Nicaragua

The Universal Periodic Review

Nicaragua was reviewed by UPR WG 33, in May of 2019. It received 259 recommendations and it supported 135 recommendations at the adoption of its UPR outcome at Human Rights Council 42, in September 2019.

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*

- **SDG 16** Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions: 34% recommendations
- **SDG 5** Gender Equality: 24% recommendations
- **SDG 1** No Poverty: 8% recommendations
- **SDG 3** Good Health and Well-being: 8% recommendations
- **SDG 4** Quality Education: 8% recommendations

*UPR Recommendations as they relate to SDGs. Source: Universal Human Rights Index (from January 2020).

Recommendations by Issue*

- Legal and general framework of implementation
- Universal and cross-cutting issues
- Civil and political rights
- Economic, social and cultural rights
- Women’s rights
- Children’s rights
- Other specific groups and persons

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