

## **ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

### **(THIRD BATCH)**

#### **CANADA**

- What actions has the Government taken to improve access to adequate shelter and health care services for survivors of domestic violence?
- What progress has been made in creating a database to help guide policy planning and provision of services for persons with disabilities?
- What steps have been taken to address the root causes of sorcery accusation-related violence?
- What steps is the Government of Papua New Guinea taking to encourage women's political participation and increase women's representation in the national legislature?

#### **PANAMA**

- In the second cycle, Panama recommended that Papua New Guinea ratify the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. We would appreciate information on the progress made in the implementation of this recommendation.
- Has Papua New Guinea considered signing the Declaration on Children, Youth and Climate Action?
- What measures are being implemented to combat the stigma and discrimination faced by people living with HIV?
- What steps have been taken to ensure that harmful practices such as early or forced marriage, sorcery-related killings and bride price are abolished?
- Is Papua New Guinea envisaging to ratify the Arms Trade Treaty, the Convention on Cluster Munitions and the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons?