

Tables for UN Compilation on Mozambique

I. Scope of international obligations¹

A. International human rights treaties²

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified/not accepted</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	ICERD (1983)	--	ICESCR
	ICCPR (1993)		ICPPED (signature, 2008)
	ICCPR-OP 2 (1993)		
	CEDAW (1997)		
	CAT (1999)		
	OP-CAT (2014)		
	CRC (1994)		
	OP-CRC-AC (2004)		
	OP-CRC-SC (2003)		
	ICRMW (2013)		
	CRPD (2012)		
	ICPPED (signature, 2008)		
<i>Complaints procedures, inquiries and urgent action³</i>	OP-CEDAW, art. 8 (2008)	--	ICERD, art. 14
	CAT, art. 20 (1999)		OP-ICESCR
	OP-CRPD, art. 6 (2012)		ICCPR, art. 41
			ICCPR-OP 1
			CAT, arts. 21 and 22
		OP-CRC-IC	
		ICRMW, arts. 76 and 77	
		ICPPED (signature, 2008)	
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<i>Reservations and / or declarations</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Current Status</i>
	ICERD (Reservation, art. 22, 1983)	--	ICERD (Reservation, art. 22)
	OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3(2), minimum age of recruitment at 18 years, 2004)	--	OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3(2), minimum age of recruitment at 18 years)

B. Other main relevant international instruments

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Action after review</i>	<i>Not ratified</i>
<i>Ratification, accession or succession</i>	Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide		Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court
	Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 and Additional Protocols I and II ⁴		Additional Protocol III to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 ⁵
	Conventions on refugees and stateless persons ⁷		ILO Conventions Nos. 169 and 189 ⁶
	Palermo Protocol ⁸		Convention against Discrimination in Education
	ILO fundamental Conventions ⁹		

II. Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and bodies

A. Cooperation with treaty bodies¹⁰

Reporting status

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Concluding observations included in previous review</i>	<i>Latest report submitted since previous review</i>	<i>Latest concluding observations</i>	<i>Reporting status</i>
CERD	--	--	--	Thirteenth and fourteenth reports overdue since 2010.
HR Committee	October 2013	--	--	Second report overdue since 2017.
CEDAW	--	2018	July 2019	Sixth report due in 2023.
CAT	November 2013	--	--	Second report overdue since 2017.
CRC	--	2018	September 2019	Fifth to seventh reports due in 2024. Initial reports on OP-CRC-SC and OP-CRC-AC overdue

CMW	--	2018	September 2018	since 2005 and 2006, respectively. Second report due in 2023.
CRPD	--	2020	--	Initial report pending consideration.

Responses to specific follow-up requests from concluding observations

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Due in</i>	<i>Subject matter</i>	<i>Submitted</i>
HR Committee	2014	Arbitrary arrest or detention and related legal safeguards; detention conditions; and functioning ¹¹ of the judiciary.	2015 ¹²
CEDAW	2021	Amend or repeal all remaining sex-discriminatory provisions; gender-based violence against women; and revision of the Family Act to ensure a minimum age of marriage set at 18 years without exception. ¹³	--
CMW	2020	Adoption of a strategy on migration; labour exploitation; and adopt the draft implementing regulations on the victim protection and prevention provisions of the 2008 anti-trafficking law. ¹⁴	--

B. Cooperation with special procedures¹⁵

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Current status</i>
<i>Standing invitations</i>	No	Yes (2016)
<i>Visits undertaken</i>	Extreme poverty	Albinism (2016) Sexual orientation and gender identity (2018) Older persons (2019)
Visits agreed to in principle		
Visits requested	Food	Foreign debt

Health
Sale of Children

Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary
executions
Torture
Food
Business and human rights
Discrimination against women and
girls
Leprosy

*Responses to letters of
allegation and urgent appeal*

During the period under review six
communications were sent. The
Government did not reply to any
communications.

