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SPECIAL RAPPOREUR ON CONTEMPORARY FORMS OF RACISM, RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, XENOPHOBIA AND RELATED INTOLERANCE

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- Mr. Mutuma RUTEERE (Kenya),
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WORK SUMMARY

COUNTRIES VISITED

ADDRESSES SOGIESC ISSUES:

- **Netherlands** – (September - October 2019) Report, paras. 4, 21, 26, 35, 43, 90-92, 97d, 97f.
 - **Morocco** – (December 2018) Report, paras. 11, 50, 85.
 - **Fiji** – (December 2016) Report, paras. 18, 21, 25, 29, 30, 54, 63e.
 - **Australia** – (November-December 2016) Report, paras. 24.
 - **Argentina** – (November 2014) Report, paras. 14, 59, 68, 74, 76, 81, 96.
- **Greece** – (May 2015) Report, paras. 16, 29, 36, 37, 38, 43, 45, 46, 50, 73c, 73d, 73e, 73f.
 - **Republic of Korea** – (September-October 2014) Report, para. 21.
 - **Bolivia** – (September 2012) Report, para. 11.
 - **Hungary** – (May 2011) Report, para. 15.

DOES NOT ADDRESS SOGIESC ISSUES:

- Qatar (November-December 2019)
- Mauritania (September 2013)
- UK (April 2018)
- Spain (January 2013)

ANNUAL THEMATIC REPORTS

Contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance November 2020 (75th Session General Assembly (GA))	No SOGIESC references.
Racial discrimination and emerging digital technologies: a human rights analysis June 2020 (44th Session Human Rights Council (HRC))	Brief reference to SOGI. Para. 2.
Contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and racial intolerance July 2019 (74th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Global extractivism and racial equality July 2019 (41st Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Nationalist populism August 2018 (73rd Session GA)	Brief references to sexual minorities, LGBTQI and SO. Paras. 13, 16.
Racial discrimination in the context of laws, policies and practices concerning citizenship, nationality and immigration June 2018 (38th Session HRC)	Brief reference to transgender. Para. 35.
Combatting racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance in a counter-terrorism context August 2017 (72nd Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Overview of the thematic work of the mandate June 2017 (35th session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
The role of National Human Rights Institutions and national action plans August 2016 (71st Session GA)	Brief reference to SO. Para. 58.
Xenophobia: its conceptualization, trends and manifestations June 2016 (32nd Session HRC)	Brief references to SO and “gender identification”. Paras. 25, 28.

Collection of disaggregated data August 2015 (70th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Racial and ethnic profiling in law enforcement June 2015 (29th session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Racism in sport August 2014 (69th Session GA)	Brief references to SO and homophobia. Paras. 14, 53.
Manifestations of racism on the Internet and social media June 2014 (26th Session HRC)	Brief references to LGBT and homophobia (civil society initiatives to counter hate speech on the Internet and social media). Paras. 17, 62, 63.
Poverty and racism August 2013 (68th Session GA)	Brief reference to SO. Para. 37.
The role of education to prevent racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance June 2013 (23rd Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Racism and the Internet August 2012 (67th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
The prevention of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance in line with the provisions of the Durban documents June 2012 (20th Session HRC)	No SOGIESC references.
Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action August 2011 (66th Session GA)	No SOGIESC references.
Racism and racial discrimination against Roma, and discrimination based on work and descent June 2011 (17th Session HRC)	Brief reference to SO and “gender reassignment”. Para. 67.

COMMUNICATIONS

COUNTRY/DATE	EXPERTS	SITUATION
<p>Netherlands 28 July 2020</p>	<p>Racism African Descent Sexual orientation and gender identity Women and girls</p>	<p>Information received concerning the Immigration and Naturalisation Service (IND)'s intention to deport Mrs. Anita Mavita, her husband Mr. Jude Kasangaki and their youngest child to Uganda, while keeping their other seven children who had been forcibly removed from their parents and place in foster homes in the Netherlands. The latter children were forcibly removed by the Child Care and Protection Board (The Raad van kinderbescberming) in 2018 and placed in foster homes.</p>
<p>United States of America 8 June 2020</p>	<p>African descent Arbitrary detention Disability Extrajudicial executions Freedom of opinion and expression Freedom of assembly and association Hazardous substances Health Housing Independent of judges and lawyers Mercenaries Minority issues Older persons Poverty Racism SOGI Torture</p>	<p>Information received concerning several recent killings of people of African descent in apparently State-endorsed operations in the United States.</p>
<p>United States of America 13 May 2020</p>	<p>Executions African Descent Health Minority issues Racism Sexual orientation and gender identity Torture</p>	<p>Information received concerning the situation in prisons and other detention facilities/establishments in the United States of America in light of COVID-19 exposure-related risks</p>
<p>Guatemala 22 March 2019</p>	<p>Food Housing International solidarity Migrants Racism Sale of children SOGI Trafficking in persons</p>	<p>Information received regarding the situation of migrants in caravan, in the direction of Mexico and the United States of America, and in particular with reference to a violent and xenophobic incident against migrants in Tecún Umán, as well as the need for the government to take active measures to protect the human rights of all migrants.</p>

<p>Brazil 31 December 2018</p>	<p>African descent Extrajudicial executions Foreign debt Freedom of opinion and expression Freedom of assembly and association Human rights defenders Poverty Racism SOGI Violence against women Women in law and in practice</p>	<p>Follow-up to the communication on the murders of Ms. Marielle Franco and her driver.</p>
<p>Brazil 22 March 2018</p>	<p>African descent Extrajudicial executions Foreign debt Human rights defenders Poverty Racism Right to adequate housing SOGI Violence against women Women in law and practice</p>	<p>Killing of Marielle Franco (and her driver) an Afro-Brazilian human rights defender working for the rights of women, people of African descent, LGBT people, and populations from the favelas, also elected member of City Council of Rio de Janeiro.</p>
<p>Macedonia 5 July 2013</p>	<p>Freedom of assembly and association Human rights defenders Racism</p>	<p>Allegations of on-going harassment of LGBTI rights defenders.</p>