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Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)*

The present report is a summary of 519 stakeholders' submissions¹ to the universal periodic review. It follows the general guidelines adopted by the Human Rights Council in its decision 17/119. It does not contain any opinions, views or suggestions on the part of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), nor any judgement or determination in relation to specific claims. The information included herein has been systematically referenced in endnotes and, to the extent possible, the original texts have not been altered. As provided for in Human Rights Council resolution 16/21, where appropriate, a separate section is provided for contributions by the national human rights institution of the State under review that is accredited in full compliance with the Paris Principles. The full texts of all submissions received are available on the OHCHR website. The report has been prepared taking into consideration the periodicity of the review and developments during that period.

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I. Information provided by the national human rights institution of the State under review accredited in full compliance with the Paris Principles²

1. The Ombudsman's Office of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (DdPV) indicated that measures should be put in place to implement the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela having recently acceded to both instruments.³

2. The Ombudsman's Office drew attention to the establishment of the National Human Rights Council, the 2015-2019 Human Rights Plan, and the adoption of legislation to protect a range of population groups.⁴

3. The Office welcomed the fact that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela had submitted its reports and had sent high-level delegations to present them at all meetings with treaty bodies held during the period 2012-2015.⁵

4. The Ombudsman's Office stated that NGOs, community organizations and activists were consulted during the preparations for the universal periodic review process and that the Office had undertaken an exhaustive follow-up exercise to monitor implementation of the 2011 recommendations.⁶

5. With regard to the first-cycle recommendations, it indicated that although the participation of women in decentralized bodies has increased, gender parity has not yet been reached.⁷

6. With regard to the protection of vulnerable groups, it highlighted policies and bodies created to protect the rights of children, women, older persons, homeless persons, persons living with HIV/AIDS, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex (LGBTI) persons, and indigenous peoples.⁸

7. The Office welcomed the fact that a ministry has been established and a prison code has been adopted⁹ in follow-up to the recommendations on conditions in prisons and recommended strengthening guarantees of due process.¹⁰

8. The Office acknowledged the existence of a policy for combating crime and violence but indicated that the policy needs to be reviewed and streamlined.¹¹ With regard to the recommendation to pass a law ending the illegal circulation of firearms, it provided information on the creation of the Presidential Commission on Arms, Munitions and Disarmament Control, the Voluntary Disarmament Plan and the opening of arms collection centres throughout the country.¹²

9. With regard to the recommendations concerning the legal and judicial system,¹³ it welcomed the reform of the Criminal Code but highlighted the punitive culture that makes bail during trial the exception rather than the rule.¹⁴

10. With regard to grass-roots democracy and socioeconomic development, the Office stated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has strengthened its social policies on education, health and culture and called for the creation of mechanisms to ensure the continued application of such policies.¹⁵

11. The Office highlighted the success of the Great Venezuelan Housing Mission.¹⁶

12. It stated that 96 per cent of the population has access to drinking water and 84 per cent enjoys improved sanitation services.¹⁷

13. The Office noted that 85 per cent of asylum applications are rejected and refugee protection obligations are not being met.¹⁸

II. Information provided by other stakeholders

A. Background and framework

1. Scope of international obligations¹⁹

14. CDH-UCAB noted that, despite having accepted related recommendations, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela still has not ratified certain human rights instruments.²⁰ OVP reported that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has not yet ratified the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance and the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, among other instruments.²¹

15. PROVEA noted that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has not reversed its decision to withdraw from the American Convention on Human Rights.²² JS20 asserted that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela had flouted both merits reports and precautionary measures issued by the Inter-American Commission of Human Rights, and sentences and provisional measures issued by the Inter-American Court of Human Rights (IAHR Court/Corte-IDH). JS20 recommended that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela comply with the decisions of international organizations.²³

2. Constitutional and legislative framework

16. HRW stated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela should complete the alignment of its national legislation with the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court.²⁴

3. Institutional and human rights infrastructure and policy measures

17. PROVEA noted that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has not complied with the recommendation to implement a comprehensive approach to the follow-up of the universal periodic review,²⁵ in that it has failed to establish a mechanism for following up policies and measures adopted to implement the recommendations.²⁶

18. ROA drew attention to the creation of institutional bodies tasked with combating racial discrimination and strengthening Afro-descendant communities.²⁷ RAV pointed out that these bodies have failed to develop policies for restoring the rights of such communities.²⁸

19. JS29 called for a special unit to be established within the Ombudsman's Office to defend the human rights of LGBTI persons.²⁹ EJERCITOEMANCIPADOR recommended the creation of a special prosecutor to try cases of discrimination and hate against LGBTI people.³⁰

20. With regard to a noted recommendation, CDH-UCAB welcomed the adoption of a National Human Rights Plan of Action. It claimed, however, that the drafting process was not based on a consensual construction of a prior diagnosis.³¹ PROVEA stated that some social and political groups who are critical of the Government were excluded from the consultation process.³² AI noted that the approved 2016-2019 National Human Rights Plan includes proposals to reform the judiciary, the prison system and the security forces and to strengthen the Ombudsperson's Office, as well as proposals to mainstream human rights

education.³³ JS13 recommended that the Plan should facilitate compliance with the obligations and recommendations of international human rights bodies.³⁴

21. JS10 underscored the absence of a national plan for the protection of the rights of children.³⁵ FRPOIAMA recommended the creation of a specialized policing unit for the prevention of child abuse.³⁶

22. Four organizations commended the cooperation and solidarity programmes agreed with other countries in the areas of education, health and energy.³⁷

B. Cooperation with human rights mechanism

23. SINERGIA called for the recommendations related to cooperation with regional and international human rights bodies that were accepted in the 2011 universal periodic review to be implemented.³⁸

1. Cooperation with treaty bodies

24. FPV stated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has decided not to comply with resolutions, opinions and measures adopted by various regional and international human rights bodies.³⁹

2. Cooperation with special procedures

25. SINERGIA called for the recommendations made in the previous universal periodic review to be implemented by issuing standing invitations to special rapporteurs and accepting their visit requests.⁴⁰

26. AI recommended agreeing to visits by, inter alia, the Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Association and Assembly.⁴¹

27. JS15 recommended issuing invitations to the Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, the Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions, and the Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences.⁴² IPYS recommended agreeing to visits from the Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression, the Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy, and the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders.⁴³ LabPaz recommended authorizing a visit by the Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples.⁴⁴

28. JS20 stated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has failed to comply with the recommendations of the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention.⁴⁵

C. Implementation of international human rights obligations, taking into account applicable international humanitarian law

1 Equality and non-discrimination

29. JS24 welcomed the acceptance of a recommendation on racial discrimination,⁴⁶ but noted the persistent discrimination directed at Afro-descendant and indigenous communities.⁴⁷

30. JS24 acknowledged efforts to implement recommendations to promote the rights of women.⁴⁸ GCC acknowledged in particular the public policies designed to eliminate obstacles linked to sociocultural stereotypes.⁴⁹ C.H.FREYA stated that sexism and stereotypes are prevalent.⁵⁰ OMIAW indicated that there are no specific guarantees of

protection and support for indigenous women.⁵¹ JS6 noted that the “Mamá Rosa” Gender Equality and Equity Plan has a political and ideological bias and that gender mainstreaming criteria are not being applied.⁵² JS24 stated that gender equality plans have been ineffective.⁵³

31. With regard to the recommendations concerning the participation of women in political life,⁵⁴ GCC noted that, although women play key roles in local management bodies, they have limited access to positions of power and decision-making.⁵⁵ FDIIM recommended strengthening efforts to achieve parity in legislation and in the exercise of political power.⁵⁶

32. JS3 asserted that the Act on the protection of equal rights for people living with HIV/AIDS marks a step forward, but that it does not meet all the criteria recommended by the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights and the Committee on the Rights of the Child with regard to non-discrimination.⁵⁷

33. According to JS29, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has not taken measures to ensure the social and legal inclusion of LGBTI persons, as was recommended.⁵⁸ ROMPELANOR recommended adopting legislation to combat discrimination on grounds of sexual orientation and provide for equal marriage.⁵⁹ VeneDiver reported discrimination against LGBTI persons in the workplace.⁶⁰

34. JS17 indicated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has no strategies for addressing population ageing, that there are not enough care homes, and that those that do exist do not guarantee an appropriate environment.⁶¹

2. Right to life, liberty and security of the person

35. JS11 highlighted that in 2015 the murder rate rose to 90 per 100,000 inhabitants.⁶² FRPOIAMA reported that the number of violent deaths among children and adolescents has not declined, with 912 killed in 2014.⁶³ JS6 pointed out that there is no system for the collection of disaggregated statistical data.⁶⁴

36. JS27 warned of the growing militarization of society and civil security.⁶⁵ JS35 recommended the adoption of a civil security policy that does not incorporate military methods and is not implemented or overseen by military bodies.⁶⁶ JS12 reported that parastatal civilian groups have been involved in attacks on civilians and maintaining public order.⁶⁷

37. JS15 documented 1,018 cases of alleged extrajudicial killings in 2014 and 1,396 in 2015, noting that police units were implicated in the majority of them.⁶⁸ JS35 reported that the number of extrajudicial killings and arbitrary arrests rose sharply in 2015 following implementation of the security plan known as the People’s Liberation and Protection Operation.⁶⁹

38. Referring to a noted recommendation to fight against the misuse of power by the security forces,⁷⁰ HRW indicated that security forces have responded to protests with brutal force, severely abused detainees, and that there are credible allegations that they have carried out extrajudicial killings.⁷¹ CIVICUS stated that the January 2014 protests were marked by excessive and lethal force and persecution of opposition party members and human rights defenders.⁷² On the other hand, JS21 indicated that acts of violence by opposition groups were portrayed as peaceful protests by the private media.⁷³ CVG recommended that efforts to bring the perpetrators of acts of violence committed during such protests to justice should be intensified.⁷⁴

39. In 2014 and 2015, FPV registered more than 100 cases of torture and cruel and inhuman punishment of detainees, including the use of electric shocks and sexual assaults.⁷⁵ AI underscored the creation of a legal and institutional framework for preventing, reporting

and punishing torture and other ill-treatment, and recommended making a punishable offence the acts of public officials who instigate or consent to acts of torture by others.⁷⁶ FPV stated that the Ombudsman's Office has not followed up on complaints of torture committed against persons deprived of their liberty for political reasons.⁷⁷

40. With regard to the recommendations concerning prisons,⁷⁸ OVP noted the commitment to increase the number of prisons and to demolish the most overcrowded places of detention.⁷⁹ RENADDHH concluded that the efforts made to date had been insufficient.⁸⁰ UVAL maintained that persons deprived of their liberty continue to live in degrading conditions.⁸¹ AI recommended implementing the provisional measures issued by the IACHR and the IAHR Court in relation to the threat to the right to life and security of inmates.⁸²

41. With regard to the recommendations on violence against women,⁸³ JS11 indicated that no dedicated plans for eliminating such violence are in place.⁸⁴ JS41 noted the various programmes and institutions created to address violence against women but perceived a need to establish a coordinating body.⁸⁵ JS6 stated that the definition of the offence of femicide has not been amended to encompass State responsibility by act or omission.⁸⁶

42. With regard to the recommendations on human trafficking,⁸⁷ PAS and FDIM welcomed initiatives to prevent and punish such offences and recommended introducing incentives to encourage greater community participation.⁸⁸ OMIAW reported that in some areas trafficking and prostitution of indigenous girls, adolescents and women are controlled by non-State armed groups acting in partnership with Venezuelan soldiers and miners.⁸⁹

3. Administration of justice, including impunity and the rule of law

43. AI reported that impunity for violations of human rights is widespread and cited official statistics covering 2009-2012 that show that only 3 percent of formal complaints of human rights violations result in the suspects being charged. Since 2012, the Attorney General's Office has not provided up-to-date statistics.⁹⁰

44. JS23 drew attention to the serious, ongoing deterioration in the independence of the justice system.⁹¹ Acceso referred to the decline in judicial independence and recommended that the State amend the regulatory framework, enact a code of ethics, cease interfering in judicial appointments and the administration of judicial remedies, stop using appeals for interpretation and ex officio proceedings as a means to legitimize Government actions, and end the practice of legislating on the basis of court rulings.⁹²

45. Acceso recommended separating the 2013-2019 Strategic Plan for the Judiciary from the Government Plan, complying with the regulations on the appointment of judges and establishing a system of accountability.⁹³

