

THE ROLE OF A MEMBER OF THE WORKING GROUP AT THE UPR

<u>UPR Stage:</u>	<u>Timescale:</u>	<u>What to do:</u>
<u>Before the Review</u>	Review (R) – 10 days	Submit written questions to the State under Review (SuR). These written questions have to be transmitted first through the Troika and then the Secretariat of the Human Rights Council.
<u>During the Review</u>	R	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend the review. • Ask questions to the SuR. • Make recommendations to the SuR.
<u>Adoption in the Working Group (WG)</u>	R + 3 days	Check the wording of its recommendations in the Report of the WG and eventually intervene to point out possible errors.
<u>After the Adoption in the WG</u>	R + 2 weeks	Check the correctness of the summary of its statement in the Report and eventually make editorial changes through the HRC Secretariat.
<u>Human Rights Council Session – Adoption in the Plenary</u>	R + 3 to 4 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask for clarifications to the SuR on its final responses to recommendations. • Raise concerns, if any, on the SuR responses.
<u>Between two Reviews</u>	R + 1 to 4 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow-up on its recommendations made to the SuR. • Monitor their implementation.