| **Recommendation** | **Position** | **Full list of themes** | **Assessment/comments on level of implementation** |
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| ***Theme: A12 Acceptance of international norms*** |
| 109.4 Study the possibility of ratifying the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsD32 Enforced disappearances**Affected persons:**- disappeared persons- general |  |
| 108.1 Consider an early ratification of the Third Optional Protocol to the Convention o n the Rights of the Child on a communication procedure (Slovakia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionB51 Right to an effective remedy**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 109.1 Consider ratifying the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Namibia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsF41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 109.2 Ratify the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (Rwanda);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsF41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles**Affected persons:**- persons with disabilities |  |
| 109.3 Ratify the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | A12 Acceptance of international normsF41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles**Affected persons:**- disappeared persons- general |  |
| ***Theme: A22 Cooperation with treaty bodies*** |
| 108.21 Strengthen cooperation with international human rights mechanisms, treaty bodies and special procedures (Côte d ’ Ivoire);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A22 Cooperation with treaty bodiesA24 Cooperation with special proceduresA28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A24 Cooperation with special procedures*** |
| 108.22 Extend an open and standing invitation to all the Special Procedures (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.23 Issue a standing invitation to all Special Procedures of the Human Rights Council (Hungary);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.24 Consider issuing a standing invitation to all Special Procedures mandate holders (Brazil);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.25 Step up its cooperation with the Special Procedures and eventually consider extending a standing invitation to all the Special Procedures mandate holders of the Human Rights Council (Latvia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special procedures**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.27 Invite the Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment as well as the Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers, the Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health and the Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights (Belarus);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A24 Cooperation with special proceduresE25 Human rights & povertyD51 Administration of justice & fair trialD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatmentE41 Right to health - General**Affected persons:**- general- persons living in poverty- women- judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| ***Theme: A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)***  |
| 108.28 Seek the assistance of the international community in particular that of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) in order to implement the accepted recommendations by the country (Côte d ’ Ivoire);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)A28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.19 Incorporate the results of this UPR into its action plans for the promotion and protection of all human rights, taking into account the proposals of civil society and present a midterm evaluation report to the Human Rights Council on the implementation of the recommendations of this session (Hungary);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralA6 Context, statistics, budget, civil society**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.20 Continue its inclusive and consultative process when implementing accepted recommendations for the second cycle (South Africa);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A27 Follow-up to Universal Periodic Review (UPR)A61 Cooperation with civil society**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistance*** |
| 108.90 Continue to enhance its financial and technical capacities through, among others, constant constructive engagement with regional and international development partners (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistanceB41 Right to development**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: A41 Constitutional and legislative framework*** |
| 108.3 Maintain its positive efforts in the current process of reviewing its national laws with a view to bringing them in line with its international human rights obligations (Egypt);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.13 Make every effort to speed up the process of adoption of the drafts of the children ’ s code and the law on gender equality and women ’ s participation (Algeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF11 Advancement of womenF12 Discrimination against womenF14 Participation of women in political and public life **Affected persons:**- children- women |  |
| ***Theme: A42 Institutions & policies - General*** |
| 108.40 Continue to strengthen its efforts to provide better legal protection for vulnerable groups, especially women (Netherlands);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD51 Administration of justice & fair trialB51 Right to an effective remedyF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- vulnerable persons/groups- women |  |
| 108.69 Adopt additional measures, including legislative ones, to eradicate the practice of deliberate exploitation of children and the use of corporal punishment against children (Belarus);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD2 Right to physical and moral integrity**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: A44 Structure of the national human rights machinery*** |
| 108.17 Further enhance the capacity of the National Commission on the Rights of the Child (Sri Lanka);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A44 Structure of the national human rights machineryF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)***  |
| 108.14 Speed up the process to amend the law aiming at improving the functioning of the National Human Rights Commission in accordance with the Paris Principles (Rwanda);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.15 Complete the process of adaptation and compliance of the Benin Commission of Human Rights with the international standards (Algeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)A41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.18 Create ideal conditions for the Ombudsman and the High Commissioners for Consultative Governance and National Solidarity to operate (Nigeria);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A45 National Human Rights Institution (NHRI)A47 Good governance**Affected persons:**  |  |
