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Universal Periodic Review

Report of the Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review*

Mauritius

Addendum

Views on conclusions and/or recommendations, voluntary commitments and replies presented by the State under review

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Mauritius response to the recommendations from the third cycle of the Universal Periodic Review

1. The following sets out Mauritius response to the 176 recommendations received during Mauritius’s third Universal Periodic Review (UPR) in November 2018.

2. Consultations regarding the recommendations were held in Mauritius with ministries, departments and national human rights institutions and the civil society organizations, through the national mechanism for reporting and follow-up (NMRF).

3. Mauritius reports that it accepts 133 out of the 176 recommendations, either in full or in part. Recommendations that Mauritius accepts are those that it will support and undertake to implement through appropriate measures. Recommendations that are noted, are those that call for specific actions that are presently not yet under consideration.

International human rights instruments and framework

4. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:

5. Mauritius takes note of the following recommendations:

National human rights institutions


LGBTI, sexual orientation and gender identity

7. Mauritius takes note the following recommendations:

Climate change and disaster risks

8. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
   115.60, 115.61, 115.62, 115.63, 115.64.

Abuses by security forces and police

9. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
   115.68, 115.69, 115.70, 115.71.

Democracy, rule of law and good governance

10. Mauritius accepts the recommendations 115.38, 115.74 and 115.75.

Human trafficking

11. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
Poverty and standard of living

12. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
   115.88, 115.89, 115.90, 115.91, 115.92, 115.93, 115.94, 115.95, 115.166.

Education and human rights awareness

13. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:

Gender equality and gender based violence

14. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:

Protection and empowerment of women

15. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:

Rights of the child

17. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
   18. Mauritius takes note of the recommendation 115.176.

Rights of persons with disabilities

19. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:

Discrimination against vulnerable groups and minorities

20. Mauritius accepts the following recommendations:
   115.55, 115.56, 115.57, 115.58, 115.87, 115.163.

Terrorism, torture and prison condition

21. Mauritius accepts the recommendations 115.66, 115.67, 115.72 and 115.73.
Other recommendations

22. Mauritius accepts the recommendations 115.76 and 115.97.
23. Mauritius takes note of the recommendation 115.129.