Malta

The Universal Periodic Review

Malta was reviewed by UPR WG 31, in November of 2018. It received 157 recommendations and it supported 122 recommendations at the adoption of its UPR outcome at Human Rights Council 40, in March 2019 (an increase of 67% 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.

Trends in supported recommendations

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Top 5 Sustainable Development Goals*

1. Peace, justice, and strong institutions
2. Reduced inequalities
3. Gender equality
4. Decent work and economic growth
5. Good health and well-being

28% recommendations

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23% recommendations

8% recommendations

7% recommendations

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

Recommendations by Issue*

Legal and general framework of implementation

Economic, social and cultural rights

Universal and cross-cutting issues

Women’s rights

Civil and political rights

Children’s rights

Other specific groups and persons

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