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CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS AT THE UPR

Factsheet 3: Action Points for UN Member States

This factsheet sets out six key points for UN Member States to consider actioning

1

Permanent Missions should be receptive to CSOs' lobbying, taking the time to review reports and one-pagers, and have meetings with them as appropriate.

2

Permanent Missions should attend the UPR Pre-sessions and make themselves available to CSOs for discussions.

3

Member States are encouraged to make SMART recommendations to assist CSOs with implementation activities on the ground.

4

Embassies should provide financial support for CSOs to undertake implementation activities, widely advertising such opportunities.

5

Embassies should provide on-the-ground support for CSOs that are facing reprisals and harassment domestically.

6

Embassies should hold events for CSOs and government delegations, creating a space for networking and collaborations to be formed.

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