| ***Theme: A47 Good governance*** |
| 108.80 Continue its efforts in fighting corruption and allocate sufficient funding for the implementation of its newly enacted law on combating corruption (Malaysia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A47 Good governanceA63 Budget and resources (for human rights implementation)**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.78 Strengthen the judicial system through financial support and effective anti-corruption measures (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A47 Good governanceD51 Administration of justice & fair trialA63 Budget and resources (for human rights implementation)**Affected persons:**- judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| ***Theme: A54 Awareness raising and dissemination*** |
| 108.2 Publish in the Official Journal all international and regional human rights treaties once they are ratified or acceded to by Benin, for their dissemination (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.107 Continue its efforts to raise awareness about human rights among its population (Pakistan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.41 Continue programmes to sensitize the population to ensure the effective implementation of the rights of women and children, and the protection of the family, the elderly and people with disabilities (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | A54 Awareness raising and disseminationF41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principlesF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- children- women- persons with disabilities- older persons |  |
| ***Theme: B11 International humanitarian law*** |
| 109.6 Complete the process of full alignment of its national legislation with all obligations under the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (Slovakia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | B11 International humanitarian lawB12 Crimes against humanityB51 Right to an effective remedyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: B31 Equality & non-discrimination*** |
| 110.2 Formally abolish any punishment on the grounds of sexual orientation or gender identity (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 110 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discriminationD46 Right to private life, privacyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 110.5 Decriminalize sexual relations between consenting, same-sex individuals and establish educational programmes and appropriate policies for police that promote the personal security of all Benin citizens regardless of sexual orientation (United States of America).**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 110 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discriminationD46 Right to private life, privacyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 110.1 Bring legislation in conformity with its commitments to equality and non-discrimination by reviewing article 88 of the Penal Code and by decriminalizing homosexual relations between consenting adults (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 110 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discriminationD46 Right to private life, privacyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)- women |  |
| 110.3 Intensify efforts to address discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity, and investigate and prosecute crimes against lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) community members (Norway);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 110 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discriminationD46 Right to private life, privacyA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| 110.4 Study the possibility of increasing the measures to eliminate all discriminatory treatment based on sexual orientation or gender identity (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 110 | Noted | B31 Equality & non-discriminationD46 Right to private life, privacyA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex persons (LGBTI)  |  |
| ***Theme: B51 Right to an effective remedy*** |
| 109.5 Review its national legislation to ensure full alignment with the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (Liechtenstein);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | B51 Right to an effective remedyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: C Sustainable Development Goal implementation*** |
| 108.89 Adopt measures necessary to achieve the Millennium Development Goals (Kuwait);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | C Sustainable Development Goal implementationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB41 Right to development**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: D21 Right to life*** |
| 108.66 Continue taking measures to prevent infanticide of so-called child witches (Chile);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.64 Set up all kinds of measures to guarantee a comprehensive response to ritual infanticide. In particular, carry out activities of prevention and protection measures, as well as adopt legal and judicial measures, categorizing ritual infanticide as a crime (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.63 Eradicate the practice of ritual infanticide, punish those found to perpetrate these crimes and establish a mechanism to provide effective support and guidance to the affected families (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionB51 Right to an effective remedy**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.60 Take appropriate measures to eradicate the practice of ritual infanticide once and for all (Rwanda);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.61 Implement the relevant treaty body recommendations, in particular the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR) recommendation to step up efforts to prevent and halt killings of so-called “ witch children ” by including provisions in the criminal law to suppress this practice and organizing campaigns to heighten awareness of its criminal nature among local authorities, doctors, midwives and the population at large (Slovenia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA23 Follow-up to treaty bodiesA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- children- public officials- medical staff |  |
| 108.59 Continue to implement preventive and legal measures to put a halt to ritual infanticide (Romania);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.65 Align its legislation to prohibit all forms of discrimination against children, in particular any discrimination that stigmatizes them as witches, and guarantee that minors benefit from concrete legal and social protection against rituals that endanger their lives (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionB51 Right to an effective remedyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.62 Continue to combat all forms of violence against children, including trafficking of children and violence against so-called “ witch children ” (Thailand);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D21 Right to lifeF33 Children: protection against exploitationD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: D23 Death penalty*** |
