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**OII Germany: UPR Submission
by Organisation Intersex International Germany, 2017**

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Summary

OII Germany is submitting this report to address human rights violations faced by intersex people in Germany, including findings on the number of surgeries performed on intersex children under the age of 10 from 2005 to 2014. This report will also point to other human rights breaches in the area of access to health, to counselling, to education and in regards to intersex person's civil status.

About OII Germany:

OII Germany was founded in 2008 and has worked on a national, regional and international level to end discrimination against intersex people and to ensure the right of bodily integrity and self-determination ever since. OII Germany was one of the driving forces behind establishing the International Intersex Forum in 2011 and co-formulated the charter of intersex human rights that was formulated by 30 intersex organizations at the 3rd International Intersex Forum in Malta, 2013 (*Malta Declaration*, for the full list of demands please see: <http://oii-europe.org/public-statement-by-the-third-international-intersex-forum/>).

OII Germany is regularly consulted by the German Institute for Human Rights, the Federal Antidiscrimination Agency and the Interministerial Working Group on Intersexuality and Transsexuality (IMAG). In 2015 OII Germany organised a briefing for the CRPD Committee on intersex (Geneva, 27th of March 2015). OII Germany is also part of an international intersex expert group working on the ICD revision.