**Questionnaire**

**Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities**

**Article 5 - equality and non-discrimination**

**Deadline 30 June 2016**

You are invited to provide input to the study on article 5 (equality and non-discrimination) of the Convention, using the following questionnaire.

1. Has your country adopted legislation establishing disability as a prohibited ground of discrimination, including denial of reasonable accommodation as discrimination? Please provide details on any related legal reforms.

<http://www.do.se/other-languages/english-engelska/discrimination-act/>

Reasonable accomodation has of yet not been defined.

2. Does your country apply an objective test to determine if an accommodation requested by a person with disability is undue or disproportionate? If so, please describe the tests and their different elements (500 words).

Not to our knowledge.

1. Does your country apply affirmative actions for combating structural discrimination against persons with disabilities? If so, please describe how are these measures applied and enforced (500 words).

<http://www.do.se/other-languages/english-engelska/act-concerning-the-equality-ombudsman/>

1. Does your country have laws, policies and strategies for combating discrimination against women and children with disabilities? Please describe how these policies are reflected in legislation and policy frameworks (500 words).

These are the general gender equality goals <http://www.government.se/government-policy/gender-equality/goals-and-visions/>

The strategy on disability policy is ending and new one is to be at place by January 2017. Hopefully it will be built on the crpd and include gender equality.

5 Is your country monitoring and collecting disaggregated data on discrimination against persons with disabilities, including gender, age and impairment disaggregation?

Not to our knowledge.

Please submit with subject [Art 5 Study CRPD] by **30 June 2016** to: registry@ohchr.org

More about work on the rights of persons with disabilities: <http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Disability/Pages/DisabilityIndex.aspx>

*Background*

Human Rights Council resolution 31/6 requested the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to prepare a study on article 5 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.