying the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocol to ensure protection of women ’ s rights (Botswana);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.5 Consider the ratification of human rights instruments to which it is still not a party, in particular 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 (Republic of Korea);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.6 Ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Republic of Moldova) (Estonia) (Burundi) (Kenya); Accede to the Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination against Women (Czechia); Ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women in order to enable women to play an active role in society, especially in political, economic and cultural life and sports (Bahrain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.7 Ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocol, and develop and implement policies promoting gender equality and the participation of women in all areas of public and private life (Ecuador);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Acceptance of international norms  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - vulnerable persons/groups  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.8 Ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Togo); Accede to the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.9 Ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and its Optional Protocol (Republic of Moldova) (Estonia) (Denmark);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.10 Become a party to 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 (Seychelles);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.11 Ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocol (Togo) (Uganda); Ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocol, as previously recommended during the second review cycle in 2014 (Burkina Faso);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.12 Sign and ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Croatia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.13 Accede to the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.14 Redouble efforts on gender equality, by ratifying the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocol in order to guarantee equality between men and women (Spain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.16 Ratify 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 and incorporate their provisions in its legal framework (Luxembourg);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Acceptance of international norms  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.17 Adhere to 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 and ensure their effective implementation (North Macedonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Acceptance of international norms  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.18 Sign and ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.19 Initiate steps towards ratification of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Austria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.20 Intensify its efforts to ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Fiji);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.21 Ratify core international human rights conventions, in particular the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Right to physical & moral integrity  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.22 Consider ratifying the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment at its earliest convenience (Ghana);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.23 Consider ratifying the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (Indonesia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Migrants & domestic workers  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.24 Ratify core international human rights conventions, in particular the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Latvia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.25 Ratify the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, as previously recommended during the second review cycle in 2014 (Burkina Faso);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Right to work and to just & favorable conditions of work & labour rights  **SDGs:**  - 8 - DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  **Affected persons:**  - Migrants & domestic workers |  |
| 26.27 Ratify the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (Senegal) (Togo);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Enforced disappearances  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Disappeared persons |  |
| 26.28 Ratify and fully align national legislation with the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, as well as ratify core human rights conventions, such as the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (Slovenia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - International criminal & humanitarian law (including crimes against humanity, war crimes, genocide)  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - public officials  - Women  - military staff |  |
| 26.29 Sign and ratify the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (Ecuador);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Right to life  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.30 Ratify the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (Estonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - International criminal & humanitarian law (including crimes against humanity, war crimes, genocide)  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - public officials  - military staff |  |
| 26.31 Ratify the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, as well as the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (Poland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - International criminal & humanitarian law (including crimes against humanity, war crimes, genocide)  - Prohibition of torture & cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - public officials  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees  - military staff |  |
| 26.33 Ratify the Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons and the Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness (Kenya);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Scope of international obligations  - Rights related to name, identity & nationality  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - stateless persons |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance*** | | | |
| 26.41 Cooperate fully with the United Nations human rights mechanisms, including by inviting the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran to the country (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  - Cooperation & Follow up with Treaty Bodies  - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures*** | | | |
| 26.34 Continue constructive exchanges with the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran, and cooperate with all Special Rapporteurs who wish to visit the Islamic Republic of Iran (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.35 Cooperate fully with the United Nations human rights mechanisms, including by inviting the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran to visit the country (Australia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.36 Cooperate with the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran by accepting his requests to visit the country (Chile);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.37 Fully cooperate with the United Nations special procedures, and enable a country visit by the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.38 Fully cooperate with and grant immediate and unfettered access for the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran (Sweden);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.39 Fully cooperate with, and engage in, a substantive and constructive dialogue with the United Nations special procedures (Sierra Leone);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.40 Extend a standing invitation to special procedure mechanisms (State of Palestine); Launch a standing invitation to all special procedures of the Human Rights Council (Republic of Moldova);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.42 Strengthen its cooperation with the Human Rights Council mechanisms, in particular special procedure mandate holders, and accept their visits (Peru);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  - Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and institutions & requests for technical assistance  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.44 Take the necessary steps to implement the commitment extended to special procedures by accepting the pending visit requests (Latvia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.45 Accept a visit by the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Cooperation & Follow up with Special Procedures  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Human rights & counter-terrorism*** | | | |
