



**Pledge submitted by Ethiopia to the Human Rights 75 Secretariat
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Original language of submission: English

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

Pledging entity: The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

Pledge Number 1: To develop, validate, adopt, and commence the implementation of a victim-centered, genuine, participatory, inclusive, and comprehensive national transitional justice policy which is grounded on applicable international and regional human rights standards and principles (adoption by the end of 2023; implementation to start in early 2024).

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024

Pledge Number 2: To adopt and implement the third National Human Rights Action Plans which prioritizes civil and political rights as its main focus areas.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024

Pledge Number 3: To provide capacity-building training based on international and regional standards and best Practices on techniques of investigating atrocity crimes, including conflict-related sexual violence, to prosecutors and police officers (by first quarter of 2024)

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024

Pledge Number 4: To enact a comprehensive legislation on the crime of torture in line with the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (CAT) to which Ethiopia is a party to since 1994.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024

Pledge Number 5: To enact a comprehensive legal framework and working procedures to implement the recently inaugurated National Free Legal Aid Strategy.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024

Pledge Number 6: To adopt and implement a national migration policy in accordance with international standards and accepted principles.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: May 30, 2024