46. FPV stated that more than 60 per cent of judges and more than 90 per cent of criminal judges do not have tenure.⁹⁴ PROVENE regretted the fact that non-tenured judges can be removed by the Judicial Commission, which is an administrative body.⁹⁵

47. FPV stated that the detention of judge María Lourdes Afiumi had led to intimidation and resulted in the justice system being used as a political weapon.⁹⁶ AI recommended releasing prisoners of conscience Leopoldo Lopez and Rosmit Mantilla.⁹⁷

48. JS15 made reference to decisions of the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court which declare a judgment of the Inter-American Court of Human Rights to be unenforceable because "it violates the sovereignty of the State" and call upon the Government to withdraw from the Convention.⁹⁸ JS12 reported that the Constitutional Chamber has also validated laws that fail to recognize the legitimacy of civil society⁹⁹ and has intervened in the internal elections of trade union organizations, political parties and national universities.¹⁰⁰

49. JS27 recommended restricting the jurisdiction of military courts to military offences only.¹⁰¹

50. CATEDRAGUAICAIPURO noted the conflict between special indigenous courts and ordinary courts.¹⁰² OTSOAAM underscored the urgency of implementing the bill on special indigenous courts following the public consultation process.¹⁰³

51. CODEHCIU drew attention to the limitations imposed on the work of defence lawyers, the abuse of power frequent among justice system officials and the telephone tapping and other activities carried out without a court order.¹⁰⁴

4. Right to privacy

52. JS37 considered legislation governing communications surveillance to fall short of international human rights standards.¹⁰⁵ It fails to prescribe tests of necessity and proportionality, and there is no provision requiring authorities to notify individuals or groups that they are, or have been, subject to surveillance.¹⁰⁶ JS37 reported a lack of public oversight mechanisms on authorisations for surveillance.¹⁰⁷

53. JS37 reported that intelligence agencies have conducted surveillance based on political considerations.¹⁰⁸ JS37 argued that the Executive exercises influence over the telecommunications sector, leaving private communications and personal information at risk of illegitimate political interference.¹⁰⁹

5. Freedom of religion or belief, expression, association and peaceful assembly, and right to participate in public and political life

54. DHI considered that in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela there is freedom of religion, belief, expression of ideas and thought, association, assembly and peaceful demonstration.¹¹⁰

55. A total of 29 organizations mentioned the adoption of the Act on Community and Alternative Media and the creation of around 1,200 Internet information centres called “Infocentros”, many of which are Government-sponsored and free of charge for users, for disadvantaged communities and population groups.¹¹¹

56. JS16 highlighted the lack of access to public information.¹¹² EPAC recommended adopting legislation and public policies to guarantee access to public information¹¹³ and JS40 recommended establishing an independent body to guarantee such access.¹¹⁴

57. JS16 asserted that the Act on Social Responsibility in Radio, Television and Electronic Media grants the National Telecommunications Commission too much discretion in sanctioning media organizations for their editorial line.¹¹⁵ HRW reported that the Government has abused its powers to regulate the media, has taken aggressive steps to reduce the availability of media outlets that engage in critical programming, and that fear of reprisals has made self-censorship a serious problem.¹¹⁶

58. IPYS asserted that fundamental guarantees for the exercise of freedom of expression and the right to freedom of opinion have been eroded, with an increase in attacks, censorship, arbitrary detentions, police surveillance, arbitrary interception of communications and abuse of power by State authorities.¹¹⁷ FPV stated that 77 people were still in prison for political reasons as of March 2016 and recommended their immediate release.¹¹⁸

59. JS25 recommended reviewing legislation guaranteeing the right to freedom of expression, establishing a regulatory mechanism to prevent the abuse of State-owned media for propaganda purposes, and developing a comprehensive media management policy.¹¹⁹

EPAC recommended guaranteeing media outlets unregulated access to paper and printing materials and depoliticizing the allocation of radio frequencies.¹²⁰

60. JS16 asserted that judges enjoy wide discretion in determining whether a given act constitutes an offence of contempt or denigration and that such charges have been brought against persons critical of the Government.¹²¹ EPAC recommended repealing the provisions on contempt, denigration and libel and preventing criminal charges from being brought as punishment for holding dissident opinions.¹²²

61. CIVICUS indicated that the Supreme Court rejected the ruling of the IAHR Court (2015) which ordered the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to reinstate the license of a broadcasting station closed in 2007.¹²³

62. CIVICUS recommended creating a legislative framework for the protection of human rights defenders.¹²⁴ AI stated that despite accepted recommendations,¹²⁵ the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela had failed to guarantee that human rights defenders can carry out their work without fear of reprisals and recommended halting attacks and campaigns against them.¹²⁶ JS26 reported that numerous laws restrict independent NGOs.¹²⁷ CIVICUS stated that human rights defenders and civil society activists had been subjected to judicial harassment and extra-legal killings.¹²⁸ RSF-RWB reported on assaults committed against journalists from public and private media.¹²⁹ JS20 recommended carrying out investigations of the violence against human rights defenders.¹³⁰

63. Around 50 organizations asserted that high-level officials have used public media outlets to discredit and make arbitrary accusations against independent human rights defenders, journalists and media that have voiced criticism.¹³¹

64. IACHR made reference to the precautionary measures it had requested to protect the situation of human rights defenders, political dissidents and persons deprived of their liberty.¹³² FPV indicated that the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela has not complied with precautionary measures ordered by the Commission.¹³³

65. A number of organizations reported on intimidation, harassment and, in some cases, surveillance of defenders, in particular after their participation in UN meetings and IACHR's hearings.¹³⁴

66. CIVICUS recommended bringing laws that deal with freedom of association into conformity with best practices prescribed by the United Nations Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association.¹³⁵

67. CVG recommended that the State ensure that exercise of the right to peaceful demonstration does not impede exercise of the rights of others.¹³⁶ EPAC asserted that the State's response to a series of protests in February 2014 was disproportionately repressive since around 82 per cent of the protests repressed had been peaceful.¹³⁷

68. OVCS stated that Decision No. 276-24/4/2014 of the Supreme Court established that it is obligatory to request a permit to exercise the right to peaceful demonstration and ordered the security forces to disperse any demonstration organized without such a permit.¹³⁸

69. JS15 stated that Resolution No. 008610 (2015) of the Ministry of People's Power for Defence, on controlling protests, provided fertile ground for the abuse of firearms, particularly in the absence of independent civilian oversight.¹³⁹ EPAC warned that the Resolution extended the scope for military officials to intervene and gives them discretion to use firearms to maintain public order.¹⁴⁰

70. SINERGIA recommended allowing access to international funding for human rights organizations.¹⁴¹

71. CJB recommended encouraging young people to participate more in the National Youth System.¹⁴²

72. RAV recommended guaranteeing the participation of Afro-descendants in electoral processes.¹⁴³

73. TCC noted an extensive participation of officials in campaign activities notwithstanding that the Election Act prohibits them from carrying out such activities in the exercise of public duties.¹⁴⁴

74. A total of 238 organizations welcomed the reinforcement of people's power and popular governance and recommended further extending the work that civil society organizations and movements perform in partnership with the various government entities at the local, regional, state and national levels.¹⁴⁵

75. On the other hand, SINERGIA indicated that the set of people's power laws, pursuant to which organized society is engaged in the exercise of public management duties, blurs the traditional boundaries of relationships between independent civil society and the State.¹⁴⁶ SINERGIA stated that the People's Power Finance Act excludes forms of association and participation not envisaged under the communal system.¹⁴⁷

6. Right to work and to just and favourable conditions of work

76. COB highlighted the adoption of the Labour and Workers Act.¹⁴⁸ MOVINOTINTO indicated that no data are available on unemployment rates.¹⁴⁹

77. JS20 expressed the view that there had been no will to comply with the recommendations of International Labour Organization (ILO) bodies.¹⁵⁰

78. PROVEA indicated that interference in trade union electoral processes, obstacles to the registration of trade unions critical of the Government, the obstruction of petitions and the refusal of trade union licenses for public sector workers were continuing problems. In addition, trade union officials continued to face dismissal, public denigration, police harassment and detention, and to be criminalized for exercising the right to demonstrate in public.¹⁵¹

7. Right to social security and to an adequate standard of living

79. FMB200-Anz stated that social investment remains a priority.¹⁵² JS28 noted that the commitment to respecting human rights is reflected in the policies and operation of the Social Missions.¹⁵³ JS41 underscored the progress made in implementing recommendations on poverty eradication.¹⁵⁴ According to JS11, recommendations linked to the rights to education, health, housing and food that are listed as having been implemented or being in the process of implementation have not in fact been fulfilled.¹⁵⁵

80. A total of 487 organizations called for the continuation of social investment policies and programmes focused on education, health, housing, economic activity, development and the environment, including the Barrio Adentro, Ribas, Sucre, Robinsón, Agrovenezuela, A toda Venezuela, En Amor Mayor, Hijos de Venezuela, Jóvenes de la Patria, Alimentación, Identidad, Madres del Barrio and Guacaipuro Missions, the Great Venezuelan Housing Mission, the Great Sucre Mission and the Great Cubanas Mission (Barrio Adentro Deportivo, Salud).¹⁵⁶

81. Referring to recommendations on housing,¹⁵⁷ IHRC-OU acknowledged the commitment to the Mission Vivienda Venezuela but reported that goals for housing development had largely gone unmet.¹⁵⁸ REDINQUILINOS recommended increasing the provision of decent housing.¹⁵⁹

82. Around 15 organizations expressed concern about the food and nutrition situation.¹⁶⁰ JS38 noted the lack of official data on child malnutrition.¹⁶¹ JS34 indicated that there is no objective mechanism for evaluating the Food Mission and recommended boosting food production.¹⁶²

83. DEFENSORESDDHH recommended continuing to implement food distribution plans.¹⁶³ AfOT noted that (on 16 June 2013) the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela was recognized by the UN Food and Agriculture Organization for surpassing the first Millennium Development Goal of halving hunger.¹⁶⁴

84. A total of 102 organizations highlighted the benefits of engaging community stakeholders in the implementation of projects to ensure access to, and rational use of, drinking water and to promote environmental sanitation. The organizations recommended continuing efforts to strengthen people's power by means of the community councils, technical water committees and integrated community brigades; guaranteeing 100 per cent water supply coverage; developing municipal ordinances for the management and use of water; and providing training in the integrated and rational use of water resources.¹⁶⁵

8. Right to health

85. A total of 21 organizations reported that progress had been made in adopting health legislation to ensure compliance with constitutional provisions prescribing free, high-quality health services for all. A number of submissions reported an increase in health-sector investment and highlighted the implementation of public policies and social programmes such as the Barrio Adentro Mission (I, II and III) as models of integrated health-care management.¹⁶⁶

86. HRW reported that Venezuelans continue to experience a deterioration of their ability to access basic health services.¹⁶⁷ A number of organizations considered that the Government has not been able to provide the public health-care system with medicines and supplies formerly available.¹⁶⁸ JS38 underlined the extreme shortages of essential medicines, supplies and reagents.¹⁶⁹ JS9 stated that medical staff in charge of health centres are forced to take responsibility for the respective treatments as the authorities do not allow them to disclose the lack of medicines.¹⁷⁰

87. OMIAW highlighted the development of the first National Plan for the Protection of Sexual and Reproductive Rights for the period 2014-2019, which includes indigenous women but has not been allocated a budget.¹⁷¹ JS40 referred to challenges affecting the coverage of contraception and family planning programmes.¹⁷² JS38 recommended increasing access to sexual and reproductive health services.¹⁷³ JS5 recommended implementing a comprehensive sexual education programme as a means of eliminating violence against women.¹⁷⁴

88. JS6 indicated that the programme and plan for safe, wanted and happy motherhood are based on a populist, maternalist handout-oriented approach.¹⁷⁵ JS11 stated that there are no public policies to address teenage pregnancies.¹⁷⁶

89. FDIM and PAS indicated that maternal mortality rates in indigenous communities are high.¹⁷⁷ FDIM recommended developing plans to ensure a multicultural, multi-ethnic approach to the provision of prenatal care.¹⁷⁸ JS19 indicated that there has been a decline in attention to indigenous health.¹⁷⁹

