



**VIOLATION OF THE PRINCIPLE OF THE RIGHT TO SEEK ASYLUM AND  
NON-REFOULEMENT**

**JOINT SUBMISSION IN VIEW OF LEBANON'S SECOND  
PERIODIC REVIEW BY THE HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL**

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## **FRONTIERS RUWAD ASSOCIATION**

Frontiers-Ruwad (FR) is a Lebanese non-governmental, non-political, non-profit human rights organization, established in 1999. Frontiers-Ruwad works towards creating a requisite protective environment for refugees and stateless persons in Lebanon based on the underlying principle that refugees and stateless persons deserve to live in dignity, benefit from protection, and enjoy their human rights.

Frontiers Ruwad Association is a member of ICVA, in addition to many international coalitions and networks, such as the International Detention Coalition; The Southern Refugee Legal Aid Network; EMHRN Working Group on Migrants, Refugees and Asylum Seekers; Migreurop.

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## **EURO-MEDITERRANEAN HUMAN RIGHTS NETWORK (EMHRN)**

The EMHRN is a network of 80 human rights organisations in the Euro-Mediterranean region, established in 1997. The EMHRN works to promote and strengthen human rights and democratic reform within its regional mandate through civil society networking and cooperation. Rooted in civil society, the Network seeks to develop and strengthen partnerships between NGOs in the Euro-Med region, disseminate human rights values, advocate for these and increase capacities in this regard. The EMHRN has its headquarters in Denmark, with offices in Brussels, Paris, and Tunisia.

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