



Pledge submitted by Botswana to the Human Rights 75 Secretariat  
December 2023

**Original language of submission:** English

**Type of pledge:** Single (by one state/actor)

**Pledging entity:** Republic of Botswana

**PLEDGE NUMBER 1:** Botswana will strengthen her collaboration with civil society in the promotion and protection of human rights and create a conducive environment for civil society participation.

**Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised:** Dec 31, 2024

**PLEDGE NUMBER 2:** Botswana will continue to adopt measures to address and combat Gender Based Violence.

**Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised:** Dec 31, 2024

**PLEDGE NUMBER 3:** Botswana will continuously strengthen the national human rights institution to ensure full alignment with the Paris Principles.

**Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised:** Dec 31, 2024

**PLEDGE NUMBER 4:** Botswana will enhance opportunities for the economic empowerment of citizens by 2024, particularly youth, women, and people living with disabilities through increased public investment programmes including agricultural development, water reticulation, land ownership, and bridging the digital divide.

**Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised:** Dec 31, 2024