90. VeneDiver indicated that LGBTI persons are subjected to psychological abuse in health centres.¹⁸⁰ UNAF stated that gynaecological services are not adapted to the needs of LGBTI persons.¹⁸¹

9. Right to education

91. A total of 40 organizations reported advances in the provision of free education at all levels (primary, secondary and university). They welcomed educational programmes such as the Mission Robinson “Yo sí puedo” (yes, I can) programme, the Ribas and Sucre missions, the Simoncito project, and computer literacy and online training initiatives, noting that these programmes have been recognized by the Organization of Ibero-American States for Education, Science and Culture and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). Some organizations recommended that access to high-quality public education should be improved and current education legislation should be maintained.¹⁸²

92. JS31 reported positive outcomes including a reduction in school dropout rates and the introduction of a school meals programme.¹⁸³ CEAAL recommended further improving access to free high-quality education, ensuring that teachers receive appropriate training, and safeguarding their rights.¹⁸⁴

93. IHRC-OU-Norman-Oklahoma stated that children in rural areas, indigenous and afro-descendant people, refugee children, and asylum seekers faced barriers in achieving adequate education.¹⁸⁵ CATEDRAGUAICAIPURO reported a shortage of indigenous teachers and a lack of funding for mother-tongue and bilingual textbooks.¹⁸⁶

94. VeneDiver referred to the harassment and degrading treatment that caused LGBTI persons to drop out of education.¹⁸⁷ UNAF indicated that teachers and educational authorities do not know how to address issues of sexual orientation, gender identity and gender expression.¹⁸⁸

95. JS1 reported that national autonomous universities have been discriminated against in the allocation of budgets, that student organizations at these universities have been stigmatized and that legitimate protests led by these organizations have been criminalized.¹⁸⁹

10. Cultural rights

96. ABDAPC drew attention to the cultural policies and increase in the cultural budget which have improved access to cultural goods and services.¹⁹⁰ CCCdelALBA recommended strengthening the Corazón Adentro Cultural Mission.¹⁹¹

97. APIVEN recommended adopting a multidimensional approach to the preservation of indigenous languages and promoting intercultural education.¹⁹²

11. Persons with disabilities

98. With regard to the recommendations on persons with disabilities,¹⁹³ ACIMIR highlighted the ratification of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities by the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and the need both to guarantee non-discrimination and accessibility and to bring legislation in line with the Convention.¹⁹⁴ EVV highlighted the ratification of the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities,¹⁹⁵ but expressed the view that the recommendations have not been fulfilled. It recommended that the recommendations should be maintained for the next reporting period and that civil society organizations should be involved in follow-up.¹⁹⁶

99. FLUZPARATODOS highlighted that raising public awareness of disability issues was a challenge.¹⁹⁷

100. EVV reported that the reforms to special education services had been implemented without consulting students or their parents or representatives.¹⁹⁸ ACIMIR called for

recommendations made by persons with disabilities to be brought to the notice of the relevant public policy bodies.¹⁹⁹

101. DID drew attention to various inclusive education programmes, and to the lack of up-to-date data on persons with disabilities and on the outcomes of Government programmes and missions.²⁰⁰

102. ASODACI recommended encouraging the formation of associations of persons with disabilities and the development of productive initiatives to guarantee their autonomy, independence and social inclusion.²⁰¹

12. Indigenous peoples

103. APIVEN, JS19, JS24 and JS33 noted that recommendations concerning the integration of indigenous peoples and respect for their rights had not been met.²⁰² JS19 stated that little progress had been made regarding the right to free, prior and informed consent, land demarcation and titling.²⁰³

104. JS19 noted that, according to indigenous peoples, the institutionalization of the Ley Organica de Consejos Comunales since 2009 has impeded communities' right to self-determination and their own forms of organisation.²⁰⁴ LABPAZ recommended that the State should refrain from interfering in the right of indigenous communities to freedom of association.²⁰⁵

105. APIVEN recommended developing a legal and institutional framework for consultations that provides for the full participation of indigenous peoples,²⁰⁶ and implementing the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169).²⁰⁷

106. CIDOB called for greater participation of indigenous peoples on equal terms.²⁰⁸ ASOVILUZ recommended prioritizing policies designed to ensure full understanding of the ethnic groups living in the country.²⁰⁹ CCSAM recommended further developing the Guaicaipuro Mission.²¹⁰

107. APIVEN, JS33 and LabPaz made reference to the recommendation to expedite the process of land demarcation.²¹¹ JS33 stated that this recommendation has not been addressed.²¹² LabPaz indicated that only 12.4 per cent of indigenous lands have been demarcated.²¹³ APIVEN reported that the titles granted have been for individual communities rather than for entire peoples.²¹⁴

108. JS19 referred to violence surrounding land recuperation.²¹⁵ According to IHRC-OU, violent encounters have arisen because of disputes involving miners, indigenous peoples, and other locals with claims to indigenous lands.²¹⁶

109. OTSOAAM reported that ongoing illegal mining activity is damaging the habitat of indigenous peoples.²¹⁷ LABPAZ recommended carrying out consultation processes on extraction projects in indigenous territories.²¹⁸

110. APIVEN recommended establishing an intersectoral commission which includes indigenous persons among its members to design a strategy to fight illegal mining and the presence of illegal armed groups in indigenous territories.²¹⁹

13. Migrants

111. PROVENE made reference to a 2015 crisis during which the main borders with a neighbouring country were closed, affecting the legal situation of migrants from that country present in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.²²⁰ HRW indicated that the security forces deported hundreds of refugees and persons from a neighbouring country living legally in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela close to the border.²²¹

14. Right to development and environmental issues

112. JS36 recommended devising a national adaptation plan to ensure sustainable human development in a context of climate change.²²² APIVEN recommended including indigenous peoples in the design of development models.²²³

113. ECO-UKAMAU recommended implementing a more vigilant environmental policy so as to ensure that transnational oil companies do not damage the environment.²²⁴

Notes

¹ The stakeholders listed below have contributed information for this summary; the full texts of all original submissions are available at: www.ohchr.org. (One asterisk denotes a national human rights institution with “A” status).

Civil society

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ABDAPC	Asociación Boliviana de Artistas Plásticos Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ABEFOC	Association de Béninois forms à Cuba, Cotonou, Benin;
ABYA YALA	Fundación Abyayala, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ACAMBOL	Agentes de Cambio de Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ACAP	Association Congolaise d’Amitié entre les Peuples, Brazzaville, Congo;
ACCCMTAVR	Asociación Civil Consejo Comunal Mesa técnica de Agua Villa Real, Cumana, Estado Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACCESO	Acceso a la Justicia, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACIMIR	Asociación de Ciegos de Miranda, Charallave, Edo Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Agua Chiquita	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Agua Chiquita, Independencia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Barrio Bolívar	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Barrio Bolívar, San Cristóbal, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Brisas del Carapo	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Brisas del Carapo, Rubio, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Brisas del Sur	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Brisas del Sur, Barcelona. Anzoátegui, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
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ACMTA CHE GUEVARA	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Che Guevara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Chorro del Indio	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Chorro el Indio, La Concordia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Guafitas Doradas	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Guafitas Doradas el Yuye, El Piñal, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA JOSE GREGORIO HDZ	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Jose Gregorio Hernández, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

ACMTA La Osuna	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua La Osuna, Colón, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA LAS CASITAS	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Las Casitas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Las Margaritas	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Las Margaritas, Táriba, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Las Quebradas	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Las Quebradas, San Antonio, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Lomas del Viento	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Lomas del Viento, Independencia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA P.M Altagracia	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Plan Mesa Altagracia, Cumana Municipio Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA PLAN DE LA MESA SII	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Plan de la Mesa Sector II, Cumana, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA PRIMERO DE MAYO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Primero de Mayo, San Juan de los Cayos, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Saman de Guere	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Saman de Guere; Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA SAN MIGUEL ARCANGEL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua San Miguel Arcangel, CORO, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA SANTA ROSA	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Santa Rosa, Tocuyo de la Costa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA SIMON BOLIVAR	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Simon Bolivar, Zazarida, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA TU por la Toica	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Todos Unidos por la Toica, Táriba, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Valle Guanipa	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Valle Guanipa, El Tigre. Municipio Simón Rodríguez, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA VIJAGUITA II	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Vijaguita II, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTA Zorca el Progreso	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Zorca el Progreso, Táriba, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
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ACMTABUMBUM	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Bumbum, Barinas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTACALLEJONELPOZON	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Callejón El Pozon, Barinas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTACHAPARRAL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua El Chaparral, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTACO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Cincuentenario Oeste, El Tigre. Municipio Simón Rodríguez, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTACONUCOSDELAPAZ	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Conucos de la Paz, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTACURARIRE	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Los Curarire, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTADONSAMUEL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Don Samuel BARINAS, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

ACMTAELMANANTIAL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua El Manantial, Chuhuruguara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAJABILLAL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Jabillal, Santa Cruz de Bucaral, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTALARREAGAIH	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua La Arreaga III, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTALABAJADADELRIO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua LA Bajada del Rio, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTALaVertiente	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua La Vertiente, Barinas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTALEONMIJARES	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica José León Mijares I y II, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTALOSPINOS	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Los Pinos I y II, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTANATIEZEL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Natiezel, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAPFN	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua El Piache Futuro Norte, Municipio Marino. Nueva Esparta, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAPINDIGENA	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua El Potente Indígena, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAPMA	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Plan de la Mesa Altagracia, Cumana. Estado Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAPRINCIPIO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua El Principio, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAQUEBRADASECAPIEDRADE	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Quebrada Seca Piedra de Agua, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTARAFaelURDANETA	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Rafael Urdaneta II, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTASAN MIGUEL	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua San Miguel, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTASANFRANCISCO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua San Francisco, Barrancas, Barinas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTASANMARTINDELHUMO	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua San Martin del Humo, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTASANSEBASTIAN	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua San Sebastián II, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACMTAVALLEDELMOMBOY	Asociación Civil Mesa Técnica de Agua Valle del Momboy, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ACNM	Asociación Civil Niña Madre, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ADDREN	Asociación de Discapacitados “Renacer”, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ADESU	Asociación Deportiva del Sur “ADESU”, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ADPOC	Asociación de Profesionales Odontólogos-Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
AFMR	Autoformación Misión Ribas, Caraballeda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AfOT	Association for Obvious Things, Murska Sobota, Slovenia
AGROLOGICAPERALTA	Agroecologica y Ecoturística Juan Sabas Peralta, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AGUACLARA	Fundacion Aguaclara, Caracas Venezuela, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

AGUADEOBISPO	Mesa Técnica de Agua de Obispo, CARACAS, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AI	Amnesty International, London, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
ALBACASA	Casa del Alba El Alto, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
AMISTADVENEZUELA	Movimiento de Amistad con Venezuela, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
AMORGERE	Acción de Mujeres Organizadas por la Revolución, Coro, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AMPARAMPI	Asociación de Mujeres Artesanas, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
APIVEN	Asociación de Pueblos Indígenas de Venezuela, Puerto Ayacucho, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
APRODIS	Asociación Civil sin Ánimos de Lucro pro Defensa de los Derechos de las Personas con Discapacidad, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
APSBE	Asociación Paceña de Sofíbol y Beisbol, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ARGIMIROGABALDON	Comuna Socialista Argimiro Gabaldón, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ARLAC	Association des réfugiés de l'Amérique latine et les Caraïbes, Bruxelles, Belgium;
ARMRL	Asociación de Rentistas Mineros Regional – Llallagua, Potosí, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ASOARTRG	Asociación de Artesanos Rómulo Gallegos, Estado de Cojedes, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ASODACI	Asociación de Damas Ciegas, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ASOFMCMC	Asociación Civil Frente de Mujeres Campesinas Manuelita Saenz, El Nula, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ASOVILUZ	Asociación Civil Vida y Luz, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AVANZADORA	Comunas Juana La Avanzadora, Estado de Guarico, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AVH	Asociación Venezolana para la Hemofilia, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
AYLLUS	Comunidades Urbanas Sin Fronteras “Ayllus Urbanos”, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
BCGAGUA	Brigadas Comunitarias Guardianes del Agua, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
BGIGANTE	Comuna Brisas del Gran Gigante Federación, Churuguara Estado Falcon, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
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BICUEC Angel Maria Dalò	Brigada Integral Comunitaria de la U.E.C. Ángel María Daló, Guatire, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
BSOMOSCHAVEZ	Comuna Somos Chavez Carajo, Zaraza Estado Guarico, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
BUCARALAE	Agroecológica y Ecoturística Bucaral Unidos para Vencer, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
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C C D E P	Comuna Campesina Dios es Poder, Monte Carmelo, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
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C E D B	Comuna Espada de Bolivar, Altagracia, Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C E S E C	Comuna El Sur es Chávez, Barrancas, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C E V	Comuna El Venerable, Jose Gregorio Hernández, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C I C	Comuna Indio Capaya, San Antonio, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C J B C	Comuna Jesus Bolivar y Chavez, La Paz, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C L E D S	Comuna La Esperanza del Sur, San Simon Sur, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C L G B D D	Comuna La Gran Bendición de Dios, Faria, Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C L H	Comuna Luis Homez, Francisco E. Bustamante, Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C M K	Comuna Muko-Kuicas, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C N M A	Comuna Nelio Meléndez Aguirre, Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C R D C	Comuna Renacer del Comandante, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S A	Comuna San Antonio, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S A L	Comuna Socialista Agua Linda, Yaritagua, Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S J M	Comuna Socialista Juan Milla, Cocorote, Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S L P U P M	Comuna Socialista Lucha por un Pueblo Mejor, Campo Alegre, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S M P	Comuna Socialista Mi Pais, El Carmen, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S M V	Comuna Socialista Maximo Vizcaya, Campo Elias, Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S P C E C G	Comuna Socialista Popular y Chavista Ernesto Che Guevara, San Javier, Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S R R	Comuna Sabio Rafael Rangel, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C S Z	Comuna Sueño Zamorano, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C U P L P	Comuna Unidos por la Patria, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C U Y F S	Comuna Union y Fuerza Soberana, Trujillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