| 108.32 Commute the sentences of inmates on death row (Switzerland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penalty**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.5 Identify, revise or repeal all provisions of the Penal Code and the Criminal Procedure Code which are in conflict with the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights on the abolition of the death penalty (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.7 Remove all reference to the death penalty in the Penal Code and commute all death sentences into alternative sentences (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.8 Abolish entirely the death penalty from its legislation (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.9 Ensure that the Criminal Code is brought into line with the Second Optional Protocol of the ICCPR in respect of the abolition of the death penalty (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.4 Amend the draft Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure to bring it into line with the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights on the abolition of the death penalty and adopt them as soon as possible and initiate an awareness campaign so that the public in Benin are aware of the impact of these changes (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.6 Implement the Second Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights into domestic law as soon as practicable (Australia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D23 Death penaltyD51 Administration of justice & fair trial**Affected persons:**- general- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| ***Theme: D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment*** |
| 108.11 Establish a legal framework for the national preventive mechanism against torture and lobby for the passage of the bill to establish a national observatory for the prevention of torture (United States of America);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatmentA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA44 Structure of the national human rights machinery**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.10 Take measures necessary to define and criminalize torture in the forthcoming Criminal Code (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatmentA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.16 Continue the process of establishing the national mechanism to prevent torture (Senegal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatmentA44 Structure of the national human rights machinery**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: D26 Conditions of detention*** |
| 108.37 Improve the prison conditions and solve the problem of overcrowding (Iraq);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detention**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.38 Adopt a concerted strategy to reduce the prison population, as overcrowding in prisons remains an issue in Benin (Netherlands);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detention**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.36 Improve prison conditions by considering the implementation of the relevant concluding observations already made by treaty bodies in this respect (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionA23 Follow-up to treaty bodiesA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.12 Keep on efforts both on legal and procedural grounds to improve conditions of detention and to speed up the adoption of the draft criminal code (Egypt);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.39 Improve the conditions of prisons and other places of detention and reduce overcrowding by building more prisons or reducing the length of pretrial detention (United States of America);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionD51 Administration of justice & fair trial**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.35 Continue to apply specific legislation to improve the conditions of detainees and ensure the full respect of due process for them (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionD51 Administration of justice & fair trialA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| 108.34 Use all possible means to improve prison conditions, especially for minors and implement legislation to minimize detention time prior to trial (Norway);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D26 Conditions of detentionF34 Children: Juvenile justiceD51 Administration of justice & fair trialA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| ***Theme: D27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking*** |
| 108.73 Continue to fight against trafficking in persons and strengthen support mechanisms for victims of trafficking (Romania);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingB53 Support to victims and witnesses**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.26 Adopt comprehensive measures to combat trafficking in persons and extend the invitation to the Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children, as well as to the Special Rapporteur on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography (Belarus);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF33 Children: protection against exploitationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA24 Cooperation with special proceduresF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- general- children- women |  |
| ***Theme: D43 Freedom of opinion and expression*** |
| 108.81 Take necessary steps to entrench, in practice as well as in legislation, freedom of expression and freedom of the media (Australia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D43 Freedom of opinion and expressionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- general- media |  |
| ***Theme: D51 Administration of justice & fair trial*** |
| 108.79 Continue accelerating the improvement of the judicial, police and prison systems in line with international human rights standards (Holy See);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D51 Administration of justice & fair trialA47 Good governanceA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 108.33 Not resort to abusive pretrial detention and ensure that persons arrested or detained are promptly brought to trial in accordance with the guarantees contained in the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D51 Administration of justice & fair trialB51 Right to an effective remedy**Affected persons:**- persons deprived of their liberty |  |
| ***Theme: D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationality*** |
| 108.29 Make effective the legislation that provides free birth registration, for example through mass awareness-raising campaigns (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general- children- women |  |
