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THE INTER-AMERICAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS WILL HOLD ITS 64th EXTRAORDINARY SESSION PERIOD



San José, Costa Rica, May 27, 2022. The Inter-American Court will hold its 64th Extraordinary Session Period on May 30, 2022, in a virtual session.

During the Session, the Court's former composition will meet to continue hearing and deliberating on the request for an Advisory Opinion on Differentiated Approaches to Persons Deprived of Liberty.

I. Request for an Advisory Opinion on Differentiated Approaches to Persons Deprived of Liberty.

The Request for an Advisory Opinion on Differentiated Approaches to Persons Deprived of Liberty was filed by the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights in order for the Court to carry out a joint interpretation of several inter-American regulations on the differentiated obligations of the States, in order to address the situation of real inequality of groups at particular risk in the context of deprivation of liberty. In particular, of pregnant, postpartum and lactating women, LGBT people, indigenous people, the elderly, and children living with their mothers in prison.

You can learn more about the Request for an Advisory Opinion [here](#).

The Court's composition for this Session will be: Judge Elizabeth Odio Benito President (Costa Rica), Judge Patricio Pazmiño Freire Vice President (Ecuador), Judge Eduardo Vio Grossi, (Chile); Judge Humberto Antonio Sierra Porto (Colombia), Judge Eduardo Ferrer Mac-Gregor Poisot, (México), Judge Eugenio Raúl Zaffaroni (Argentina), and Judge Ricardo C. Pérez Manrique (Uruguay)

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