**The Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities**  December 2022

**Draft General Comment on persons with disabilities in situations of risk and humanitarian emergencies (article 11 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities)**

Tentative and provisional outline

1. **Introduction**
2. **Normative Content**

a) " States parties shall take measures, in accordance with their obligations under international law, including international humanitarian law and international human rights law.

b) "all necessary measures to ensure the protection and safety of persons with disabilities"

c) "persons with disabilities in situations of risk, including situations of armed conflict, humanitarian emergencies and the occurrence of natural disasters"

1. **States obligations under article 11.**
2. **Persons with disabilities disproportionately affected and experiencing particular disadvantages in situations of risk, such as:**
3. Women with disabilities;
4. Persons with disabilities in institutions;
5. Children with disabilities;
6. Older persons with disabilities;
7. Internally displaced persons with disabilities, asylum-seeking and refugee persons with disabilities.
8. **Interrelation with other articles of the Convention**

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