# **Tables for UN Compilation on Tuvalu**

# I. Scope of international obligations<sup>1</sup>

## A. International human rights treaties<sup>2</sup>

	Status during previous cycle	Action after review	Not ratified/not accepted
Ratification, accession or succession	CEDAW (1999)	CRPD (2013)	ICERD
	CRC (1995)		ICESCR
			ICCPR
			ICCPR-OP 2
			CAT
			OP-CAT
			OP-CRC-AC
			OP-CRC-SC
			ICRMW
			ICPPED
Complaints procedures,			ICCPR-OP 1
inquiries and urgent action <sup>3</sup>			ICERD
			OP-ICESCR
			ICCPR
			OP-CEDAW
			CAT
			OP-CRC-IC
			ICRMW
			OP-CRPD
			ICPPED

## **B.** Other main relevant international instruments

	Status during previous cycle	Action after review	Not ratified
Ratification, accession or succession	Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 <sup>4</sup>		Additional Protocols I, II and III to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949

Conventions on refugees<sup>5</sup> ---

Convention against Discrimination in Education

Convention on stateless

persons<sup>6</sup>

Convention on the Prevention and

Punishment of the Crime

of Genocide

Rome Statute of the International Criminal

Court

Palermo Protocol<sup>7</sup>

ILO fundamental Conventions<sup>8</sup>

ILO Conventions Nos. 169 and 1899

## II. Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and bodies

## A. Cooperation with treaty bodies<sup>10</sup>

#### Reporting status

Treaty body	Concluding observations included in previous review	Latest report submitted since previous review	Latest concluding observations	Reporting status
CEDAW		2012	February 2015	Fifth report due in 2019
CRC		2012	September 2013	Second to fifth reports overdue since 2017
CRPD				Initial report overdue since 2016

#### Responses to specific follow-up requests from concluding observations

Treaty body	Due in	Subject matter	Submitted
CEDAW	2017	Discriminatory Legislation; Implementation of the Family Protection and Equality Domestic Violence Act; Criminalization of	12

## B. Cooperation with special procedures<sup>13</sup>

	Status during previous cycle	Current status
Standing invitations	No	Yes
Visits undertaken	Water and sanitation (17-19 July 2012)	
Visits agreed to in principle		
Visits requested		
Responses to letters of allegation and urgent appeal		

### C. Status of national human rights institutions<sup>14</sup>

National human rights institution	Status during previous cycle	Status during present cycle <sup>15</sup>

#### Notes

2 The following abbreviations have been used in the universal periodic review document:

ICERD	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of
	Racial Discrimination;
ICESCR	International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural
	Rights;
OP-ICESCR	Optional Protocol to ICESCR;
ICCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights;
ICCPR-OP 1	Optional Protocol to ICCPR;
ICCPR-OP 2	Second Optional Protocol to ICCPR, aiming at the abolition of
	the death penalty;
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination
	against Women;
OP-CEDAW	Optional Protocol to CEDAW;
CAT	Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or
	Degrading Treatment or Punishment;
OP-CAT	Optional Protocol to CAT;
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child;
OP-CRC-AC	Optional Protocol to CRC on the involvement of children in
	armed conflict;

Unless indicated otherwise, the status of ratification of instruments listed in the table may be found on the official website of the United Nations Treaty Collection database, Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations Secretariat, http://treaties.un.org/. Please also refer to the United Nations compilation on Tuvalu from the previous cycle (A/HRC/WG.6/16/TUV/2).

OP-CRC-SC Optional Protocol to CRC on the sale of children, child

prostitution and child pornography;

OP-CRC-IC Optional Protocol to CRC on a communications procedure; ICRMW International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All

Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families;

CRPD Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities;

OP-CRPD Optional Protocol to CRPD;

ICPPED International Convention for the Protection of All Persons

from Enforced Disappearance.

- <sup>3</sup> <u>Individual complaints</u>: ICCPR-OP 1, art. 1; OP-CEDAW, art. 1; OP-CRPD, art. 1; OP-ICESCR, art. 1; OP-CRC-IC, art. 5; ICERD, art. 14; CAT, art. 22; ICRMW, art. 77; and ICPPED, art. 31. <u>Inquiry procedure</u>: OP-CEDAW, art. 8; CAT, art. 20; ICPPED, art. 33; OP-CRPD, art. 6; OP-ICESCR, art. 11; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 13. <u>Inter-State complaints</u>: ICCPR, art. 41; ICRMW, art. 76; ICPPED, art. 32; CAT, art. 21; OP-ICESCR, art. 10; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 12. <u>Urgent action</u>: ICPPED, art. 30.
- <sup>4</sup> Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field (First Convention); Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea (Second Convention); Geneva Convention relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War (Third Convention); Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War (Fourth Convention). For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <a href="https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html">https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html</a>
- <sup>5</sup> 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its 1967 Protocol.
- 6 1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons, and 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness.
- Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime.
- International Labour Organization Convention No. 29 concerning Forced or Compulsory Labour; Convention No. 105 concerning the Abolition of Forced Labour; Convention No. 87 concerning Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise; Convention No. 98 concerning the Application of the Principles of the Right to Organise and to Bargain Collectively; Convention No. 100 concerning Equal Remuneration for Men and Women Workers for Work of Equal Value; Convention No. 111 concerning Discrimination in Respect of Employment and Occupation; Convention No. 138 concerning Minimum Age for Admission to Employment; Convention No. 182 concerning the Prohibition and Immediate Action for the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour.
- <sup>9</sup> ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) and Domestic Workers Convention, 2011 (No. 189).
- <sup>10</sup> The following abbreviations have been used in the present document:

CERD Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination; CESCR Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights;

HR Committee Human Rights Committee;

CEDAW Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against

Women;

CAT Committee against Torture;

CRC Committee on the Rights of the Child;

CMW Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant

Workers and Members of Their Families;

CRPD Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities;

CED Committee on Enforced Disappearances; SPT Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture.

11 CEDAW/C/TUV/CO/3-4, para. 43.

Follow-up letter sent to the Permanent Representative of Tuvalu, dated 21 September 2017, available at:

 $http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CEDAW/Shared \% 20 Documents/TUV/INT\_CEDAW\_FUL\_TUV\_28964\_E.pdf.$ 

- For the titles of special procedure mandate holders see: https://spcommreports.ohchr.org/about/abbreviations
- According to article 5 of the rules of procedure of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), the classifications for accreditation used by the Sub-Committee are: A: voting member (fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles); B: non-voting member (not fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles or insufficient information provided to make a determination); and C: no status (not in compliance with the Paris Principles).
- The list of national human rights institutions with accreditation status granted by the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), accessed at: http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Countries/NHRI/Chart\_Status\_NIs.pdf