| 108.31 Adopt necessary measures for free and compulsory registration of all children, including late registration, bringing forward new and more targeted campaigns to raise awareness among families, training social workers and health professionals and civil servants in charge of the registration and birth certificates and providing the necessary resources to establish registration offices in all the country (Uruguay);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA54 Awareness raising and disseminationA6 Context, statistics, budget, civil society**Affected persons:**- general- children- women- social workers- medical staff- public officials |  |
| 108.30 Take necessary measures to ensure effective implementation of laws guaranteeing free registration of births nationwide, including by educating families and communities on the importance of birth registration in order to contribute, among other things, to eliminating the practice of early and forced marriage and increase access to education, health care and other public services (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | D6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityF13 Violence against womenA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralA54 Awareness raising and disseminationE41 Right to health - GeneralE24 Right to social securityE51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- general- children- girls- women |  |
| ***Theme: E22 Right to food*** |
| 108.94 Step up efforts to ensure the right to food in the country (Chile);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E22 Right to food**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.96 Make food security a national priority and give all the required support to policies and programmes of the fight against malnutrition throughout the country (Luxembourg);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E22 Right to food**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E25 Human rights & poverty*** |
| 108.88 Continue efforts to combat poverty through the Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper and the third edition of the Growth Strategy for Poverty Reduction covering the period 2011–2014 (Indonesia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.85 Continue implementing poverty reduction strategies, promote sustainable development, improve the people ’ s living standard, and build a solid space so that every Beninese can fully enjoy all human rights (China);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB41 Right to developmentE21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general**Affected persons:**- general- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.83 Promote and advance policies that focus on the alleviation of poverty (Pakistan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralE21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.84 Strengthen the efforts to combat poverty (Senegal);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralE21 Right to an adequate standard of living - general**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.86 Continue to implement the strategies and socioeconomic development plans, particularly those aimed at reducing poverty and promoting women ’ s empowerment (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyE1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB41 Right to developmentF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- general- persons living in poverty- women |  |
| 108.93 Continue to prioritize poverty eradication and policies aimed at promoting the enjoyment of economic, social and cultural rights by its citizens (South Africa);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyE1 Economic, social & cultural rights - general measures of implementationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB41 Right to developmentF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- general- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.91 Further promote microcredit programmes for the poorest (Kuwait);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyE6 Rights to protection of property; financial creditA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralB41 Right to development**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty |  |
| 108.92 Continue its efforts on poverty reduction by expanding its microcredit programmes to small entrepreneurs, youths, and women, especially in the rural areas (Thailand);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyE6 Rights to protection of property; financial creditF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty- women- youth- persons living in rural areas |  |
| 108.87 Carry on with ensuring the reduction of poverty and increasing the empowerment of women (Egypt);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E25 Human rights & povertyF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- persons living in poverty- women |  |
| ***Theme: E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation*** |
| 108.97 Step up its efforts to ease access by people to sanitation and drinking water (Belarus);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitation**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.95 Continue cooperation with the international community for better access to food, water and sanitation for the population of Benin, given the country ’ s limited resources (Holy See);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E26 Human Rights & drinking water and sanitationA3 Inter-State cooperation & development assistanceE22 Right to food**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E31 Right to work*** |
| 108.82 Guarantee in an effective manner and in line with the Constitution of Benin and the international instruments to which it is a party, the rights of workers including the right to strike, freedom of association and peaceful assembly (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E31 Right to workD44 Right to peaceful assemblyE33 Trade union rightsD43 Freedom of opinion and expression**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E41 Right to health - General*** |
| 108.99 Continue improving health-care performance indicators through upgrading of the national health system (Djibouti);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E41 Right to health - General**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.98 Continue and strengthen the ongoing efforts aimed at increasing the accessibility and quality of health services and education for all its citizens (Cuba);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E41 Right to health - GeneralA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralE51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- general- children |  |
| 108.101 Strengthen efforts to address the phenomenon of alcoholism and drug addiction of children and youth, and in this regard, strengthen health-related awareness-raising programmes (Sudan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E41 Right to health - GeneralE44 Health awareness raising, access to information**Affected persons:**- children- youth |  |
| ***Theme: E42 Access to health-care (general)***  |
