

ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO LITHUANIA

UNITED KINGDOM

- Please could you inform us whether there are plans to establish an independent national human rights institution in Lithuania that operates in accordance with the Paris principles?
- What measures have Lithuania taken to increase the number of pre-trial investigations into cases involving domestic violence, particularly violence against women.
- Please could you tell us when Lithuania will ratify the UNESCO Convention against Discrimination in Education?
- What steps have been taken in the last 3 years to ensure that homosexuals do not experience discrimination in Lithuania, either de jure or de facto?
- Please could you detail steps taken and planned to tackle racism in the last 3 years in Lithuania?
- How are police officers and prosecutors trained to treat victims of sexual abuse and what measures have been implemented to identify and evaluate children at risk of abuse?
- Please can you tell us the extent to which civil society was consulted in the preparation of your national report and also how you plan to include them in the follow-up?