C.C.A	Consejo Comunal Las Américas de la parroquia Calabozo Municipio Francisco de Miranda, Calabozo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C.C.A.III	Consejo Comunal Los Aguacates II, San Juan de los Morros, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C.C.A.R.V	Consejo Comunitario de Agua Ramo Verde, Los Teques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C.C.B.G	Consejo Comunal Banco Guanape, Altagracia de Orituco, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C.H. FREYA	Centro Hispanoamericano para la Mujer FREYA, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
C28J	Comuna 28 de Julio, Vargas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAC	CCA Supaj Ñu Ñu, Los Teques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAFICULTORESDECRESCO	Caficultores de Crespo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAGROINDUSTRIALRB	Comuna Agroindustrial Rio Buchi, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAMANECERDELA	Comuna Amanecer del Alba, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAPECDP	Comuna Ali Primera Cantor del Pueblo, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAPQ	Comuna Agraria Patria Querida, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CARG	Comuna Agrícola Rio Guarico Sur, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CARI	Comuna Abuela Rosa Ines, Municipio Tinaquillo, Cojedes, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CASACBB	Asociación Casa del Alba- Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CATEDRAGUAICAIPURO	Asociación Civil “CÁTEDRA GUAICAIPURO”, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CATORONOIMA	Comuna Cacique Toronoima, Anzoategui, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CATSPC	Comuna Agroecologica Turistica Socialista Paula Correa, Municipio Jose Rafael Revenga, Aragua State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CAYCPDMAB	Comuna Agroturistica Y Cafetalera Pie De Monte Andino Barines, Municipio Bolivar, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CBCH	Comuna Bolivar Y Chavez, Municipio Pedro Zaraza, Guárico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC Andres Eloy Blanco	Consejo Comunal Andres Eloy Blanco, San Carlos, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC BIRUAQUITA	Consejo Comunal BIRUAQUITA 2016, San Fernando, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
CC CAMPOMAR MANZANA 2	Consejo Comunal Campomar Manzana 2, Estado Nueva Esparta, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
CC EL FUTURO NOTTE	Consejo Comunal El Futuro Norte, Estado Nueva Esparta, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
CC El Potrero I	Consejo Comunal El Potrero I, San Carlos, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC La Medinera Camoruco	Consejo Comunal La Medinera Sector Camoruco, San Carlos, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CC LA PAÑOLETA	Consejo Comunal La Pañoleta Parte Alta, Carayaca, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC LOS SAMANES	Consejo Comunal LOS SAMANES 2016, SAN FERNANDO, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC Miranda Sur	Consejo Comunal Miranda Sur, Tinaquillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CC SANTA RUFINA 3	Consejo Comunal SANTA RUFINA 3, San Fernando, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCA CCS - Los Teques	Consejo Comunitario De Agua Carretera Nacional Caracas — Los Teques, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCA Clavellinos	Consejo Comunitario de Agua Clavellinos, Cariaco Municipio Ribero, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCA LA ESPERANZA	Consejo Comunitario Del Agua La Esperanza Revolucionaria, Catia La Mar, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCAP	Comuna Cafetalera Ali Primera, Municipio Bolivar, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCALBA	Centro Cultural Cantar del Alba, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CCCAROMADEC	Comuna Cayude Con Aroma De Café, Municipio Santa Ana, Falcon State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCCF	Comuna Camilo Cien Fuego, Municipio Leonardo Infante, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCH	Comuna Comandante Chavez, Municipio Pao, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCHARCOLARGO	Consejo Comunal Charco Largo, Cojedes, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCSP	Consejo Comunal Campesino Sabana De Paparo, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCCUATRICENTENARIO2ETAPA1	Consejo Comunal Urb Cuatricentenario 2 Etapa Bloque 1, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCDMP	Comuna Corazón De Mi Patria, Municipio Pedro Zaraza, Guárico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCHPAV	Comuna Campochagua Por Amor A Venezuela, Municipio Mellado, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCPDCATIUNA	Comité Comunitario Personas Con Discapacidad Cacique Tiuna Parroquia Coche, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CCSAM	Comité Cívico De San Andrés De Machaca, Quinta Sección Municipal, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CCTRPICALI	Consejo Comunal Tropical I, Vargas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CDANAleman	Comuna Dr. Alirio Navarro Aleman, Municipio mauroa, falcon s state, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CDH-HAS	Colectivo Estudiantil De Derechos Humanos “Herbert Anaya Sanabria”, San Salvador, El Salvador;
CDH-UCAB	Centro De Derechos Humanos De La Universidad Católica Andrés Bello, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CEAAL	Consejo De Educación Popular De América Latina Y El Caribe Colectivo-Bolivia, Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CEAEV	Colectivo De Educacion Ambiental Estado Vargas, Macuto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CEDESAKM	Centro Integral De Desarrollo Social Alternativo “Khuno Marka”, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CEPAZ	Centro de Justicia y Paz, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CESDB	Comuna Espada Socialista De Bolivar, Municipio Anaco, Anzoategui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CEZ	Comuna Ezequiel Zamora En Marcha, Municipio Pedro Zaraza, Guárico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CFREVOLUCION	Colectivo Frente De Revolución Y Acción Popular, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CGMA	Comuna Gran Mariscal De Ayacucho, Municipio Juan Antonio Sotillo, Anzoategui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CGMM	Comuna General Manuel Manrique, Municipio Ezequiel Zamora, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CHCF	Comuna Hugo Chavez Frias, Municipio Bolivar, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CHCH	Comuna Hugo Chavez, Municipio Tinaquillo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CHIRIGUARE2006	Comuna Chiriguare 2006, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CIDOB	Confederación de Pueblos Indígenas de Bolivia, Santa Cruz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CINDIOCOROMOTO	Comuna Socialista Indio Coromoto, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CIT	Comuna Indios Taramas, Vargas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CIUNUVI	Ciudadanos De La Nueva Vida, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CIVICUS	World Alliance For Citizen Participation, Johannesburg, South Africa;
CIVILIS	Civilis Derechos Humanos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CJB	Coordinadora Juvenil de Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CJFRI	Comuna Jose Felix Ribas I, Municipio Cruz Paredes, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CJMSDJ	Comuna Juramento Del Monte Sacro De Jadacaquiva, Municipio Falcon, Falcon S State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CJUANALAVANZADORA	Asociación Civil Colectivo Frente De Trabajadores Sociales Juana La Avanzadora, Cojedes, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CL24DEMARZO	Colectivo 24 De Marzo, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
Claesperanza	Comuna La Esperanza, Municipio Dabajuro, Falcon S State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CLGDHV	Comuna Los Guerreros De Hato Viejo, Municipio Barinas, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CLOSHIJOSDELA	Comuna Los Hijos Del Arañero, Municipio Federacion, Falcon State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CLOSLUCHADORES	Comuna Los Luchadores, Municipio Romulo Gallegos, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CLSD	Comuna Lider Supremo, Municipio Pedro Zaraza, Guárico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CMAZ	Comuna Mata Arzolera, Municipio Francisco De Miranda, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CMD	Centro de la Mujer Dominicana de Puerto Rico, Inc., San Juan, Puerto Rico;
CMITARE	Comuna Mitare, Municipio Bolivar, Falcon State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CMST	Comuna Pedro Perez Delgado “Maisanta”, Municipio Las Mercedes Del Llano, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CNAMAQ	Consejo Nacional De Ayllus Y Marcas Del Qullasuyo, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CNMCIQB BS	Confederacion Nacional De Mujeres Campesinas Indigenas Originarias De Bolivia Bartolina Sisa, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CNUEVAINDEPENDENCIA	Comuna Una Nueva Independencia, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COB	Central Obrera Boliviana, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
COCHA	Comuna Orinokia Chavista Y Revolucion, Municipio Leonardo Infante, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COCIPOBOL	Comité Cívico Popular de Bolivia, Oruro, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
COCOCD2016	Consejo Comunal Carlos Diez Del Siervo, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COCOTORO2016	Consejo Comunal Toromaima Ud5, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CODEHCIU	Comisión De Derechos Humanos Y Ciudadanía, Puerto Ordaz, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COLCUAC	Colectivo Cultural Aguacero De Colores, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COLECTIVOCCALLE	Colectivo Cine Calle, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COLMDIP	Colectivo De Maestranes En Derecho Internacional Publico, Merida, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COLUMNASUR	Organización Social Juvenil “Columna Sur”, Cachabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
COMLOSC	Comuna Los Caciques, Municipio Bolivar, Falcon State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COMSOJUBAA	Comuna Socialista Juan Bautista Arismendi, Casacoima, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COMUNA13ADESPERATUNPUEBLO	Comuna 13 De Abril El Despertar De Un Pueblo, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COMUNAGROPECUARIASCC	Comuna Agropecuaria Socialista Cacique Coromoto, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COMUNAMARIATERESA	Comuna Socialista Maria Teresa Angulo, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COMUNRIBAS	Comuna Jf Ribas, Guarico, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CONALJUVE	Confederación Nacional De Juntas Vecinales De Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CONARGUA	Consejo De Artesanos De Guacara, Guacara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CONATRANSO	Comisión Nacional De Transporte Masivo De Los Trabajadores Socialistas Conatranso, Aragua, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CONBIVE	Confederación Bolivariana Indígena de Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CONCORVT	Consejo Comunal Renacer de los Vencedores de la Trilla, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CONSEJONACIONALDDHH	Consejo Nacional Para La Defensa De Los DDHH Jose Félix Ribas I, miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COPADOSO	Consejo Patriotico De Docentes Socialistas Del Estado Anzoátegui, Puerto La Cruz, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
COPPMCONSTDH	Consejo Del Poder Popular Moral Constitucional En Los Derechos Humanos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CORAZONDEMIPATRIAMORACHAV	Corazón De Mi Patria Por Amor A Chávez, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CORONEJOSEMP	Comuna Coronel Jose Mariano Peraza, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPB	Comuna Piritu Becerra, Municipio Francisco De Miranda, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPCBARALT	Consejo Popular De Comunicacion Baralt, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPDCCH	Comuna Pensamiento Del Comandante, Municipio Romulo Gallegos, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPDFASSMHFMR	Consejo Patriótico De Derechos Fundación Acción Social San Miguel Y Hermanos Frente Muller Rojas, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPEZEQUIELZAMORA	Comuna Paso Ezequiel Zamora, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPFDO	Comuna Productiva Faja Del Orinoco, Municipio Monagas, Anzoategui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPGJAA	Comuna Productiva General Jose Antonio Anzoategui, Municipio Aragua, Anzoategui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPHPATRIA	Campamento De Pioneros Hijos De La Patria, Anzoategui, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPLCDB	Comuna Por Los Caminos De Bolivar, Municipio Tinaquillo, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPPAGRICOLA	Consejo De Productores Y Productoras Agricolas Guillermo Ribas, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPR	Comuna Productores Revolucionarios, Municipio Francisco De Miranda, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CPROZULIA	Conglomerado Productivo Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CQH	Comuna Quebrada Honda, Municipio Pedro Zaraza, Guárico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CRES	Comuna Rio Espinito, Municipio Leonardo Infante, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CRNR	Comuna Al Rescate De Nuestras Raices, Vargas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CRP 91.5 FM	Fundación Colectivo Radiofílmico Petare, Municipio Sucre (Estado Miranda), Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CRZVTYHL	Comuna Rural Zamora Vive Tierra Y Hombres Libres, Municipio Anaco, Anzoátegui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSAACVENEZUELA	Confederación Socialista Amas Y Amos De Casa De Venezuela Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSANTARDC	Comuna Santa Rita De Casia, Municipio Falcon, Falcon State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSASROBINSON	Comuna Socialista Agropecuaria Samuel Robinson, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSBEDDG	Comuna Comuna Socialista Bolivariana Eje Dolores De Guanarito Municipio Sosa, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSC	Comite De Solidaridad Con Cuba En Puerto Rico, San Juan, Puerto Rico;
CSCLPRGU	Comuna Socialista Cordoncito Las Peñitas Rafael Guillermo Urdaneta Municipio San Casimiro, Aragua State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSCOJEDES	Comuna Sur Cojedes, Municipio Girardot, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSELIDAB	Comuna Socialista Elida Bustillos, Coro, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSGEZ	Comuna Socialista Generalísimo Ezequiel Zamora Municipio Antonio Jose De Sucre, Barinas State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSLDLPBOLÍVARYCHÁVEZ	Comuna Socialista Luchadores De La Patria Bolívar Y Chávez Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSP	Comuna San Pablo, Municipio Cajigal, Anzoátegui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSPRG	Comuna Socialista Productiva Rio Guanape, Municipio Carvajal, Anzoátegui State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CSUTCB	Confederación Sindical Única De Trabajadores Campesinos De Bolivia La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CSUTCPPD	Central Sindical Única De Trabajadores Campesinos De La Provincia Pantaleón Dalence, Oruro, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CSVALLEDESURUGUAPAY	Comuna Socialista Valles De Suruguapay, Portuguesa, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CTEUB	Confederación De Trabajadores De Educación Urbana De Bolivia La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
CUC	Comite De Unidad Campesina, Guatemala, Guatemala;
CUMBRECCA	Cumbre Roja, Los Teques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CUNR	Comuna Unidos En Revolucion, Municipio Las Mercedes Del Llano, Guarico State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CUPUMISMACAUSA	Comuna Unidos Por Una Misma Causa, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