| 26.95 End immediately and fully the support and financing of the terrorist groups in the region, such as Hizbullah in Lebanon and the Ansar Allah al-Houthi group in Yemen, which has led to grave violations of human rights (Saudi Arabia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.10 | Noted | - Human rights & counter-terrorism  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.96 Promote human rights by acceding to the international treaties on combating the financing of terrorism and money laundering, and adhere to international standards on transparency in the financial sector (Saudi Arabia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Human rights & counter-terrorism  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.97 Accelerate the enactment of binding and strict national legislation to prevent and criminalize the transfer of funds financing terrorist groups and entities whose acts prevent individuals and communities enjoying their fundamental human rights, namely, the right to a safe life (Bahrain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Human rights & counter-terrorism  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| ***Theme: Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation*** | | | |
| 26.327 End all forms of harassment, including judicial harassment, against human rights defenders, including human rights lawyers and journalists (Greece);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - Civil society  - media  - judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 26.328 Take urgent action to improve the protection of human rights defenders, including those defending women ’ s and girls ’ full enjoyment of human rights (Sweden);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.2, 27 | Noted | - Civil & political rights - general measures of implementation  - Advancement of women  - Participation of women in political & public life  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - girls  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Death penalty*** | | | |
| 26.99 Undertake steps towards introduction of a moratorium on the death penalty, which would allow the Islamic Republic of Iran to consider signature and ratification of the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty (Poland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.100 Commute the sentences of persons sentenced to death, establish a moratorium on executions and ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (Portugal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Scope of international obligations  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.101 Abolish death sentences for persons under 18 years of age and commute all existing sentences for offenders on death row who had committed a crime while under the age of 18 years (Republic of Moldova);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.106 Establish a five-year moratorium to work progressively towards the abolition of capital punishment, by allowing open and public debate on the question of the death penalty with all actors in society (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.107 Take the necessary measures to eliminate the death penalty from its national legislation and, until such derogation is made, establish an official moratorium on executions of all persons currently sentenced to death (Argentina);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.108 Establish a formal moratorium on the death penalty, as a step towards its complete abolition, and, as an immediate step, prohibit the application of the death penalty for offences committed by minors (Australia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.111 Revise the Penal Code to ensure consistency with its international obligations, including article 6 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, so that the death penalty is reserved for only the most serious crimes, never imposed for crimes committed by persons below 18 years of age, and never imposed arbitrarily (Canada);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.112 Consider the abolition of the death penalty and ensure that no minor can be sentenced to death (Chile);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.113 Abolish the death penalty in the country under any circumstances (Croatia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.114 Reduce the number of offences punishable by death, commencing with drug-related offences, as well as prohibit the use of the death penalty against those who were minors at the time the crime was committed (Cyprus);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.5, 14 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.115 Establish an official moratorium on executions with a view to abolishing the death penalty, at least for juvenile perpetrators (Czechia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.116 Further amend the drug trafficking law to remove all mandatory death sentences for drug-related offences and adopt a moratorium on execution, particularly of juvenile offenders (Denmark);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.118 Continue reforms to the Penal Code in order to restrict the death penalty to the most serious crimes, which would be progress towards the full abolition of the death penalty (Spain);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.7, 14 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.119 Establish a moratorium on the application of the death penalty with a view to its permanent abolition, cease the executions of minors and repeal articles 233 to 235 of the Penal Code (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.120 Take further steps towards the substitution of mandatory death penalties for prison sentences for all drug-related offences (Georgia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.121 Establish a formal moratorium on the death penalty; in particular, cease all planned executions of juvenile offenders and prohibit the imposition of the death penalty for crimes committed by minors (Germany);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.122 Establish an official moratorium on executions with a view to abolishing the death penalty (Greece);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.123 Implement a moratorium on all executions, with a view to abolishing the death penalty (Iceland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.126 End the widespread use of the death penalty, especially on minors (Israel);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.127 Introduce a moratorium on executions, with a view to the complete abolition of the death penalty, and ban the use of executions for crimes committed by minors (Italy);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.128 Consider a moratorium on the death penalty with a view to abolishing it (Latvia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.129 Comply fully with the relevant obligations under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Convention on the Rights of the Child and consider introducing a moratorium on the death penalty (Lithuania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.130 Establish a moratorium on the death penalty with a view to its complete abolition (Luxembourg);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.131 Consider an official moratorium on executions with a view to abolishing the death penalty, particularly for offences related to consensual same-sex conduct between adults (Malta);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.132 Set moratoriums on the application of the death penalty for those who were minors at the time of the crime, and with regard to the criminalization of consensual same-sex relationships (Mexico);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Equality & non-discrimination  - Children: Juvenile justice  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children  - lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI) |  |
