

Responses to Recommendations

MOROCCO

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Morocco's responses to recommendations:

In the Report of the Working Group:	In the Addendum:	During the plenary:	Recommendations pending responses:	Summary:
11 REC accepted; 0 rejected, 2 pending	No addendum	The 2 pending REC were commented but no clear position was given	None	Accepted: 11 Rejected: 0 No clear position: 2 Pending: 0

List of recommendations contained in Section II of the Report of the Working Group A/HRC/8/22:

“75. In the course of the discussion, the following recommendations were made to encourage Morocco:

1. To ratify the Convention of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Mexico);
2. To sign the OP-CAT (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);
3. To communicate to the United Nations Secretary-General the withdrawal of its reservations to CEDAW (article 9, paragraph 2, article 16, paragraph 1 (h), and article 16, paragraph 2, as well as its declaration on article 15, paragraph 4) (Slovenia);
4. To continue its achievements in the field of Human Rights (Saudi Arabia);
5. While recognizing the efforts of Morocco to promote a culture of human rights and human rights education and training, to carry on with its efforts to disseminate and consolidate the human rights culture in the country (Syrian Arab Republic);
6. To continue, as it has done, to ensure respect for the human rights of all migrants (Mexico);
7. To continue its efforts to improve prison conditions (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);

8. While recognizing achievements of the *Instance Équité - Reconciliation* (IER), to continue to implement the remaining recommendations of the IER (Netherlands);

9. To continue the harmonization of its domestic law with regard to its international obligations on human rights (Netherlands);

10. Several States requested that Morocco's needs in respect to technical cooperation, as included in paragraph 49 above and paragraphs 144-152 of the national report, be addressed (Senegal, Ghana, Bangladesh, France);

11. To continue with the training of law enforcement officials, based on the request for technical cooperation contained in paragraph 152 of the national report (Switzerland).

76. Other recommendations noted in the report in paragraph 72 and paragraph 65 above, will be examined by Morocco which will provide responses, if any, in due time."

- Paragraph 72 (Switzerland): "It recommended that Morocco ratify the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court and continue training of law enforcement officials, based on the request for technical cooperation contained in paragraph 152 of the national report."

- Paragraph 65 (Latvia): "It recommended that Morocco consider extending a standing invitation to special procedures."

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