

Australia's 2nd Universal Periodic Review

Joint NGO Submission on behalf of the Australian NGO Coalition

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This Joint NGO Submission has been prepared by the **Human Rights Law Centre**, the **Kingsford Legal Centre** and the **National Association of Community Legal Centres**, with substantial contributions from a number of NGOs across Australia and is endorsed, in whole or in part, by 190 NGOs.

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