

Recommandation n° 1

African Court of Justice and Human Rights

We ask the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights to adopt a resolution encouraging AU member states to:

1. Move expeditiously to ratify the Protocol on the Statute of the African Court of Justice and Human Rights;
2. At the time of ratification make the declaration under Article 8(3) of the Protocol that would allow individuals and non-governmental organizations (NGOs) direct access to the Court;
3. Prior to the entry into force of the Protocol on the African Court of Justice and Human Rights and during the transitional period, ensure that the African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights is fully operational and resourced.