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Recommendations by Sweden

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Sweden welcomes Italy’s strong commitment to the protection and promotion of human rights, including new legislation to combat violence against women. However, Sweden would like to make the following recommendations:

1. Ensure the safety of journalists, including by ensuring that perpetrators of violence and threats against journalists are prosecuted and held accountable.
2. Ensure implementation of legislation aimed at combatting all forms of violence against women.