

Tables for UN Compilation on Israel

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 (1979)	--	ICCPR-OP 2
	ICESCR (1991)		OP-CAT
	ICCPR (1991)		ICRMW
	CEDAW (1991)		ICPPED
	CAT (1991)		
	CRC (1991)		
	OP-CRC-AC (2005)		
	OP-CRC-SC (2008)		
<i>Complaints procedures, inquiries and urgent action³</i>	--	--	ICERD, art. 14
			OP-ICESCR
			ICCPR, art. 41
			ICCPR-OP 1
			OP-CEDAW
			CAT, arts. 20, 21 and 22
			OP-CRC-IC
			ICRMW
		OP-CRPD	
		ICPPED	

<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, 1979)	--	ICERD (Reservation, art. 22)
	ICCPR (Reservation, art. 23, 1991)		ICCPR (Reservation, art. 23)
	CEDAW (Reservations, arts. 7(b) and 16 / Declaration, art. 29(1), 1991)		CEDAW (Reservations, arts. 7(b) and 16 / Declaration, art. 29(1))

CAT (Reservations, arts. 20 and 30(1), 1991)

OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3(2), minimum age of voluntary military recruitment at 17 years, 2005)

CRPD (Reservation, art. 23(1)(a), 2012)

CAT (Reservations, arts. 20 and 30(1))

OP-CRC-AC (Declaration, art. 3(2), minimum age of voluntary military recruitment at 17 years)

CRPD (Reservation, art. 23(1)(a))

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 ⁴ and Additional Protocol III thereto ⁵		1961 Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness (signature only, 1961)
	1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its 1967 Protocol	--	Additional Protocols I, II to the 1949 Geneva Conventions ⁶
	1954 Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons Palermo Protocol ⁷	--	ILO Conventions Nos. 169 and 189 ⁸
	ILO fundamental Conventions ⁹	--	--
	UNESCO Convention against Discrimination in Education		

II. Cooperation with human rights mechanisms and bodies

A. Cooperation with treaty bodies¹⁰

Reporting status

<i>Treaty body</i>	<i>Concluding observations included in previous review</i>	<i>Latest report submitted since previous review</i>	<i>Latest concluding observations</i>	<i>Reporting status</i>
CERD	February 2012	2017	--	Seventeenth to nineteenth reports pending consideration
CESCR	December 2011	--	--	Fourth report overdue since 2016
HR Committee	July 2010	2013	October 2014	Fifth report due in 2018
CEDAW	January 2011	2017	October 2017-	Seventh report due in 2021
CAT	May 2009	2014	May 2016	Sixth report due in 2020
CRC	June 2013 (on CRC) / January 2010 (on OP-CRC-AC)	2012 (on OP-CRC-SC)	June 2015 (on OP-CRC-SC)	Fifth and sixth reports due in 2018
CRPD	--	2017	--	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>
CERD	2013	Discriminatory laws; discriminatory laws especially targeting Palestinian citizens of Israel; and ratification of ICRMW. ¹¹	2013. ¹² Further information requested. ¹³
HR Committee	2015	Punitive demolitions, planning and zoning regime in the West Bank and displacement of Bedouins; blockade of the Gaza Strip; torture and ill-treatment; and juvenile criminal justice system. ¹⁴	2017. ¹⁵
CEDAW	2013	Violence against and harassment of women in the Occupied Palestinian	2013. ¹⁷ Further information requested. ¹⁸

		Territories; and discrimination in marriage and family relations. ¹⁶	
	2019	Limitation of freedom of movement of women and sex-based segregation; women in detention; and marriage and family relations. ¹⁹	--
CAT	2017	Independent medical examinations of persons deprived of liberty; administrative detention, solitary confinement and other forms of isolation; and allegations of torture and ill-treatment. ²⁰	2017 ²¹

