

Tables for UN Compilation on Mauritius

I. Scope of international obligations¹

A. International human rights treaties²

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified/not accepted</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	ICERD (1972)	--	ICCPR-OP 2
	ICESCR (1973)		ICRMW
	ICCPR (1973)		ICPPED
	CEDAW (1984)		
	CAT (1992)		
	OP-CAT (2005)		
	CRC (1990)		
	OP-CRC-AC (2009)		
	OP-CRC-SC (2011)		
<i>Complaints procedures, inquiries and urgent action³</i>	CRPD (2010)		
	ICCPR-OP 1 (1973)	--	ICERD, art. 14
	OP-CEDAW, art. 8 (2008)		OP-ICESCR
	CAT, art. 20 (1992)		ICCPR, art. 41
	OP-CRC-IC (signature, 2012)		CAT, arts. 21 and 22
	OP-CRPD (signature, 2007)		OP-CRC-IC (signature, 2012)
			ICRMW
			OP-CRPD (signature, 2007)
			ICPPED
<i>Reservations and / or declarations</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Current Status</i>
	CEDAW (Reservation, art. 29.1, 1984)	--	CEDAW (Reservation, art. 29.1)
	CRC (Withdrawal of reservation, art. 22, 2008)	--	--
	OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3.2, age of recruitment at 18 years of age, 2009)	--	OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3.2, age of recruitment at 18 years of age)

CRPD (Reservations, art. 11, 2007, and arts 9.2(d)(e) and 24.2(b), 2010) --

CRPD (Reservations, arts. arts 9.2(d)(e), 11 and 24.2(b))

B. Other main relevant international instruments

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court	--	Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide
	Palermo Protocol ⁴ Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 and Additional Protocols I and II thereto ⁵	--	Additional Protocol III to the 1949 Geneva Conventions ⁶
	ILO fundamental Conventions ⁷	--	ILO Convention No. 169 ⁸
	Convention against Discrimination in Education		Conventions on refugees and stateless persons ⁹

II. Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and bodies

A. Cooperation with treaty bodies¹⁰

Reporting status

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Concluding observations included in previous review</i>	<i>Latest report submitted since previous review</i>	<i>Latest concluding observations</i>	<i>Reporting status</i>
CERD	February 2013	2017	--	Twentieth to twenty-third reports pending consideration in August 2018
CESCR	May 2010	2017	--	Fifth report pending consideration in 2019
HR Committee	--	2016	November 2017	Sixth report due in 2022
CEDAW	October 2011	2018	--	Eight report pending consideration
CAT	May 2011	2016	November 2017	Fifth report due in 2021
CRC	--	2011	January 2015	Sixth and seventh reports due in 2021. Initial reports to OP-CRC-AC and OP-CRC-SC overdue

CRPD	--	2012	September 2015	since 2009 and 2013, respectively Second and third reports due in 2020
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Responses to specific follow-up requests from concluding observations

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Due in</i>	<i>Subject matter</i>	<i>Submitted</i>
HR Committee	2019	National Human Rights Commission; refugees, asylum seekers and stateless; and juvenile justice. ¹¹	--
CEDAW	2013	Definition of discrimination against women; and violence against women. ¹²	2013. ¹³ Additional information requested. ¹⁴
CAT	2018	Interrogation methods and confession obtained under duress; conditions of detention; and complaint mechanisms. ¹⁵	--
CRPD	2016	Withdrawal of reservations; and the ratification of OP-CRPD and the Marrakesh Treaty. ¹⁶	2016 ¹⁷

B. Cooperation with special procedures¹⁸

	Status during previous cycle	Current status
<i>Standing invitations</i>	No	No
<i>Visits undertaken</i>	Sale of Children ¹⁹	Older persons ²⁰
<i>Visits agreed to in principle</i>	--	--
<i>Visits requested</i>	Foreign debts	--
<i>Responses to letters of allegation and urgent appeal</i>	During the period under review 2 communications were sent. The Government replied to 2 communications	
<i>Follow-up reports and missions</i>	--	

C. Status of national human rights institutions²¹

<i>National human rights institution</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Status during present cycle²²</i>
Commission Nationale des Droits de l'Homme	A	A(2014)

Notes

¹ Unless indicated otherwise, the status of ratification of instruments listed in the table may be found on the official website of the United Nations Treaty Collection database, Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations Secretariat, <http://treaties.un.org/>. Please also refer to the United Nations compilation on Mauritius from the previous cycle (A/HRC/WG.6/17/MUS/2).

