The Universal Periodic Review

South Africa was reviewed by UPR WG 27, in May 2017. It received 257 recommendations and it supported 103 recommendations at the adoption of its UPR outcome at HRC 36, in September 2017 (an increase of 56% with respect to the 2nd cycle).

Supported recommendations related to: Legal and general framework of implementation, universal and cross-cutting issues, civil and political rights, economic, social, and cultural rights, women’s rights, and rights of other vulnerable groups and persons.

Top 5* Sustainable Development Goals

25% recommendations

19% recommendations

17% recommendations

16% recommendations

8% recommendations

*UPR Recommendations as they relate to SDGs. Source: Universal Human Rights Index (from April 2019).

Recommendations* by Issue

*Supported UPR Recommendations from the 3rd Cycle. See: Matrices of Recommendations.