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## Recommendations

Canada recommends that Denmark:

- Ensure targeted training of law enforcement to strengthen capacity to conduct special investigations, accurately register complaints and reflect victims' perspectives when responding to hate crimes.
- Review its body of legislation prohibiting discrimination on any grounds, and in this regard, expressly prohibit discrimination due to disability, age, religious belief, sexual orientation or gender identity.
- Withdraw the territorial exclusion for Greenland and the Faroe Islands to the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography.
- 4. Build on existing inclusion strategies by implementing public awareness campaigns and education programs to promote diversity and tolerance, while condemning racism and xenophobia.

## **Observations**

Canada notes Denmark's national action plans to stop violence against women, and encourages Denmark to continue its efforts to protect women and girls from intimate partner violence.

