

ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO GREECE (FIRST BATCH)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- What steps is your government taking to ensure that all children of refugees in Greece have access to a formal education?
- We are concerned by acts targeting religious sites and members of religious minority groups, including acts of anti-Semitism. What steps is the government taking to hold perpetrators of violent acts accountable and to promote a more inclusive society to prevent such acts in the future?
- What steps are the Government of Greece taking to ensure that authorities investigate and, as appropriate, hold accountable those responsible for, acts of violence or threats of violence targeting lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or intersex persons?

SWEDEN

- Sweden would like to ask the Government of Greece to elaborate on measures undertaken to ensure that so-called pushbacks of migrants and asylum seekers, in violation of the principle of non-refoulment, do not occur?
- Freedom of expression and the media are constitutionally protected in Greece. How has the Covid-19 pandemic impacted media and press freedom in Greece?
- Sweden would like to ask the Government of Greece to elaborate on the situation of the Roma population in the country and how several consecutive crises have affected the group. How can national strategies be more efficiently implemented in order to ensure full realization of human rights for Roma individuals, not least women and children?