CUVENCEREMOS	Comuna Unidos Venceremos, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CVDMOROTURO	Comuna Valle De Moroturo, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CVESIEMPRE	Comuna Venceremos Siempre, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CVG	Comité De Víctimas De La Guarimba, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CWP	Color Of Water Project (Boston), Boston, United States of America;
CZVETDR	Comuna Zamora Vive En Tierra De Ricaurte, Municipio Ricaurte, Cojedes State, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
DEFENSORESDDHH	Asociación Civil Defensores De Derechos Humanos, Cartanal, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
DHI	Desarrollo Humano Integral, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
DID	Asociación De La Discapacidad Inclusión Y Desarrollo, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
DNYB	Dúo Negro Y Blanco, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
EATOÑO	El Atoj Antoño, Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ECOPRODUCTIVAAGUASA	Socialista Y Revolucionaria Ecoproductiva Agua Sagrada Terepaima Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ECOUKAMAU	Asociación De Productores Ecológicos "UKAMAU", La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
EDGARRODRIGUEZC	Comuna Edgar Rodríguez, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
EJERCITOEMANCIPADOR	Movimiento Social Ejercito Emancipador, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ELGEN	Agrupación Cultural El Gen, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ENFP	Escuela Nacional De Formación Política, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ENSHISPANISTASCLUB	Ens Hispanistas Club, Porto-Novo, Benin;
EPAC	Espacio Público, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
EPC	Editorial Pensamiento Critico, San Juan, Puerto Rico;
EVV	Escuela De Vecinos De Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
F P V	Foro Penal Venezolano, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FAA	Movimiento Social Fundación Abrazando Con El Alma, Estado Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FCPCAE	Frente De Los Consejos Populares Contra El Acaparamiento Y La Especulación, Distrito capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FDIM	Federación Democrática Internacional De Mujeres, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FENASOPADRES_VENEZUELA	Federación Nacional De Sociedades De Padres Y Representantes (Fenasopadres), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FENCOMIN	Federación Nacional De Cooperativas Mineras, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);

FJOISESCRISTOSANA	Fundación Joisescristo Sana, Distrito capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FLUZPARATODOS	Fundación La Luz Brilla Para Todos,distrito Capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMB200 ANZ	Frente De Mujeres Bicentenario 200 (Anzoátegui), Puerto La Cruz, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMCACIQUEURIMARE	Frente De Mujeres Cacique Urimare, Falcón, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMIZAMORAEBARLOVENTO	Fuerza Motorizada Única De Integración De Plaza Zamora Eje Barlovento, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMNEGRAMATEA	Frente De Mujeres Negra Matea, Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMOTOFARQ	Fuerza Motorizada Comunitaria De Venezuela Franco Arquimedes Sección Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMRLARA	Frente Miuler Rojas, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FMSPATRIOTAS	Fundacion Movimiento Social De Patriotas, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FNAMMV	Frente Nacional Adulto Mayor Mauro Vive, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FNPTHIDROCAR	Frente Nacional Revolucionario De Profesionales Y Tecnicos De Hidrocarburos Jose Antonio Anzoategui, Barcelona, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FPHUGOCHAVEZ	Frente Patriótico Hugo Chávez,Distrito capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FPPECONOMIAC	Fundación Para La Promoción De La Economía Comunal, Distrito capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRENDIZUL	Frente De La Sexodiversidad Del Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRENTAL2016	Frente Alberto Lovera, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRENTEGENERODIVERSO	Frente Socialista De La Sexo Genero Diversidad, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRIOSPOPULAR	Fuerza Rebelde De Integración Y Organización De La Soberanía Popular, Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRPOIAMA	Fundación Para El Rescate, Protección Y Orientación De La Infancia Y Adolescencia Maltratada O Abandonada, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FRV	Fundacion Reflejos De Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FSTTEDUNE	Frente Socialista Bolivariano De Trabajadoras Y Trabajadores De La Educación Estado Nueva Esparta, Nueva Esparta, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FSUTCO	Federación Sindical Única De Trabajadores Campesinos De Oruro, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
FTELAPO	Frente Bolivariano La Ponderosa, Barcelona, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FTRANSMATPRI	Frente Transformación De Materia Prima, Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FTT	Fire This Time Movement For Social Justice, Vancouver, Canada;
FUNCAMAMA	Funcamama, Valencia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

FUNDACIONBOLIVARIANADDHH	Fundación Bolivariana Nacional Derechos Humanos Para El Poder Popular, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FUNDACIONURQUIA	Fundacion Centro Nacional De Investigacion Accion Participativa Urquia, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FUNDEDHIZ	Fundación Para La Defensa Integral De Los Derechos Humanos De Los Pueblos Y Comunidades Indígenas Del Estado Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FUPEGMVZLA	Fundación Pequeño Gran Mundo Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
FVRP	Fundacion Venezolana De Retinosis Pigmentaria, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
GCC	Género Con Clase, Valencia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
GRANMA	Comuna Gran Mariscal Antonio Jose De Sucre, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
HAY ALGUIEN ALLÍ	Fundación Hay Alguien Allí, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
HEROICAM	Comuna Heroína Manuela Saenz, Guarico, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
HRW	Human Rights Watch, Geneva, Switzerland;
IHRC-OU Norman, Oklahoma	International Human Rights Clinic, Norman, Oklahoma, United States of America;
IPYS Venezuela	Instituto Prensa Y Sociedad De Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
JEIP	Jóvenes En La Inclusión Participativa, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
JIMU	Jiyawa Música, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
JOSEFAJS	Comuna Socialista Josefa Joaquina Sanchez, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
JUANALAMONAGAS	Comuna Juana Ramírez La Avanzadora, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
JUANAS	Organización Juana Azurduy De Padilla, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
LA MONTAÑITA	Base De Misiones La Montañita, Valera, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
CASLA INSTITUTE	Casla Institute Ops, Praga, Czech Republic;
LARALALUCHASIGUE	La Lucha Sigue, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
LOLIMANPIA	Comuna Los Libertadores De Manuel Piar, Casacoima, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
LUCHADORESDELP	Luchadores Del Peñon De Los Gayones, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
LUCHADORESSOC	Consejo Comunal Luchadores Socialistas, Estado Aragua, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
M.T.A.C.A	Mesa Técnica De Agua El Campito – Aeropuerto, San Juan de los Morros, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
M.T.A.E.P.III	Mesa Técnica De Agua El Paural Iii, Altigracia De Orituco, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
M.T.A.G	Mesa Técnica De Agua Gamelotar, Altigracia De Orituco, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
M.T.A.V.2	Mesa Técnica De Agua Las Veritas 2, Calabozo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);

MACMTA SAN FRANCISCO	Mancomunidad Mesas Tecnicas De Agua San Francisco, Mirimire, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
MBCCPORLAPAZ	Movimiento Bolivariano De Colombianas Y Colombianos Por La Paz, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MBOLAROENO	Movimiento Bolivariano Aroeño, Aroa Estado Yaracuy, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MCZETCKIN	Movimiento De Mujeres Clara Zetckin, Tucupita, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MEZEQUIELZST	Movimiento Social Ezequiel Zamora Somos Todos, Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MINASDEBURIA	Minas De Buria, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MIR200	Movimiento Independiente Revolucionario 200, Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MJCMLARA	Movimiento Jose Carlos Mariategui, Barquisimeto Lara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MJSOC	Mision Justicia Socialista, Merida, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOBOLPATRIA	Movimiento Bolivariano De La Patria Grande Hugo Chavez Frias, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOSOABYA	Movimiento Social Abya Yala, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOV15ENERO	Movimiento 15 De Enero, Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOVBOLPG	Movimiento Bolivariano De La Patria Grande (MBPG), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOVFEMPOP	Movimiento Feminista Popular, Valencia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOVINOTINTO	Asociación Civil Movimiento Vinotinto, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOVREVMJCTU	Movimiento Revolucionario De Mujeres Josefa Camejo Tupamaro, Guacara, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MOVSLBPF@gmx.com	Movimiento Social Luis Beltran Prieto Figueroa, Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MPALIPRIMERA	Movimiento Popular Alfí Primera, Machiques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MPARAGUANA	Movimiento De Pobladores Paraguana, Paraguana, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSBHUGOCHAVEZ	Movimiento Social Bolivariano Hugo Chávez, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSC	Movimiento De Solidaridad Con Cuba, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
MSCG4F	Movimiento Social Colectivo Generación 4F Por La Paz Y La Vida Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSCHAVEZVIVE	Movimiento Social Chavez Vive Por Siempre, Sucre, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSFCDRYTVLM	Movimiento Social Fundación Comunitaria De Radio Y TV La Misión, Cabimas - Edo. Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSLM	Movimiento Social Llegó Maita, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MSMT	Movimiento Social Mujeres Por La Tierra, Maracaibo - Edo. Zulia, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

