

Country File
MALDIVES



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Region	Asia and Pacific
Legal system	Islamic Law/Common Law
UNCAT Ratification/ Accession (a)/ Succession (d)	20 April 2004 (a)
Relevant Laws	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitution of 2008
Relevant Articles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prohibition of Torture: Article 54 of the Constitution • Definition of Torture: • Penalties:
Languages Available	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English
Other Relevant Information	

Relevant Articles – MALDIVES

ENGLISH (Translation)

Constitution of 2008

Article 54 No degrading treatment or torture

No person shall be subjected to cruel, inhumane or degrading treatment or punishment, or to torture.