| 108.100 With the support of the World Health Organization (WHO) and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) continue its efforts to introduce programmes and initiatives to improve access to health care by its people (Singapore);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E42 Access to health-care (general)A28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| ***Theme: E51 Right to education - General*** |
| 108.109 With the assistance from UNICEF and other relevant United Nations agencies continue to improve access to education, including skill training programmes for all (Singapore);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralE54 technical and vocational educationA28 Cooperation with other international mechanisms and institutions**Affected persons:**- general |  |
| 108.102 Continue promoting the national policy for the promotion of women through working for the enrollment and retention of girls in school (Djibouti);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.106 Intensify its efforts in promoting literacy among the population especially among rural women (Malaysia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- women- persons living in rural areas |  |
| 108.103 Step up efforts to ensure the right to education, including the participation of all school-age children, particularly girls, to attend schools (Indonesia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children- girls |  |
| 108.108 Continue to provide free education to women and girls, especially those living in rural areas (Philippines);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- women- persons living in rural areas- girls |  |
| 108.110 Create conditions enabling girls to attend school without discrimination (Switzerland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- girls |  |
| 108.111 Take measures to increase the schooling rate, particularly in rural areas (Switzerland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- girls- persons living in rural areas |  |
| 108.105 Continue improving the quality of education by providing periodic teacher training, including instructions regarding the equal treatment of girls and boys and the importance of gender equality (Liechtenstein);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against womenA52 Human rights education - in schools**Affected persons:**- children- girls |  |
| 108.104 Continue to promote educational strategies that aim to improve the quality of education and increase enrollment rates, especially for women, children from rural areas and the poorest children, in order to avoid their economic exploitation and trafficking (Libya);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E51 Right to education - GeneralF33 Children: protection against exploitationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- children- persons living in rural areas- women |  |
| ***Theme: E53 secondary education*** |
| 108.112 Take more steps to expand free education to cover all grades in secondary schools (Uganda);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E53 secondary education**Affected persons:**- children- persons living in rural areas |  |
| 108.113 Continue its efforts to extend free education at all levels of secondary education (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | E53 secondary education**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: F12 Discrimination against women*** |
| 108.46 Continue the fight against discrimination of women by, inter alia, effectively implementing the law on the protection of women from domestic violence and by strictly enforcing the prohibition of female genital mutilation education, inter alia, by raising awareness among women about the prohibition of FGM (Germany);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F12 Discrimination against womenA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| ***Theme: F13 Violence against women*** |
| 108.45 Take all necessary measures to implement the Act on the Prevention and Punishment of Violence against Women in order to effectively eliminate all forms of violence against women, including female genital mutilation and forced marriage (Slovenia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.51 Apply in an efficient manner the legislation that prohibits female genital mutilation (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.43 Adopt rapidly all the necessary measures to put the law on violence against women into practice (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 108.47 Ensure due implementation of measures aimed at addressing persistent domestic violence, including marital rape (Slovakia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.50 Step up efforts aimed at improving the situation of women, also through education and specific awareness-raising campaigns about the perils of female genital mutilation (FGM) (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA54 Awareness raising and disseminationE51 Right to education - General**Affected persons:**- women- girls |  |
| 108.52 Take concrete measures to raise awareness about the illegality of prejudicial and harmful traditional practices such as female genital mutilation or killing of disabled children, through the systematic application of existing laws (Switzerland);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenA54 Awareness raising and disseminationF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionF44 Persons with disabilities: protecting the integrity of the person**Affected persons:**- children- women- persons with disabilities |  |
| 108.44 Apply rigorously the law on the prevention and punishment of violence against women (France);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenB51 Right to an effective remedy**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 108.53 Ensure that legislation criminalizing female genital mutilation is effectively implemented and that offenders are prosecuted (Belgium);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenB51 Right to an effective remedyA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.54 Ensure adequate publicity and awareness of the convictions for female genital mutilation (FGM) in order to induce a deterrent effect on concerned communities (Belgium);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenB51 Right to an effective remedyA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.48 Further strengthen measures to fight gender-based violence, especially domestic violence (Brazil);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenD29 Domestic violence**Affected persons:**- girls- women |  |
| 108.42 Take appropriate measures to strengthen the fight against discriminatory practices and violence against women (Luxembourg);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenF12 Discrimination against women**Affected persons:**- women |  |
| 108.49 Continue to organize awareness-raising campaigns in cooperation with concerned stakeholders to fight harmful traditional practices touching on the rights of women and children (Libya);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F13 Violence against womenF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- children- women |  |