MTA	Mesa Técnica Del Agua 12 De Febrero, San Fernando, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MTA CAUJARITO 2016	Mesa Técnica Del Agua Cajuarito, San Fernando, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
MTA LA TRINIDAD	Mesa Técnica Del Agua La Trinidad 2, San Fernando, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MTA Las Colinas	Mesa Técnica Del Agua Las Colinas. Sala De Gestión Comunitaria Yare. Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MTA Madre Juliana	Madre Juliana, Los Teques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MUDERES	Mujeres Por Los Derechos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
MUSIFO	Mujeres Sin Fronteras, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
NOTIVECINOS	Grupo Notivecinos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ODP	Observatorio De Los Derechos De Propiedad, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
Omega Research Foundation	Omega Research Foundation, Manchester, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
OMIAW	Organización De Mujeres Indígenas Amazónicas Wanaaleru, Puerto Ayacucho, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
OMMJAP	Organización Matriz De Mujeres Juan Azurduy De Padilla, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
ONG GPD	Ong La Grande Puissance De Dieu, Cotonou, Benin;
ONG UJPD	Union Des Jeunes Pour Le Progres Et Le Developpement, Cotonou, Benin;
OTSOAAM	Organización De Trabajo Socio Ambiental De La Amazonia Wataniba, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
OVCS	Observatorio Venezolano De Conflictividad Social (OVCS), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
OVP	Observatorio Venezolano De Prisiones, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PACHAKUTI	Coordinadora Departamental De Personas Con Discapacidad De La Paz, El Alto, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
PACHAKUTIK	Federación De Organizaciones Comunitarias De Personas Con Discapacidad Y Deficiencia Del Departamento De La Paz (FOCPEDD-LP), El Alto, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
PAS	Participación Activa Y Social, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PC 18 de Mayo	Proyecto Comunitario 18 De Mayo, Guatire, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PC El Cercado	Proyecto Comunitario El Cercado, Guarenas, Guarenas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PC Vista Hermosa	Proyecto Comunitario Vista Hermosa, Guarenas, Guarenas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PC Quebrada Seca Sur Oest	Proyecto Comunitario Quebrada Seca Sur Oeste, Guatire, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PEQTE	Pequeño Teatro, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
PetroBolivia	Federación Sindical De Trabajadores Petroleros De Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);

PORSIEMPRECE	Comuna Por Siempre Comandante Eterno, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PROVEA	Programa Venezolano De Educación Acción En Derechos Humanos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
ProVene	Fundación Pro Bono Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
Proyecto Sentido Común	Proyecto Sentido Común, Cagua, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PRUDENCIOPINEDA	Comuna Socialista Prudencio Pineda, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
PUENTE SUR VENEZUELA	Puente Sur Venezuela, El Recreo, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
Puntarji	Puntarji, Most na Soči, Slovenia;
PV	People's Voice, Vancouver, Canada;
R3RND	Colectivo R3 La Revolucion No Domestica, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
Radio Cambur	Fundación De Radiodifusión Sonora Comunitaria Cambur, Maracay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RADIOCLAFUERTE	Radio Comunitaria La Fuerte 100.1 FM, Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RAV	Red De Afro-Descendientes De Venezuela, San Jose Barlovento- Miranda state, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RCB	Fundación Radiodifusora Y TV Abierta Radio Catedral Bolivariana, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
REDINQUILINOS	Red De Defensa Del Inquilino Y El Propietario, Barinas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RENADDHH	Fundación Red Nacional De Derechos Humanos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
REVOLUCIONARIOSDEBCM	Comuna Revolucionarios De BURIA Con El Cuartel De La Montaña , Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RMI	Red Metropolitana De Inquilinos, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ROA	Red De Organizaciones Afrovenezolanas, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
ROMPELANOR	Movimiento Social Rompiendo La Norma , Estado Carabobo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
RSF-RWB	Reporters Without Borders International, Paris, France;
S.G.C.A.T	Sala De Gestion Comunitaria Del Agua La Trinidad, Calabozo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
Salud/Linfomas	Asociación Venezolana De Amigos Con Linfoma – Aval, San Juan - Guárico, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SaludCochabamba	Sector Salud Departamental Cochabamba, Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
SAN RAFAEL	Comuna Los Cocuineros, Tucupita, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SANTIAGOYSANTAANA	Comuna Santiago Y Santa Ana ,Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SAR	Scholars At Risk Network, New York, NY, United States of America;
SemJuv	Semilla Juvenil, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
SENOSAYUDA	Senosayuda, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SFIRTINITRO	Sindicato FIRTINITRO, Anzoategui, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

SGCA	Sala De Gestión Comunitaria Del Agua Carlos Soubllette, Carlos Soubllette, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SGCA GUARENAS	Sala De Gestion Comunitaria Del Agua Guarenas, Guarenas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SGCA Macarao Las Adjuntas	Sala De Gestion Comunitaria Del Agua De Macarao - Las Adjuntas, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SINERGIA	Sinergia, Asociación Nacional De Organizaciones De La Sociedad Civil, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SKO	Skupina Kazenska Ovadba, Ljubljana, Slovenia;
SOCIALISMOCOMOOOLVIDARTE	Comuna Socialista Como Olvidarte Comandante, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISMODELCAMPO	Comuna Socialista Del Campo, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTAAP	Comuna Socialista Ascencion Piñero, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTACAFETALERA	Comuna Socialista Cafetalera Cerro El Pingano, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTACERROAZUL	Comuna Socialista Cerro Azul, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTACG	Comuna Socialista Che Guevara, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTAECOARTE	Comuna Socialista Ecoturistica Artesanal Cacique Terepaima, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTAELGUAICALNA	Comuna Socialista El Guaical Un Nuevo Amanecer, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTAESPERANZARE	Comuna Socialista Esperanza Revolucionaria, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
SOCIALISTAESTRELLASF	Comuna Socialista Estrellas Del Futuro, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAGENERALJ	Comuna Socialista General Jose Rafael Montilla “El Tigre De Guaito”, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAGRANCASPO	Comuna Socialista Gran Caspo, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAINDIOXAGUAS	Comuna Socialista Indio Xaguas, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAJOSETORBELLO	Comuna Socialista Jose Torbello, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTALLS	Comuna Socialista La Lucha Sigue, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAMANUELITAS	Comuna Socialista Manuelita Saenz, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTANEGROM	Comuna Socialista Negro Miguel, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAQUINTINOAL	Comuna Socialista Quintino Alvarado, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOCIALISTAVOZREI	Comuna Socialista S Voz De La Revolucion, Barquisimeto, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOMOSCAPACES	Somos Capaces Movimiento Hugo Chávez, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
SOTSS	Stories Of The Salish Seas, Vancouver, Canada;
SPBA	Sociedad De Profesionales Bolivianos Del “Alba”, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State Of);

SPR	Comuna Socialista Pueblo En Revolución, Delta Amacuro, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
TCC	The Carter Center, Atlanta, United States of America;
TFA	Task Force On The Americas, Larkspur, United States of America;
TINKU	Movimiento Red Tinku De Bolivia, Cochabamba, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
Transparencia Venezuela	Transparencia Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
TSCB	Trabajadores Sociales Comunitarios De Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
TSIMANE	Sub Consejo Tsimane Regional La Paz, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
TV Caricuao	Fundación TV Caricuao, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
UE José Leonardo Chirinos	Unidad Educativa Jose Leonardo Chirinos, Cordero, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
UKAMAU	Fundacion Grupo Ukamau, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
UMBO	Union De Mujeres De Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
UNAF	Unión Afirmativa De Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
UNCOSUR	Comuna Uncosur, Monagas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
UNIDADJUANBS	Comuna Juan Bautista Sierralta, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic Of);
UVAL	Una Ventana A La Libertad, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
VeneDiver	Venezuela Diversa Asociación Civil, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
VIDBAR	Videoteca Barbarroja, La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of);
VZLATRASCENDENTAL	Venezuela Trascendental, Distrito Capital, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).
Joint submissions:	
JS1	Federación de Centros Universitarios de la Universidad Central de Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
JS2	Joint Submission No. 2 by 104 organizations and y 318 associates: Asociación Cubana de las Naciones Unidas conformada por 104 organizaciones (Asociación Nacional de Economistas y Contadores; Unión Nacional de Arquitectos e Ingenieros de la Construcción de Cuba; Sociedad Nacional de la Cruz Roja Cubana; Unión de Escritores y Artistas de Cuba; Asociación Bomberos Voluntarios de Cuba; Centro de Intercambio y Referencia de Iniciativa Comunitaria; Central de Trabajadores de Cuba; Sociedad Cubana para la Promoción de las Fuentes Renovables de Energía y el Respeto Ambiental. Cubasolar; Brigadas Técnicas Juveniles; Consejo de Iglesias de Cuba; Fundación “Antonio Núñez Jiménez” de la Naturaleza y el Hombre; Fundación “Fernando Ortiz”; Fundación del Nuevo Cine Latinoamericano; Sociedad Cubana de Geología; Sociedad Cultural José Martí; Sociedad Económica de Amigos del País; Unión De

Periodistas de Cuba; Asociación de Pedagogos de Cuba; Federación de Mujeres Cubanas; Centro "Oscar Arnulfo Romero"; Asociación Cubana de Producción Animal; Asociación Cubana de Técnicos Agrícolas y Forestales; Asociación de Técnicos Azucareros de Cuba; Federación Cubana de Actividades Subacuáticas; Sociedad Cubana para la Protección del Medioambiente (Pro-Naturaleza); Sociedad Cubana de Investigaciones Filosóficas; Sociedad Meteorológica de Cuba; Asociación Médica del Caribe; Centro Félix Varela; Consejo Nacional de Sociedades Científicas de la Salud; Federación Cubana del Deporte Canino; Movimiento Cubano Por La Paz y La Soberanía de los Pueblos; Sociedad Cubana de Alergia, Asma e Inmunología Clínica; Sociedad Cubana de Anatomía Patológica; Sociedad Cubana de Anestesiología y Reanimación; Sociedad Cubana de Angiología y Cirugía Cardiovascular; Sociedad Cubana de Antropología Biológica; Sociedad Cubana de Aterosclerosis; Sociedad Cubana de Bioingeniería; Sociedad Cubana de Cardiología; Sociedad Cubana de Ciencias Farmacéuticas; Sociedad Cubana de Ciencias Fisiológicas; Sociedad Cubana de Ciencias Morfológicas; Sociedad Cubana de Cirugía; Sociedad Cubana de Cirugía Endoscópica; Sociedad Cubana de Cirugía Maxilofacial; Sociedad Cubana de Cirugía Pediátrica; Sociedad Cubana de Cirugía Plástica y Caumatología; Sociedad Cubana de Coloproctología; Sociedad Cubana de Dermatología; Sociedad Cubana de Educación en Ciencias de la Salud; Sociedad Cubana de Endocrinología; Sociedad Cubana de Enfermería; Sociedad Cubana de Estomatología; Sociedad Cubana de Estudios Ortodóncicos; Sociedad Cubana de Farmacología; Sociedad Cubana de Gastroenterología; Sociedad Cubana de Gerontología y Geriátrica; Sociedad Cubana de Hematología; Sociedad Cubana de Higiene y Epidemiología; Sociedad Cubana de Historia de la Medicina; Sociedad Cubana de Imagenología; Sociedad Cubana de Informática Médica; Sociedad Cubana de Inmunología; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Bioenergética y Naturalista; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Familiar; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Física y Rehabilitación; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Intensiva y de Emergencia; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Interna; Sociedad Cubana de Medicina Legal; Sociedad Cubana de Microbiología y Parasitología; Sociedad Cubana de Nefrología; Sociedad Cubana de Neumología; Sociedad Cubana de Neurociencias; Sociedad Cubana de Neurología y Neurocirugía; Sociedad Cubana de Nutrición; Sociedad Cubana de Obstetricia y Ginecología; Sociedad Cubana de Oftalmología; Sociedad Cubana de Oncología; Sociedad Cubana de Ortopedia y Traumatología; Sociedad Cubana de Otorrinolaringología; Sociedad Cubana de Patología Clínica; Sociedad Cubana de Pediatría; Sociedad Cubana de Periodoncia; Sociedad Cubana de Prótesis Estomatológica; Sociedad Cubana de Psicología De La Salud; Sociedad Cubana de Psiquiatría; Sociedad Cubana de Retinosis Pigmentaria; Sociedad

