DATABASE 2012-2024 ON ANTI-MUSLIM HATRED

Research findings

Country code	Year	Reference details title	Reference details URL	Main thematic focus	Institution	Key findings - Short summary	Methodology (Qualitative/Quantitative and exact type used, questionnaires etc)	Sample details and representativeness	Area/location of interest - NUTS3 level
Sweden	2024	OHCHR (2024), Visit to Sweden: Report of the Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief, A/HRC/55/47/Add.2, 2 April 2024.	https://www.ohchr.org/en/documents/country-reports/ahrc5547add2-visit-sweden-re...	Religious freedom	United Nations (UN), Human Rights Council	In the report, the Special Rapporteur finds that Sweden largely possesses the requisite legal and policy frameworks for promoting and protecting the enjoyment by all persons of the right to freedom of thought, conscience, and religion or belief. However, politically expedient responses to a diversifying society, together with a lack of understanding of the full scope of freedom of religion or belief, pose challenges to the framework in place for the respect of human rights. The report underscores concerns raised by religious communities, including Muslim communities, about growing intolerance. According to the report, initiatives aimed at addressing the concerns outlined in the report are needed in order to generate the desired comprehensive and systematic change within all government entities and in society at large.	Qualitative (Visit to Sweden from 11 to 20 October 2023, meeting representatives from the government, the parliament, public authorities, the Supreme Administrative Court, prosecutors, police authorities, civil society organisations, representatives of religious or belief communities and faith-based actors, academics, local authorities and the Swedish Institute for Human Rights.)	N/A - not applicable/available	Not applicable - national level

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