| 26.133 Establish an immediate moratorium on the use of the death penalty (Montenegro);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.134 Immediately introduce a moratorium on the death penalty, including for juvenile offenders, as a first step towards abolition (Sweden);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.135 Cease immediately the use of the death penalty, especially for those under the age of 18 years at the time of offending (New Zealand);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.136 Establish a moratorium on the death penalty, especially for juveniles and work towards its abolition (North Macedonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.137 Abolish the death penalty, and stop planned executions for persons who committed crimes before the age of 18 (Norway);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Death penalty  - Children: Juvenile justice  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| ***Theme: Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence*** | | | |
| 26.241 Repeal article 1108 of the Civil Code that compels wives to always satisfy their husbands ’ sexual needs (Argentina);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 | Noted | - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Rights related to marriage & family  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Domestic violence  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.253 Criminalize legally gender-based violence, including domestic violence and marital rape (Portugal);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Domestic violence  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| 26.254 Criminalize gender-based violence, including domestic violence and marital rape (Uruguay);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Sexual & other forms of gender-based violence  - Violence against women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Domestic violence  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Arbitrary arrest & detention*** | | | |
| 26.149 Immediately release all Iranian prisoners of conscience, including Narges Mohammadi, Nasrin Sotoudeh, Youcef Nadarkhani and Esmail Bakhshi, and others unjustly detained, including Xiyue Wang, Bob Levinson and Siamak Namazi, who are citizens of the United States (United States of America);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.150 Release women human rights defenders imprisoned for executing their fundamental rights (Austria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Human rights defenders & activists  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.151 End the arbitrary detention of foreign nationals and guarantee their consular rights and decent conditions of detention (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Conditions of detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.152 Immediately release dual and foreign nationals, including journalists, who are detained arbitrarily (Israel);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Arbitrary arrest & detention  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| 26.155 Release all persons detained for exercising their rights to freedom of expression, association and peaceful assembly, and repeal or amend laws and other provisions criminalizing or restricting the exercise of those rights (Switzerland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.10, 19 | Noted | - Arbitrary arrest & detention  - Right to peaceful assembly  - Freedom of opinion & expression & right to information  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Persons deprived of their liberty & detainees |  |
| ***Theme: Freedom of thought, conscience & religion*** | | | |
| 26.153 Ensure, both in law and in practice, that all individuals or groups of individuals enjoy their right to freedom of religion or belief (Poland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS |  |
| 26.154 Take concrete steps to protect the human rights of Christians in its territory to follow up on the 46 recommendations addressed to the Islamic Republic of Iran on freedom of religion during the first two cycles (Haiti);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.306 Amend article 13 of the Constitution to ensure that all religious minorities are able to fully enjoy the right to freedom of religion or belief (Brazil);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.309 Guarantee freedom of religion or belief, and put an end to discrimination based on religious or ethnic membership (France);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.14 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.315 Amend domestic laws to provide all religious minorities with recognition and enable them to fully enjoy the right to freedom of religion or belief (Kenya);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.316 Put an end to the persecution of religious minorities, including Baha ’ is, for their participation in social, education and community activities which are part of their religious practices (Luxembourg);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 4 - QUALITY EDUCATION  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.317 Amend article 13 of the Iranian Constitution to ensure that all religious minorities, including Muslims, Christians, Christian converts, Jews, non-believers, Zoroastrians and the Baha ’ i in the country, are recognized and able to fully enjoy the right to freedom of religion and belief (Netherlands);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| 26.320 Ensure the freedom of religion and belief for minorities, such as the Baha ’ is and Christian converts, by adopting concrete measures to eliminate discrimination and enhance protection (Norway);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Freedom of thought, conscience & religion  - Equality & non-discrimination  **SDGs:**  - 10 - REDUCED INEQUALITIES  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - minorities/ racial, ethnic, linguistic, religious or descent-based groups |  |
| ***Theme: Advancement of women*** | | | |
| 26.240 Abolish laws requiring women to wear hijabs in public, end legal prohibitions on women ’ s full participation in society, and stop criminalizing women ’ s calls for reform (United States of America);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Advancement of women  - Constitutional & legislative framework  - Participation of women in political & public life  - Discrimination against women  **SDGs:**  - 5 - GENDER EQUALITY  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Women |  |
| ***Theme: Children: Juvenile justice*** | | | |
| 26.98 Establish an official moratorium on the executions of minors under the age of 18 at the time of the crime, amend its Penal Code and commute the sentences of juveniles (Switzerland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Administration of justice & fair trial  - Death penalty  - Constitutional & legislative framework  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.102 Establish a moratorium on the death penalty, in particular in relation to juvenile offenders (Ukraine);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.103 Abolish the death penalty at least for crimes committed by persons under 18 years of age, in accordance with its obligations under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Convention on the Rights of the Child, and commute all death sentences for juvenile offenders (Belgium);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.104 Take all necessary measures to establish a moratorium on the death penalty by prohibiting its application to persons who were minors at the time of the commission of the crime (Uruguay);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.105 Impose an immediate moratorium on the execution of minors (Albania);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.5, 19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.109 Ensure that the death penalty is never imposed in violation of article 6 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, and consider establishing an official moratorium on executions of juvenile offenders (Austria);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.110 Abolish the execution of children and commute the death sentences of all minors on death row (Brazil);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.5, 19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.117 Introduce a moratorium on executions, especially for juvenile offenders, with a view to progressively abolishing the death penalty (Estonia);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |
| 26.125 Establish a moratorium on executions and ratify the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, and immediately end death sentences for individuals under the age of 18 at the time of their alleged crime in line with the Islamic Republic of Iran ’ s obligations under the Convention on the Rights of the Child (Ireland);  **Source of Position:** A/HRC/43/12/Add.1 - Para.19 | Noted | - Children: Juvenile justice  - Death penalty  **SDGs:**  - 16 - PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  **Affected persons:**  - Children |  |