

ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO SWEDEN – ADD.1

GERMANY

- In Your National Report (A/HRC/WG.6/8/SWE/1 page 11) you have referred to new legislation under way to improve effectiveness of penal legislation on trafficking of human beings and on strengthening the protection of victims.

Germany would be grateful to receive more detailed information how the new law would contribute to protecting victims.

- The Compilation of OHCHR(A/HRC/WG.6/8/SWE/2, page 7) refers to CRC expressing concern that current legislation allows the isolation of children in youth detention centres and that this treatment is also used as a punishment.

Germany would like to know whether such measures of isolation are really being applied by the juvenile justice in Sweden and to what extent and in which context.

- The Compilation of OHCHR(A/HRC/WG.6/8/SWE/2, page 7) refers to CAT recommending Sweden to strengthen its measures to ensure prompt, impartial and effective investigations into all allegations of torture and of compensation of victims. In your national report para 104 you mention these reports. Could you give details on how Sweden is following-up on these recommendations and what concrete measures are being envisaged in this field?
