ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO ESTONIA SECOND BATCH

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- Is the Government of Estonia considering ratifying the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance?
- Is the Government of Estonia considering accepting the individual complaints procedure under all the human rights conventions to which it is already a State party?
- When is the Government of Estonia considering providing its overdue reports to the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Human Rights Committee?
- What steps has the Government of Estonia taken to respond to the call by the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights to ensure that its education programmes contribute to the promotion of understanding, tolerance and friendship among all nationalities and racial, ethnic or religious groups?
- Is the Government of Estonia considering adopting comprehensive legislation on violence against women that would establish domestic violence and marital rape as specific criminal offences, investigating, prosecuting and punishing perpetrators accordingly, whilst ensuring that victims of domestic violence benefite from protection?