- Cubana de Reumatología; Sociedad Cubana de Salud Pública; Sociedad Cubana de Toxicología; Sociedad Cubana de Trabajadores Sociales de la Salud; Sociedad Cubana de Urología; Sociedad Cubana para el Estudio Multidisciplinario de la Sexualidad; Unión Árabe de Cuba; Asociación Cubana de Limitados Físico-Motora; Asociación Nacional del Ciego; Asociación Nacional de Sordos de Cuba; Centro de Estudios sobre la Juventud; Fundación “Nicolás Guillén”; Sociedad Cubana de Esperanto; Asociación Espiritista Kardeciana Cruzada “Cabildo Quisicuba” and Sociedad Civil Patrimonio, Comunidad y Medioambiente), La Habana, Cuba;
- JS3 Joint Submission No. 3 by 2 organization: Acción Solidaria en VIH/Sida y Stop VIH, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic; of);
- JS4 Joint Submission No. 4 by 2 organizations: Acción Campesina y Sinergia, Los Teques, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS5 Joint Submission No. 5 by 2 organizations: Asociación Civil de Planificación Familiar (PLAFAM) con la colaboración de la Iniciativa por los Derechos Sexuales (SRI), Buenos Aires, Argentina;
- JS6 Joint Submission No. 6 by 5 organizations: Centro de Justicia y Paz (CEPAZ); Asociación Venezolana para una Educación Sexual Alternativa, (AVESA); Género, Democracias y DDHH (GENDHU); Centro Hispanoamericano para la Mujer FREYA y la Clínica Jurídica de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad Católica Andrés Bello, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS7 Joint Submission No. 7 by 10 organizations: Consejo Comunitario de Agua Cojedes. Integran La Coalición: Consejo Comunal El Potrero, Consejo Comunal Monseñor Padilla, Consejo Comunal Andrés Eloy Blanco, Consejo Comunal Limoncito I, Consejo Comunal Medinera, Consejo Comunal Casa De Madera, Consejo Comunal Caja De Agua, Consejo Comunal Casas De Chaguaramos, Consejo Comunal Mapurite y Consejo Comunal Renacer, Tinaco, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS8 Joint Submission No. 8 by 12 organizations: Comuna Unidos por la Revolución, conformada por 12 comunidades, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS9 Joint Submission No. 9 by 2 organizations: la Comisión de Derechos Humanos de la Facultad de Ciencias Jurídicas y Políticas de la Universidad del Zulia, Aula Abierta Venezuela y Acción Zuliana por la Vida, Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS10 Joint Submission No. 10 by 12 organizations: the Network for Human Rights of Children and Adolescents (NNA) of Venezuela: CECODAP, Instituto Investigaciones Jurídicas-UCAB, Fundación Luz y Vida, CENDIF-UNIMET, FIPAN, A.C. Red de Casas Don Bosco, Asociación Civil VIVIR, Fe y Alegría, Asociación Venezolana de Justicia Social, Cátedra de la Paz y Derechos Humanos Mons. Oscar A. Romero/Universidad

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de Los Andes/Estado Mérida y Asociación Muchachos de la Calle, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of); Joint Submission No. 11 by 40 organizations: el Observatorio Venezolano de los Derechos Humanos de las Mujeres, conformado por una red de 40 organizaciones: Centro de Investigación Social, Formación y Estudios de la Mujer. CISFEM; Federación Venezolana de Abogadas; Asociación Venezolana para una Educación Sexual Alternativa. AVESA; Fundación para la Prevención de la Violencia Doméstica hacia la Mujer FUNDAMUJER-Hermanas Oblatas-Estado Lara. Comité de Víctimas Contra la Impunidad del Estado Lara. Fundación Promoción de la Mujer Estado Falcón Centro de Investigación Social, Formación y Estudios de la Mujer del Estado Trujillo; Centro de Educación y Capacitación para la Vida, CECAVID-Estado Lara; Organización Mujer Analítica; Frente Nacional de Mujeres de Venezuela; Casa de la Mujer Juana Ramírez, La Avanzadora. Edo. Aragua; Asociación Civil Desarrollo, Igualdad y Paz. Caracas; Asociación de Planificación Familiar Lara ALAPLAF; PAM, Programa de Fe y Alegría del Estado Lara; Asociación Hogares sin Violencia. Estado Anzoátegui; Centro de Estudios de la Mujer del Instituto Pedagógico Experimental Libertador, CEM-UPEL; ALMU Caracas; Asociación de Mujeres por el Bienestar y Asistencia Recíproca. AMBAR; Centro de Animación Juvenil de Valera. Estado Trujillo; CECORFA-Trujillo; Universidad Valle del MOMBOY; Colegio de Profesores, Estado Trujillo; AFACO Organización larense; ACCESO; Tinta Libre, Semanario Barquisimeto-Estado Lara; Maestría de Desarrollo Integral de las Mujeres-UCLA; Organización Civil CAUCE. Caracas; Madres por la Vida. Fundación para el Desarrollo de las Mujeres Latinoamericanas. FUNDEMUL; Fundación de Apoyo al Centro de Estudios de la Mujer de la Universidad Central de Venezuela. FUNDACEM; Unión Vecinal para la Participación Ciudadana. Caracas; Centro de Atención Integral de la Mujer de Carúpano. CENAIM. Estado Sucre; Asociación de Defensa de la Mujer Reclusa Asociación Género, Democracia y Derechos Humanos. GENDHU. Caracas; Asociación PRODESOL Caracas; Casa de La Mujer Ángela Suárez, Cúa-Estado Miranda; Casa de la Mujer Argelia Laya. Guanare-Estado Portuguesa Observatorio Venezolano de los DDHH de las Mujeres, Núcleo Andino; Fundación Loto Azul. Mérida, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

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Joint Submission No. 12 by 27 organizaciones autónomas del movimiento de derechos humanos de Venezuela.

Participan:

Acción Solidaria en VIH/Sida; Asamblea de Educación; CEPAZ, Centro de Justicia y Paz; CDH UCAB, Centro de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad Católica Andrés Bello; Civilis Derechos Humanos; CODEHCIU, Comisión de Derechos Humanos y Ciudadanía Guayana; CODEVIDA, Coalición de Organizaciones por los Derechos a la Salud y la Vida; Espacio Público;

- FENASOPADRES, Federación Nacional de Sociedades de Padres y Representantes; FEPAP, Fundación Ensayos para el Aprendizaje Permanente; Fundación Agua Clara; FUNPAZ, Fuerza, Unión, Justicia, Solidaridad y Paz; GTAI, Grupo de Trabajo sobre Asuntos Indígenas; IPYS, Instituto Prensa y Sociedad; Laboratorio de Paz; Movimiento Vino Tinto; Observatorio de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad de Los Andes; OVS, Observatorio Venezolano de la Salud; OVCS, Observatorio Venezolano de Conflictividad Social; Provea, Programa Venezolano de Educación Acción en Derechos Humanos; REDHNNA, Red por los Derechos Humanos de Niños, Niñas y Adolescentes; SINERGIA, Asociación Venezolana de Organizaciones de Sociedad Civil; SOHI, Sociedad Hominis Iura; Una Ventana a la Libertad; UNAF, Unión Afirmativa; Unión Vecinal para la Participación Ciudadana; y Venezuela Diversa, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS13 Joint Submission No. 13 by 26 organizaciones autónomas del movimiento de derechos humanos en Venezuela para el Segundo Ciclo del Examen Periódico de Venezuela Civilis Derechos Humanos. Participan: Acción Solidaria en VIH/Sida; Asamblea de Educación; CEPAZ, Centro de Justicia y Paz; CDH UCAB, Centro de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad Católica Andrés Bello; Civilis Derechos Humanos; CODEHCIU, Comisión de Derechos Humanos y Ciudadanía Guayana; CODEVIDA, Coalición de Organizaciones por los Derechos a la Salud y la Vida; Espacio Público; FENASOPADRES, Federación Nacional de Sociedades de Padres y Representantes; FEPAP, Fundación Ensayos para el Aprendizaje Permanente; Fundación Agua Clara; FUNPAZ, Fuerza, Unión, Justicia, Solidaridad y Paz; GTAI, Grupo de Trabajo sobre Asuntos Indígenas; IPYS, Instituto Prensa y Sociedad; Laboratorio de Paz; Movimiento Vino Tinto; Observatorio de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad de Los Andes; OVS, Observatorio Venezolano de la Salud; OVCS, Observatorio Venezolano de Conflictividad Social; Provea, Programa Venezolano de Educación Acción en Derechos Humanos; REDHNNA, Red por los Derechos Humanos de Niños, Niñas y Adolescentes; SINERGIA, Asociación Venezolana de Organizaciones de Sociedad Civil; SOHI, Sociedad Hominis Iura; Una Ventana a la Libertad; UNAF, Unión Afirmativa; Unión Vecinal para la Participación Ciudadana; y Venezuela Diversa, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS14 Joint Submission No. 14 by 2 organizations: Coalición de Organizaciones por el Derecho a la Salud y a la Vida (CODEVIDA) y Provea (Programa Venezolano de Educación-Acción en Derechos Humanos), Chacao Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS15 Joint Submission No. 15 by 2 organizations COFAVIC y la Organización Mundial contra la Tortura (OMCT), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS16 Joint Submission No. 16 by 4 organizations grouped in the Comisión nacional de protección de los periodistas

- (Conapro) integrada por: Colegio Nacional de Periodistas (CNP), Sindicato Nacional de Trabajadores de la Prensa (SNTP), Circulo de Reporteros Gráficos de Venezuela (CRGV) y Espacio Público, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS17 Joint Submission No. 17 by 17 organizations: Convite A.C, Vida Prolongada A.C., Los Abuelos de Baruta A.C., Nialca A.C., La Deltana A.C., Atención al Adulto Mayor A.C., Las Rosas A.C., Gregoria Delfina Chirinos A.C., Una Mano Amiga A.C., Abuelos de Santa Clara A.C., Club de Abuelos Francisco Soto A.C., La Cumbre A.C., Mañana es Hoy A.C., Juventud Prolongada A.C., Almapa A.C., Club de Abuelos mi Mayor Éxito A.C. y Asoamigos A.C., Miranda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS18 Joint Submission No. 18 by 5 organizations: Corriente Bolivariana Bolívar y Zamora (CRBZ) conformado por el Frente Nacional Campesino Ezequiel Zamora (FNCEZ), Frente Nacional Comunal Simón Bolívar (FNCSB), Centro de Formación y Estudios Sociales Simón Rodríguez (CEFES), Movimiento del Poder Popular Obrero (MPPO), y la Escuela Nacional de Cuadros Mariscal Sucre (ENCMASU); Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS19 Joint Submission No. 19 by 3 organizations: Oripanto Oayapo Tuonde, Asociación de Mujeres Yukpa de la Sierra de Perijá y Cultural Survival, Cambridge, MA, United States of America;
- JS20 Joint Submission No. 20 by 12 organizations grouped in the Coalición Foro por la Vida and integrated by: ACCSI Acción Ciudadana Contra el SIDA; Acción Solidaria (ACSOL); Caritas Los Teques; Centro de Derechos Humanos de la Universidad Católica Andrés Bello (UCAB); Centro para la Paz y los DDHH de la Universidad Central de Venezuela (UCV); Comisión de Justicia y Paz de la Conferencia Episcopal Venezolana; Comisión de Justicia y Paz de la CONVER; Comité de Familiares de Víctimas de los sucesos del 27 de Febrero y Marzo del 89 (COFAVIC); Espacio Público; Observatorio Venezolano de los DDHH de las Mujeres; Programa Venezolano de Educación-Acción en Derechos Humanos (Provea) y la Vicaría Episcopal de Derechos Humanos de la Arquidiócesis de Caracas, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS21 Joint Submission No. 21 by 2 organizations: FUNDALATIN e IDHES, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS22 Joint Submission No. 22 by 3 organizations: Coalición “Comunicación Insurgente”, “Radio Guayra” y “Guataca 2010”, Vargas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS23 Joint Submission No. 23 by 3 organizations: International Commission of Jurists, International Association of Judges and Human Rights Institute of the International Bar Association, Geneva, Switzerland;
- JS24 Joint Submission No. 24 by 2 organizations: Istituto Internazionale Maria Ausiliatrice and International Volunteerism Organization for Women, Education,

