**2018: 39% OF COUNTRIES HAVE INTERNATIONALLY COMPLIANT NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS (NHRI) WHILE 60% HAVE SOUGHT TO ESTABLISH ONE**

A country with a category "A" NHRI complies with universal standards adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in 1993 (the "Paris Principles"), and guarantees its NHRI:

- A broad human rights monitoring mandate
- Adequate powers of investigation
- Autonomy from government
- A pluralist composition
- Sufficient resources to support operations

118 countries have applied for review of compliance with the Paris Principles

77 countries have an NHRI accredited under category "A"

Global disparity: some regions are at risk of being left behind

Proportion of Countries with Category A NHRI, by Region, as of 2018

**Slow progress:** At the current annual average rate of progress, only 54% of countries will have a category "A" NHRI by 2030

At this pace, the 100% target would only be achieved after 2060.

**Accelerating the Pace of Progress**

Target: All Countries with Internationally Compliant NHRI by 2030

How Do We Meet the 2030 Target?

- + 10 NHRIs must achieve category "A" across the globe every year until 2030
- + 2 category "A" NHRI every year in these regions: Latin America, Sub-Saharan Africa, Northern America and Europe, through 2030
- + 1 category "A" NHRI every year in these regions: Oceania, Central and Southern Asia, Eastern and South-eastern Asia and Western Asia and Northern Africa, through 2030

Concerted Multi-Stakeholder Efforts are Needed

- Enhancing capacities of States, NHRIs and Civil Society
- Joint advocacy efforts
- Stronger legal frameworks
- Strategic partnerships

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