C. Status of national human rights institutions¹⁶

National human rights institution

Status during previous cycle

Status during present cycle¹⁷

N/A

N/A

N/A

Notes

- ¹ Unless indicated otherwise, the status of ratification of instruments listed in the table may be found on the official website of the United Nations Treaty Collection database, Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations Secretariat, <http://treaties.un.org/>. Please also refer to the United Nations compilation on Mozambique from the previous cycle (A/HRC/WG.6/24/MOZ/2).
- ² The following abbreviations have been used in the universal periodic review document:
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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; |
| ICPPED | International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance. |
- ³ Individual complaints: ICCPR-OP 1, art. 1; OP-CEDAW, art. 1; OP-CRPD, art. 1; OP-ICESCR, art. 1; OP-CRC-IC, art. 5; ICERD, art. 14; CAT, art. 22; ICRMW, art. 77; and ICPPED, art. 31. Inquiry procedure: OP-CEDAW, art. 8; CAT, art. 20; ICPPED, art. 33; OP-CRPD, art. 6; OP-ICESCR, art. 11; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 13. Inter-State complaints: ICCPR, art. 41; ICERD, art. 11; ICRMW, art. 76; ICPPED, art. 32; CAT, art. 21; OP-ICESCR, art. 10; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 12. Urgent action: ICPPED, art. 30.
- ⁴ Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick in Armed Forces in the Field (First Convention); Geneva Convention for the Amelioration of the Condition of Wounded, Sick and Shipwrecked Members of Armed Forces at Sea (Second Convention); Geneva Convention relative to the Treatment of Prisoners of War (Third Convention); Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War (Fourth Convention); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of International Armed Conflicts (Protocol I); Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Protection of Victims of Non-International Armed Conflicts (Protocol II). For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfaе/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>.
- ⁵ Protocol Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949, and relating to the Adoption of an Additional Distinctive Emblem (Protocol III). For the official status of ratifications, see Federal Department of Foreign Affairs of Switzerland, at <https://www.dfae.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfaе/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>.

⁶ ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) and Domestic Workers Convention, 2011 (No. 189).

⁷ 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its 1967 Protocol, 1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons, and 1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness.

⁸ Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime.

⁹ International Labour Organization Convention No. 29 concerning Forced or Compulsory Labour; Convention No. 105 concerning the Abolition of Forced Labour; Convention No. 87 concerning Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise; Convention No. 98 concerning the Application of the Principles of the Right to Organise and to Bargain Collectively; Convention No. 100 concerning Equal Remuneration for Men and Women Workers for Work of Equal Value; Convention No. 111 concerning Discrimination in Respect of Employment and Occupation; Convention No. 138 concerning Minimum Age for Admission to Employment; Convention No. 182 concerning the Prohibition and Immediate Action for the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour.

¹⁰ The following abbreviations have been used in the present document:

CERD	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination;
HR Committee	Human Rights Committee;
CEDAW	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women;
CAT	Committee against Torture;
CRC	Committee on the Rights of the Child;
CMW	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families;
CRPD	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

¹¹ CCPR/C/MOZ/CO/1, para. 24.

¹² Available from https://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CCPR/Shared%20Documents/MOZ/INT_CCPR_FCO_MOZ_22383_E.pdf (accessed on 21 January 2021).

¹³ CEDAW/C/MOZ/CO/3-5, para. 53.

¹⁴ CMW/C/MOZ/CO/1, para. 65.

¹⁵ For the titles of special procedure mandate holders see: <https://spcommreports.ohchr.org/about/abbreviations>

¹⁶ According to article 5 of the rules of procedure of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), the classifications for accreditation used by the Sub-Committee are: A: voting member (fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles); B: non-voting member (not fully in compliance with each of the Paris Principles or insufficient information provided to make a determination); and C: no status (not in compliance with the Paris Principles).

¹⁷ The list of national human rights institutions with accreditation status granted by the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), accessed at: <https://nhri.ohchr.org/EN/AboutUs/GANHRIAccreditation/Documents/Status%20Accreditation%20Chart%20as%20of%2020%2001%202021.pdf>