- Development (VIDES International), Veyrier, Switzerland;
- JS25 Joint Submission No. 25 by 3 organizations: Instituto Prensa y Sociedad de Venezuela (IPYS Venezuela), Observatorio Electoral Venezolano (OEV) and Observatorio Global de Comunicación y Democracia (OGCD), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS26 Joint Submission No. 26 by 2 organizations: International Service for Human Rights and Front Line Defenders, Geneva, Switzerland;
- JS27 Joint Submission No. 27 by 2 organizations: Instituto Venezolano de Estudios Sociales y Políticos (INVESP) y SINERGIA, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS28 Joint Submission No. 28 by 19 organizations: Red de Colectivos La Araña Feminista comprising: Research Coordination Center for Women's Studies of the Central University of Venezuela (UCV CEM), Manuela Saenz Women's Movement (MOMUMAS), Tinta Violeta Group, Popular Female Circles; Organization of Women Josefa Joaquina Sánchez, SURCO Group, MUSA Aragua, Women's Movement of Merida, newspaper NOTICIAS DE MUJERES, Revolutionary Feminist Spiral, Conjura Feminista Group, Aragua Women's Group, Sorfanny Alfonzo Comandanta Patricia Group, Anzoátegui Front of Socialist Women, Bunke Placer Group, Foundation for the Welfare of the Family FUNDABIEFA, Mujer Tenías que Ser, UBV Diversity Group and web El Entrompe de Falopio, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS29 Joint Submission No. 29 by 2 organizations grouped in the Red LGBTI de Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS30 Joint Submission No. 30 by 5 organizations: Mancomunidad de las Mesas Técnicas de Agua de los Sectores de: Belén, Cerey, La Guacharaca, Tucucere, y El Uruy, Municipio San Francisco del Estado Falcón, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS31 Joint Submission No. 31 by 24 organizations: Movimientos Bolivarianos de Familia de los Estados de: Amazonas, Anzoátegui, Apure, Aragua, Barinas, Bolívar, Carabobo, Cojedes, Delta Amacuro, Distrito Capital, Falcón, Guárico, Lara, Mérida, Miranda, Monagas, Nueva Esparta, Portuguesa, Sucre, Táchira, Trujillo, Vargas, Yaracuy y Zulia. Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS32 Joint Submission No. 32 by 3 organizations: Human Rights Observatory of the University of Los Andes (ODH-ULA), the Centre for Human Rights at the Catholic University Andres Bello (CDH-UCAB) and the Commission on Human Rights of the Faculty of Law and Political Sciences of the University of Zulia (LUZ), Mérida, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS33 Joint Submission No. 33 by 2 organizations: Comisión para los Derechos Humanos del Estado Zulia (CODHEZ), el Comité de Derechos Humanos de la Guajira, y Proyecto Mujeres (Proyecto M), Maracaibo, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

- JS34 Joint Submission No. 34 by 3 organizations: Observatorio Venezolano de la Salud (OVS), la Fundación Bengoa y el Centro de Investigaciones Agroalimentarias (CIAAL), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS35 Joint Submission No. 35 by 2 organizations: Venezuelan Observatory of Violence (OVV) and Laboratory of Social Sciences (LACSO), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS36 Joint Submission No. 36 by 3 organizations: Asociación Civil Phynatura, Equipo de Proyectos y Asesoría Social Edepa y Fundación Ecojuegos, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS37 Joint Submission No. 37 by 2 organizations: Acceso Libre and the International Human Rights Clinic at Harvard Law School, and Privacy International, London, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
- JS38 Joint Submission No.38 by 9 organizations: Plataforma Venezolana de Redes de OSC: Sinergia, Asociación Venezolana de Servicios de Salud de Orientación Cristiana (AVESSOC), Red Venezolana de Organizaciones para el Desarrollo Social (REDSOC), FENASOPADRES, Federación de Instituciones Privadas de Atención al Niño, al Joven y la Familia (FIPAN), Red ARA, Observatorio Venezolano de los Derechos Humanos de las Mujeres, Grupo Social CESAP and Acción Campesina, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS39 Joint Submission No. 39 by 13 organizations: Red Rosa Venezuela conformado por: Fundación de Lucha Contra el Cáncer de Mama, FUNCAMAMA (2002), Carabobo; Fundación Amigos de la Mujer con Cáncer de Mama, FAMAC (2000), Zulia; Fundación de Apoyo al Paciente con Cáncer de Mama, FUNDAMAMA (2003), Lara; Fundación Falcón Unido Contra el Cáncer de Mama, FUCAMM (2006), Falcón; Fundación de Apoyo al Paciente con Cáncer de Seno, FUNDASENO, (1997), Distrito Capital; Asociación Civil SENOSALUD (2002), Distrito Capital; Asociación Civil SENOSAYUDA (2006), Distrito Capital; Asociación Civil Seno y Vida. (2014), Táchira; Fundación Seno Esperanza. (2014), Distrito Capital; Fundación de apoyo para Quimioterapia, FUNDAQUIMIO (2013). Carabobo; Fundación Isabel Rivas, (2009), Carabobo; Fundación por la Salud y la Vida, (2014), Barinas; 13. Fundación Senos Saludables, (2014, Bolívar, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS40 Joint Submission No. 40 by 8 organizations: Coalición Proacceso: Centro al Servicio de la Acción Popular (CESAP), Colegio Nacional del Periodistas (CNP), Espacio Público, Expresión Libre, Instituto Prensa y Sociedad (IPYS), el Instituto Venezolano de Estudios Sociales y Políticos (INVESEP), Sinergia y Transparencia Venezuela, Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);
- JS41 Joint Submission No. 41 by 154 organizations grouped in the Unión Nacional de Mujeres (UNAMUJER), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

National human rights institutions:

DdPV DEFENSORIA DEL PUEBLO * (Status as of 5 August 2016), Caracas, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of);

Regional organizations:

IACHR-OAS Inter-American Commission on Human Rights-Organization of American States, Washington, D.C. 20006, USA.

- ² Status of the National Human Rights Institution, as of 5 August 2016.
- ³ DdPV, p. 7.
- ⁴ DdPV, p. 13; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.1 (**Brunei Darussalam**), 94.2 (**Indonesia**).
- ⁵ DdPV, p. 10.
- ⁶ DdPV, p.11; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 93.18 (**United Kingdom**) and 93.19 (**Norway**).
- ⁷ DdPV, p. 21; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.23 (**Pakistan**) and 94.24 (**Angola**).
- ⁸ DdPV, pp. 16-17, 19-20 and 22; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.10 (**Viet Nam**), 94.11 (**Canada**), 94.16 (**Myanmar**), 94.17 (**Cambodia**), 94.21 (**Indonesia**), 94.22 (**Angola**), 94.25 (**Sri Lanka**) and 94.26 (**Uruguay**).
- ⁹ DdPV, pp. 8-9; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 93.5 (**Turkey**), 93.7 (**Russian Federation**), 93.11 (**Malaysia**), 93.12 (**Norway**), 93.13 (**Switzerland**), 93.14 (**United Kingdom**), 93.15 (**Czech Republic**), 94.31 (**Cuba**), 94.32 (**Belgium**), 94.33 (**Holy See**), 94.35 (**Algeria**).
- ¹⁰ DdPV, pp. 8-9.
- ¹¹ DdPV, p. 18.
- ¹² DdPV, p. 13; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.3 (**France**).
- ¹³ DdPV, p. 23; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.30 (**Cuba**), 94.34 (**Malaysia**).
- ¹⁴ DdPV, p. 22; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.27 (**Russian Federation**).
- ¹⁵ DdPV, pp. 15 and 24-25, 27-30; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.4 (**Viet Nam**), 94.6 (**Nicaragua**), 94.7 (**Turkey**), 94.8 (**Holy See**), 94.9 (**Lebanon**), 94.37 (**Cuba**), 94.46 (**Cuba**), 94.51 (**Sri Lanka**), 94.56 (**Belarus**), 94.57 (**Iran**), 94.58 (**Qatar**), 94.59 (**Bolivia**), 94.60 (**DPRK**), 94.62 (**DPRK**), 94.63 (**Iran**), 94.64 (**Bangladesh**).
- ¹⁶ DdPV, p. 28; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.52 (**Turkey**), 94.53 (**Malaysia**), 94.54 (**Cuba**) and 94.55 (**Algeria**).
- ¹⁷ DdPV, p. 26; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.48 (**Bolivia**).
- ¹⁸ DdPV, p. 32; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.69 (**USA**).
- ¹⁹ The following abbreviations are used in UPR documents:
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| 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 |

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- 21 OVP, p.2 See also submission from AI, p. 5.
- 22 PROVEA, p. 2. See also submissions from AI, p. 6, JS14, p.2; JS15, p.2; JS 17, p.2.
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- 25 Provea, p.1 (resumen ejecutivo) and 2; A/HRC/19/12, para. 93.18 (**United Kingdom**).
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- 41 AI, p. 6.
- 42 JS15, p.7.
- 43 IPYS, p. 5. See also submissions from EPAC, p. 6 and CIVICUS, p. 11; JS40, p. 8.
- 44 LABPAZ, p. 6.
- 45 JS20, para. 19. See also submissions from SINERGIA, p.5 and FPV, p. 2.
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- 48 JS24, paras. 30 and 32; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 93.20 (**Norway**), 94.16 (**Myanmar**), 94.24 (**Angola**) and 94.25 (**Sri Lanka**).
- 49 GCC, p. 1; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.22 (**Angola**).
- 50 FREYA, paras. 3 and 5.
- 51 OMIAW, p. 1.
- 52 JS6, p. 3.
- 53 JS24 paras. 12 and 14.
- 54 FDIM, para. 5; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.11 (**Canada**), 94.22 (**Angola**), 94.23 (**Pakistan**) and 94.27 (**Russian Federation**); See also submissions from PAS, para. 11 and JS41, para. 6.
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- 56 FDIM, pp. 2-4. See also submissions from JS41, pp. 3-4, 6, 14 and 17; PAS, pp.4 and 12; CNMCIOB-BS, pp. 3-4; GCC, p. 6; JS28, p. 7 and JS6, p.7 and FDIM, para. 12.
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- 58 LGBTIVZLA, para. 13; A/HRC/19/12, para. 94.11 (**Canada**). See also: UNAF, pp.4-5.
- 59 ROMPELANOR, p. 2. See also submissions from JS29, pp. 3, 5-8 and 10; EJERCITOEMANCIPADOR, pp. 1, 3-4, UNAF, pp. 4-5 and FRENTEGENERODIVERSO, pp. 2-3.
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- 61 JS17, pp. 2 and 7.
- 62 JS11, p. 2.
- 63 FRPOIAMA, pp. 1 and 2.

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- ⁶⁵ JS27, pp. 2-8. See also submissions from JS15, p. 3; OMIAW, p. 2 and FUNDEHIZ, p.3 (see FUNDEHIZ submission for cases cited).
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- ⁶⁷ JS12, pp. 3 and 8. See also submission from OVCS, p. 4.
- ⁶⁸ JS15, p. 4.
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- ⁷¹ HRW, p. 1. See also submissions from AI, pp.3 and 6 and IHRC-OU pp. 4-5.
- ⁷² CIVICUS, pp. 2 and 8. See also submissions from HRW, p. 1.
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- ⁷⁸ RENADDHH, p. 2; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 93.7 (**Russian Federation**), 93.11 (**Malaysia**), 93.12 (**Norway**), 93.14 (**United Kingdom**), 93.15 (**Czech Republic**), 94.31 (**Cuba**), 94.32 (**Belgium**) and 93.35 (**Algeria**).
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- ⁸⁰ RENADDHH, pp. 2-3 and p. 6. See also: OVP, pp. 3-5, JS11, para. 11 and JS41, p. 10.
- ⁸¹ UVAL, pp. 2 and 3-5. See also submissions from HRW, p. 5, OVP, p. 9, FPV, p. 6, OPV, p. 5
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- ⁸³ JS11, para. 21; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 94.16 (**Myanmar**), 94.21 (**Indonesia**), 94.22 (**Angola**) and 96.11 (**Slovenia**). See also submission from JS41, para. 19.
- ⁸⁴ JS11, para. 21. See also submissions from AI, p. 5; JS6, p. 8 and GCC, para. 6.
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- ⁸⁹ OMIAW, p.3. See also submission from APIVEN, p. 3.
- ⁹⁰ AI, pp.3-5.
- ⁹¹ JS23, p. 2.; A/HRC/19/12 para. 95-96. See also submission from AI, p. 2 and HRW.
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- ⁹³ Acceso, p. 13.
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- ¹¹⁷ IPYS, pp. 1- 2. See also submissions from EPAC, p. 5.
- ¹¹⁸ FPV, pp. 3 and 6.
- ¹¹⁹ JS25, p. 8.
- ¹²⁰ EPAC, pp. 3 and 6. See also submissions JS16, p. 7 and IPYS, p. 4.
- ¹²¹ JS16, p. 5. See also submission from JS27, para.11.
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- ¹²³ CIVICUS, pp. 6 and 7. See submission for case cited. See also submission from IACHR, p. 5.
- ¹²⁴ CIVICUS, p. 10.
- ¹²⁵ AI, p.1; A/HRC/19/12, paras. 93.16 (**Canada**), 93.17 (**Brazil**) and 94.36 (**Uruguay**).
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