| ***Theme: F31 Children: definition; general principles; protection*** |
| 109.7 Consider an amendment to the Personal and Family Code to ensure full equality between children born in and out of wedlock (Chile);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.68 Revise its legislation to prohibit and sanction corporal punishment imposed on children at home and in schools and step up its efforts on raising awareness about the negative effects of this practice (Mexico);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD2 Right to physical and moral integrityD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.67 Explicitly prohibit all corporal punishment of children in all settings, including at home and in schools, in the context of adopting the new Children ’ s Code, and promote alternative forms of discipline (Liechtenstein);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkD25 Prohibition of torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 109.8 Take appropriate measures to speed up the ratification of the laws on children, and gender equality and participation of women (Iraq).**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 109 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkF14 Participation of women in political and public life D7 Right to participation in public affairs and right to vote**Affected persons:**- children- women |  |
| 108.58 Adopt all necessary measures against harmful traditional practices violating the rights of the child (Italy);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA42 Institutions & policies - General**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: F33 Children: protection against exploitation*** |
| 108.77 Take the necessary executive and legislative measures to fight child labour, child abuse and trafficking in children (Sudan);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.70 Adopt a comprehensive plan on the rights of the child that fight trafficking, labour exploitation, sexual abuse and physical violence (Spain);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.72 Finalize and enact draft legislation that prohibit all forms of human trafficking and that trafficking in children is effectively investigated and prosecuted. To this end, we recommend that all law enforcement officers and the judiciary receive adequate training on human trafficking and that protective services are provided to the witnesses and victims of trafficking (Norway);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationB51 Right to an effective remedyB53 Support to victims and witnessesD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA53 Professional training in human rights**Affected persons:**- general- children- law enforcement / police officials- judges, lawyers and prosecutors |  |
| 108.76 Step up efforts in addressing widespread phenomenon of child economic exploitation in the form of child trafficking or child labour as well as child sexual abuse (Slovakia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationD27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.74 Intensify its efforts to implement existing laws against child trafficking, including Law No. 2006-04 on the conditions of displacement of minors and combating child trafficking in Benin, by raising awareness among populations at risk and taking necessary steps to ensure that those responsible for child trafficking are prosecuted in conformity with international norms (Canada);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionB51 Right to an effective remedyA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkA54 Awareness raising and dissemination**Affected persons:**- general- children |  |
| 108.75 Combat child trafficking by providing training to police officers, prosecutors and judges, by ensuring that those responsible for child trafficking are promptly brought to justice, and by providing adequate victim assistance (Liechtenstein);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationD51 Administration of justice & fair trialD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingA53 Professional training in human rightsB51 Right to an effective remedyB54 Transitional justiceA5 Human rights education, trainings and awareness raising**Affected persons:**- children- judges, lawyers and prosecutors- law enforcement / police officials |  |
| 108.71 Take measures to ensure the implementation of national and international norms on trafficking in persons, particularly children, including through the establishment of a national births register (Costa Rica);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationD6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD27 Prohibition of slavery, trafficking**Affected persons:**- general- children |  |
| 108.55 Take measures to guarantee full protection of children ’ s human rights by eliminating and reducing child trafficking, violence against children, their sexual abuse and economic exploitation, their ritual killing, infanticide and child labour and by improving the birth registration of all children especially in rural areas (Holy See);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationD6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityA42 Institutions & policies - GeneralD27 Prohibition of slavery, traffickingF31 Children: definition; general principles; protection**Affected persons:**- children- girls |  |
| 108.56 Consider enacting specific legislation prohibiting and punishing violence against children (Namibia);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| 108.57 Redouble its efforts to protect children, in particular by strengthening their legal protection (Luxembourg);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F33 Children: protection against exploitationF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA41 Constitutional and legislative framework**Affected persons:**- children |  |
| ***Theme: F41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principles*** |
| 108.114 Continue with its efforts to improve the legal protection of vulnerable persons, in particular the elderly and persons with disabilities (Argentina);**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principlesA41 Constitutional and legislative frameworkB51 Right to an effective remedy**Affected persons:**- general- older persons- persons with disabilities- vulnerable persons/groups |  |
| 108.115 Intensify its awareness-raising campaigns on the situation of disabled children, and support the efforts of civil society to improve rehabilitation and reintegration of children with disabilities and effectively implement the existing legislation on birth registration (Hungary).**Source of position:** A/HRC/22/9 - Para. 108 | Supported | F41 Persons with disabilities: definition, general principlesD6 Rights related to name, identity, nationalityF31 Children: definition; general principles; protectionA6 Context, statistics, budget, civil society**Affected persons:**- children- persons with disabilities |  |