

Tables for UN Compilation on Egypt

I. Scope of international obligations¹

A. International human rights treaties²

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified/not accepted</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	ICERD (1967)		ICCPR-OP 2
	ICESCR (1982)		OP-CAT
	ICCPR (1982)		ICPPED
	CEDAW (1981)		
	CAT (1986)		
	CRC (1990)		
	OP-CRC-AC (2007)		
	OP-CRC-SC (2002)		
	ICRMW (1993)		
<i>Complaints procedures, inquiries and urgent action³</i>	CRPD (2008)		
	CAT, art. 20 (1986)		ICERD, art. 14
			OP-ICESCR
			ICCPR, art. 41
			ICCPR-OP 1
			OP-CEDAW
			CAT, arts. 21 and 22
			OP-CRC-IC
			ICRMW, arts. 76 and 77
			OP-CRPD
		ICPPED	
<i>Reservations and / or declarations</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Current Status</i>
	ICERD (Reservation, art. 22, 1967)	--	ICERD (Reservation, art. 22)
	ICESCR (General declaration, 1982)	--	ICESCR (General declaration)
	ICCPR (General declaration, 1982)	--	ICCPR (General declaration)

CEDAW (Reservations, arts. 2, 16 and 29.2, 1981)	--	CEDAW (Reservations, arts. 2, 16 and 29.2)
OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3.2, minimum age of recruitment 18 years, 2007)	--	OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3.2, minimum age of recruitment 18 years)
ICRMW (Reservations, arts. 4 and 18.6, 1993)	--	ICRMW (Reservations, arts. 4 and 18.6)
CRPD (Interpretative declaration, art. 12, 2008)	--	CRPD (Interpretative declaration, art. 12)

B. Other main relevant international instruments

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide		
	Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 and Additional Protocols I and II ⁴		Additional Protocol III to the 1949 Geneva Conventions ⁵
	Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court ⁶		
	Conventions on refugees and stateless persons ⁷		
	Palermo Protocol ⁸		
	ILO fundamental Conventions ⁹		ILO Conventions Nos. 169 and 189 ¹⁰
	UNESCO Convention against Discrimination in Education		

II. Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and bodies

A. Cooperation with treaty bodies¹¹

Reporting status

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Concluding observations included in previous review</i>	<i>Latest report submitted since previous review</i>	<i>Latest concluding observations</i>	<i>Reporting status</i>
CERD	--	2014	December 2015	Twenty-third to twenty-fifth reports overdue since 2018.

CESCR	November 2013	--	--	Fifth report overdue since 2018.
HR Committee	--	--	--	Fourth report overdue since 2004.
CEDAW	January 2010	--	--	Eighth report overdue since 2014.
CAT	--	--	--	Fifth report overdue since 2004.
CRC	June 2011 (on CRC, OP-CRC-AC and OP-CRC-SC)	--	--	Fifth to sixth reports overdue since 2016.
CMW	--	--	--	Second report overdue since 2009.
CRPD	--	--	--	Initial report overdue since 2010.

Responses to specific follow-up requests from concluding observations

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Due in</i>	<i>Subject matter</i>	<i>Submitted</i>
CERD	2016	Situation of minorities; discrimination and violence against Copts; inter-ethnic conflicts; and amendment to article 8 of the Convention. ¹²	--
CEDAW	2012	Discriminatory laws and violence against women. ¹³	2013. ¹⁴ Further information requested. ¹⁵

Country visits and/or inquiries by Treaty bodies

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject matter</i>
CAT	2014	Confidential inquiry without a visit on the issue of torture. ¹⁶

B. Cooperation with special procedures¹⁷

	Status during previous cycle	Current status
<i>Standing invitations</i>	No	No
<i>Visits undertaken</i>		Housing (24 September 2018 to 3 October 2018)

<i>Visits agreed to in principle</i>	Sale of children Violence against women Truth	Albinism Violence against women Foreign debt Education
<i>Visits requested</i>	Freedom of assembly Arbitrary detention Disappearances Counter-terrorism Independence of judges and lawyers Human rights defenders Freedom of religion or belief Summary executions	Summary executions Counter-terrorism Independence of judges and lawyers Torture Arbitrary detention Freedom of assembly Mercenaries Freedom of opinion and expression Disappearances
<i>Responses to letters of allegation and urgent appeal</i>	During the period under review 76 communications were sent. The Government replied to 46 communications	
<i>Follow-up reports and missions</i>		

C. Status of national human rights institutions¹⁸

<i>National human rights institution</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Status during present cycle¹⁹</i>
National Council for Human Rights	A (2006)	A (2006)

Notes

¹ 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 Egypt from the previous cycle (A/HRC/WG.6/20/EGY/2).

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;
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.

³ Individual complaints: 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. Inquiry procedure: OP-CEDAW, art. 8; CAT, art. 20; ICPPED, art. 33; OP-CRPD, art. 6; OP-ICESCR, art. 11; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 13. Inter-State complaints: ICCPR, art. 41; ICERD, art. 11; ICRMW, art. 76; ICPPED, art. 32; CAT, art. 21; OP-ICESCR, art. 10; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 12. Urgent action: ICPPED, art. 30.

⁴ 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); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts (Protocol I); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts (Protocol II); For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>.

⁵ Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Adoption of an Additional Distinctive Emblem (Protocol III). For the official status of ratifications, see <https://ihl-databases.icrc.org/applic/ihl/ihl.nsf/vwTreaties1949.xsp>

⁶ Signature only. See https://treaties.un.org/pages/ViewDetails.aspx?src=TREATY&mtdsg_no=XVIII-10&chapter=18&lang=en.

⁷ 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its 1967 Protocol, 1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons, and 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness.

⁸ Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime.

⁹ 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.

¹⁰ ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) and Domestic Workers Convention, 2011 (No. 189).

¹¹ 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.

¹² CERD/C/EGY/CO/17-22, para. 47.

¹³ CEDAW/C/EGY/CO/7, para. 59.

¹⁴ CEDAW/C/EGY/CO/7/Add.1.

¹⁵ Letter from CEDAW to the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva, dated 21 September 2017, available from https://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CEDAW/Shared%20Documents/EGY/INT_CEDAW_FUL_EGY_28953_E.pdf (accessed on 1 July 2019).

¹⁶ A/72/44, paras. 58-71.

¹⁷ For the titles of special procedure mandate holders see: <https://spcommreports.ohchr.org/about/abbreviations>

¹⁸ 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).

¹⁹ The list of national human rights institutions with accreditation status granted by the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), accessed at: <https://nhri.ohchr.org/EN/Documents/Status%20Accreditation%20Chart%20%289%20May%202019%29.pdf>