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Call for submissions on the draft of general comment No. 27 on children's right to access to justice and to an effective remedy

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Purpose: Call for submissions on the draft of general comment No. 27 on

children's right to access to justice and to an effective remedy

Background

The Committee on the Rights of the Child now seeks contributions from all interested stakeholders on the draft of the general comment. The draft is available [here](#).

Information for children by Child Rights Connect and UNICEF is available [here](#). Background information about the general comment is available [here](#).

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NHRIs

Children and Young People's-Commissioner, Scotland

Comision de derechos humanos, Ciudad de Mexico

Defensoría de la Niñez, Chile

**Defensoría de los Derechos de las Niñas, Niños y Adolescentes,
Argentina**

Human Rights Commission, Australia

Norwegian National Human Rights Institution, Norway

**Office of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's
Commissioner, Australia**

Ombudsman fir Kanner a Jugendlecher, Luxembourg

Ombudsman for Children, Croatia

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Swedish Institute for Human Rights

**Youth Panel for the Northern Ireland Commissioner for Children and
Young People, UK**

Judicial authorities

**Asociación Argentina de Magistrados, Funcionarios y Profesionales de
la Justicia de Niñez, Adolescencia y Familia**

Child Justice office, Federal Supreme Court of Ethiopia

**Commission on Childhood, Youth and Education, National Council of the
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Argentina**

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Mesa Técnica Iberoamericana sobre Justicia Juvenil Restaurativa

Ministerio Público de la Defensa de la Nación, Argentina

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Specialised Center of Children's Rights, Public Defender's Office of São Paulo, Brazil

Unidad de Asesoría Jurídica, Instituto Federal de Defensoría Pública, Mexico

UN entities

Instituto Latinoamericano de las Naciones Unidas para la Prevención del Delito y el Tratamiento del Delincuente

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Changefactory, Norway

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African Child Policy Forum, Ethiopia

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AIJUDEFA, Chile

AIRE Centre, UK

Alana Institute, Brazil

Amnesty International, consultation with youth, Thailand

**Appui aux Femmes Démunies et Enfants Marginalisés, République
Démocratique du Congo**

Article 3, Ukraine

Asociación Civil por la Igualdad y la Justicia, Argentina

Associated Program for International Law

**Association des rescapés de massacres de Makobola, République
démocratique du Congo**

Association for the Social Support of Youth, Greece

Association of Reintegration of Crimea, Ukraine

**Association pour la defense des droits de la femme en Mauritanie,
Mauritanie**

Associazione Antigone Onlus, Italy

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Australian Child Rights Taskforce, Australia

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Barnrättsbyrån (Children's Right's Bureau), Sweden

Black Girls Rising, South Africa

Canadian Centre for Child Protection, Canada

CAP Freedom of Conscience, France

Center for Reproductive Rights, Switzerland

Center for Research Action on Race Relations (CRARR), Canada

**Centro de Promoción y Defensa de los Derechos Sexuales y
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Change Factory, Norway

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Child Frontiers, Hong Kong

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Child Rights International, UK

Children and Young People Centre for Justice

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Children's Legal Rights and Development Center, the Philippines

Civic Education Association, Zambia

Coletivo Feminista Sexualidade e Saúde (CFSS) and Conectas, Brazil

Collectif la voix des enfants, New Caledonia

Coming Out LGBTQ+Group

Community Law & Mediation, Ireland

Consortium for Street Children

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Corporación Miles and Women's Link Worldwide, Chile

Corporación Opción, Chile

Cubalex, USA

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Disability Rights International, USA

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El centro iberoamericano de derechos de la niñez, Mexico

Enfold Proactive Help Trust, India

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Family Justice Innovation Lab Society and Transform the Family Justice System Collaborative, Canada

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Future Rights APS, Italy

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Hague Explained, Stop Violence Against Children, Write.Edit.Heal

Human Trafficking Front, USA

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Identity Rights Working Group, Switzerland

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International Catholic Child Bureau

International Commission of Jurists, Switzerland

International Disability Alliance, Switzerland

International Movement ATD Fourth World, Switzerland

International Social Service, Switzerland

Ipas Partners for Reproductive Justice Network

IREDE Foundation, Nigeria

Irish Penal Reform Trust, Ireland

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Justice for Girls, Canada

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Legal Awareness Watch, Pakistan

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