B. Cooperation with special procedures²²

	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Current status</i>
<i>Standing invitations</i>	No	No
<i>Visits undertaken</i>	Adequate housing (2012) Freedom of expression (2011) Occupied Palestinian Territories only Gaza Strip through the Rafah Crossing from Egypt (2012)	Violence against women (2016)
<i>Visits agreed to in principle</i>	<i>None</i>	<i>African Descent</i>
<i>Visits requested</i>	<i>Summary executions Racism Education Violence against women Indigenous peoples Occupied Palestinian Territories</i>	<i>Summary executions Mercenaries Human Rights Defenders Torture Arbitrary Detention Occupied Palestinian Territories</i>
<i>Responses to letters of allegation and urgent appeal</i>	During the period under review 42 communications were sent. The Government replied to 12 communications	

In 2015, Israel extended an invitation the Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children.

C. Status of national human rights institutions²³

<i>National human rights institution</i>	<i>Status during previous cycle</i>	<i>Status during present cycle²⁴</i>
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 Israel from the previous cycle (A/HRC/WG.6/15/ISR/2 and A/HRC/WG.6/17/ISR/2).

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

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

³ Individual complaints: ICCPR-OP 1, art. 1; OP-CEDAW, art. 1; OP-CRPD, art. 1; OP-ICESCR, art. 1; OP-CRC-IC, art. 5; ICERD, art. 14; CAT, art. 22; ICRMW, art. 77; and ICPPED, art. 31. Inquiry procedure: OP-CEDAW, art. 8; CAT, art. 20; ICPPED, art. 33; OP-CRPD, art. 6; OP-ICESCR, art. 11; and OP-CRC-IC, art. 13. Inter-State complaints: ICCPR, art. 41; 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). For the official status of ratifications, see International Committee of the Red Cross, www.icrc.org/IHL.

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.eda.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>.

- ⁶ 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.eda.admin.ch/eda/fr/dfae/politique-exterieure/droit-international-public/traites-internationaux/depositaire/protection-des-victimes-de-la-guerre.html>.
- ⁷ Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime.
- ⁸ ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, 1989 (No. 169) and Domestic Workers Convention, 2011 (No. 189).
- 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:
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| CERD | Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination |
| CESCR | Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights |
| HR Committee | Human Rights Committee |
| CEDAW | Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women |
| CAT | Committee against Torture |
| CRC | Committee on the Rights of the Child |
| CMW | Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families |
| CRPD | Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities |
| CED | Committee on Enforced Disappearances |
| SPT | Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture. |
- ¹¹ CERD/C/ISR/CO/14-16.
- ¹² CERD/C/ISR/CO/14-16/Add.1.
- ¹³ Letter from CERD to the Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva, dated 7 March 2014, available from http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CERD/Shared%20Documents/ISR/INT_CERD_FUL_ISR_16943_E.pdf (accessed on 28 September 2017).
- ¹⁴ CCPR/C/ISR/CO/4, para. 25.
- ¹⁵ CCPR/C/ISR/CO/4/Add.1.
- ¹⁶ CEDAW/C/ISR/CO/5, para. 56.
- ¹⁷ CEDAW/C/ISR/CO/5/Add.1.
- ¹⁸ Letter from CEDAW to the Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva, dated 15 November 2013, available from http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/Treaties/CEDAW/Shared%20Documents/ISR/INT_CEDAW_FUL_ISR_15776_E.pdf (accessed on 28 September 2017).
- ¹⁹ CEDAW/C/ISR/CO/6, para. 63.
- ²⁰ CAT/C/ISR/CO/5, para. 52.
- ²¹ CAT/C/ISR/CO/5/Add.1.
- ²² For the titles of special procedure mandate holders see: <https://spcommreports.ohchr.org/about/abbreviations>
- ²³ 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).

- ²⁴ The list of national human rights institutions with accreditation status granted by the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions (GANHRI), accessed at:
http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Countries/NHRI/Chart_Status_NIs.pdf
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