

Pledge submitted by the Lutheran World Federation to the Human Rights 75 Secretariat December 2023

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PLEDGE NUMBER 1: The Lutheran World Federation will engage its 150 member churches and 25 country programs to advance human dignity and human rights, through advocacy, awareness raising, human rights education, capacity strengthening, theological reflection, humanitarian assistance and contribution to human rights mechanisms at local, national, regional and global levels in order to promote the human rights and dignity of all, particularly women and girls, children, refugees, returnees, internally displaced persons, migrants, indigenous people, people with disabilities, and people affected by humanitarian crises. To achieve this the LWF will collaborate with like-minded faith based actors, civil society organizations, UN agencies, and governments.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: Dec 31, 2030