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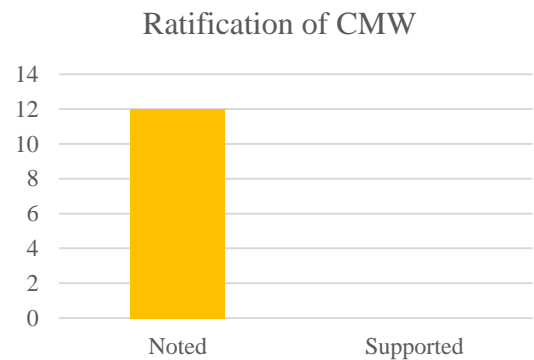
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**United Kingdom and International Law**

- The United Kingdom is party to **7** of the UN's **9** core human rights treaties
  - **NOT** signed or ratified - International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (**CMW**)
  - The Migration and Economic Development Partnership with Rwanda (**MEDP**) **does not comply** with the **Convention (and Protocol) Relating to the Status of Refugees**
  - **Nationality and Borders Act 2022** must be **applied consistently** with international law

**Ratification of CMW**

- **12** recommendations concerning the ratification of CMW were made at the 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle: **Chile** (134.10); **Bangladesh** (134.30); **Guatemala** (134.23); **Kyrgyzstan, Philippines, Algeria, Egypt** (134.24); **Nigeria** (134.25); **Sri Lanka** (134.26); **Syria** (134.27); **Turkey** (134.28); and **Uruguay** (134.29)
- All of these were **noted**

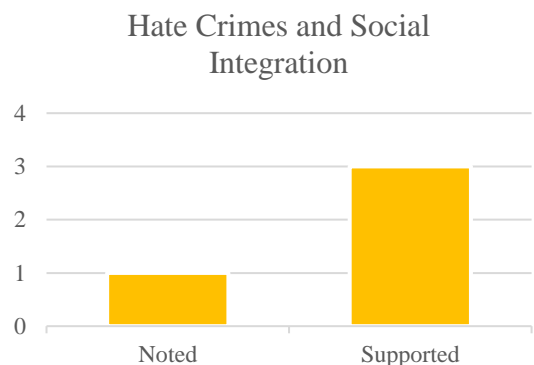


**Reduction of Immigration Detention Time Limits**

- **4** recommendations concerning immigration detention time limits were made at the 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle: **Brazil** (134.215); **Germany** (134.217); **Mexico** (134.218); and **Bangladesh** (134.219)
- All of these were **noted**

**Hate Crime and Social Integration**

- **4** recommendations concerning hate crime and social integration were made at the 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle: **Iran** (134.82); **Guatemala** (134.99); **China** (134.121); and **Lebanon** (134.214)
- **3** of these were **supported** and **1** was **noted**



**Recommendations**

- **We recommend the United Kingdom**
  - **RATIFY** the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (**CMW**)
  - **ENSURE** that the **Nationality and Borders Act 2022** is applied in compliance with the **Convention (and Protocol) Relating to the Status of Refugees**
  - **REPEAL** the **MEDP**
  - **INTRODUCE** a statutory time limit on immigration detention in line with **UNHCR** guidance
  - **REVIEW** and revise the **Hate Crime Action Plan**, ensuring that it recognises the particular issues and barriers that affect migrants