² The following abbreviations have been used in the universal periodic review document:

ICERD	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination;
ICESCR	International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights;
OP-ICESCR	Optional Protocol to ICESCR;
ICCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights;
ICCPR-OP 1	Optional Protocol to ICCPR;
ICCPR-OP 2	Second Optional Protocol to ICCPR, aiming at the abolition of the death penalty;
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women;
OP-CEDAW	Optional Protocol to CEDAW;
CAT	Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment;
OP-CAT	Optional Protocol to CAT;
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child;
OP-CRC-AC	Optional Protocol to CRC on the involvement of children in armed conflict;
OP-CRC-SC	Optional Protocol to CRC on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography;
OP-CRC-IC	Optional Protocol to CRC on a communications procedure;
ICRMW	International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families;
CRPD	Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities;
OP-CRPD	Optional Protocol to CRPD;
ICPPED	International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance.

³ Individual complaints: ICCPR-OP 1, art. 1; OP-CEDAW, art. 1; OP-CRPD, art. 1; OP-ICESCR, art. 1; OP-CRC-IC, art. 5; ICERD, art. 14; CAT, art. 22; ICRMW, art. 77; and ICPPED, art. 31. Inquiry procedure: OP-CEDAW, art. 8; CAT, art. 20; ICPPED, art. 33; OP-CRPD, art. 6; OP-ICESCR, art. 11; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 13. Inter-State complaints: ICCPR, art. 41; ICERD, art. 11; ICRMW, art. 76; ICPPED, art. 32; CAT, art. 21; OP-ICESCR, art. 10; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 12. Urgent action: ICPPED, art. 30.

⁴ Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime.

⁵ Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field (First Convention); Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea (Second Convention); Geneva Convention relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War (Third Convention); Geneva Convention

relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War (Fourth Convention); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts (Protocol I); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts (Protocol II). For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>

- ⁶ Protocole additionnel aux Conventions de Genève du 12 août 1949 relatif à l'adoption d'un signe distinctif additionnel (Protocole III). For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>
- ⁷ International Labour Organization Convention No. 29 concerning Forced or Compulsory Labour; Convention No. 105 concerning the Abolition of Forced Labour; Convention No. 87 concerning Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise; Convention No. 98 concerning the Application of the Principles of the Right to Organise and to Bargain Collectively; Convention No. 100 concerning Equal Remuneration for Men and Women Workers for Work of Equal Value; Convention No. 111 concerning Discrimination in Respect of Employment and Occupation; Convention No. 138 concerning Minimum Age for Admission to Employment; Convention No. 182 concerning the Prohibition and Immediate Action for the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour, Convention No. 189 concerning Domestic Workers.
- ⁸ ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169).
- ⁹ 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its 1967 Protocol, 1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons, and 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness.
- ¹⁰ The following abbreviations have been used in the present document:
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| CERD | Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination; |
| CESCR | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights; |
| HR Committee | Human Rights Committee; |
| CEDAW | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women; |
| CAT | Committee against Torture; |
| CRC | Committee on the Rights of the Child; |
| CMW | Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families; |
| CRPD | Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities; |
| CED | Committee on Enforced Disappearances; |
| SPT | Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture. |
- ¹¹ CCPR/C/MUS/CO/5, para. 44.
- ¹² CEDAW/C/MUS/CO/6-7, para. 40.
- ¹³ CEDAW/C/MUS/CO/6-7/Add.1.
- ¹⁴ Letter from CEDAW to the Permanent Mission of Mauritius to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva, dated 10 September 2014, available from http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CEDAW/Shared%20Documents/MUS/INT_CEDAW_FUL_MUS_18183_E.pdf (accessed on 5 March 2018).
- ¹⁵ CAT/C/MUS/CO/4, para. 43.
- ¹⁶ CRPD/C/MUS/CO/1, para. 47.
- ¹⁷ CRPD/C/MUS/CO/1/Add.1.
- ¹⁸ For the titles of special procedure mandate holders see: <https://spcommreports.ohchr.org/about/abbreviations>
- ¹⁹ A/HRC/19/63/Add.1.
- ²⁰ A/HRC/30/43/Add.3.
- ²¹ According to article 5 of the rules of procedure of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), the classifications for accreditation used by the Sub-Committee are: A: voting member (fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles); B: non-voting member (not fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles or insufficient information provided to make a determination); and C: no status (not in compliance with the Paris Principles).
- ²² The list of national human rights institutions with accreditation status granted by the Global Alliance

of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), accessed at:
<https://nhri.ohchr.org/EN/Documents/Status%20Accreditation%20Chart%20%28%20August%202018.pdf>
