



**Optional Protocol to the  
Convention against Torture  
and Other Cruel, Inhuman  
or Degrading Treatment  
or Punishment**

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**Committee against Torture**

**Decision adopted by the Committee under article 22 of the  
Convention, concerning communication No. 1150/2022<sup>\* \*\*</sup>**

<i>Communication submitted by:</i>	H. H. (represented by counsel Mr. Niels-Erik Hansen)
<i>Alleged victim:</i>	The complainant
<i>State party:</i>	Denmark
<i>Date of complaint:</i>	15 August 2022 (initial submission)
<i>Substantive issue:</i>	Deportation to Afghanistan; risk of torture

1. The communication was submitted by Mr. H. H., an Afghan national. He alleges that his deportation would amount to a violation by the State Party of his rights under articles 3 of the Convention. He requests the Committee to grant his request for interim measures to prevent the risk of irreparable harm he would face if deported to Afghanistan, due to his conversion to Christianity and the past difficulties his family has experienced with the Taliban. He is represented by counsel.
2. On 19 August 2022, the communication was registered and the request for interim measures was granted. The State Party was requested to refrain from deporting Mr. H.H. to Afghanistan while his communication was under consideration by the Committee.
3. On 19 August 2022, the State party was requested to provide the observations on both the admissibility and the merits of the complainant's allegations no later than 20 February 2023. On 31 January 2023, the State Party submitted the Danish Refugee Appals Board on 4 January decided to grant the complainant a residence permit and requested to discontinue the case.
4. On 22 February 2023, the complainant was requested to submit his comments on the State party's request for discontinuance no later than 22 March 2023. On 14 May 2024, the complainant was sent a final reminder to submit his comments on the State party's request no later than 15 July 2024. No submissions have been received.
5. At its meeting on 17 April 2026, in view of the fact that the complainant was granted a residence permit and did not submit his comments, and the Committee had no further

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\* Adopted by the Committee at its X inter-sessional meeting.

\*\* The following members of the Committee participated in the examination of the communication: Jorge Contesse, Lorena Gonzáles Pinto, Claude Heller, Erdogan Iscan, Peter Vedel Kessing, Liu Huawen, Maeda Naoko, Moulaye Abdallah, Ana Racu and Abderrazak Rouwane.

means of contacting him, the Committee decided to discontinue its consideration of communication No. 1150/2022.

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