

Act no. 480/2002 on Asylum (Slovakia)

Persecution in the form of physical or mental violence including sexual violence; actions targeting particular sex or children

Asylum Provisions

Definition of 'refugee' in asylum law

Asylum law does not recognize the term "refugee", instead it uses terms "alien" or "asylum seeker"

Definition of 'particular social group' and type(s) of persecution addressed

Definition: Group creates a social group in case that its members share inherited characteristics or immutable common origin; share characteristics or believes fundamental to their identity or conscience to a level that a person should not be required to change them and due to them a person is perceived as different. In a certain country's contexts, particular social group can be based on sexual orientation except of acts considered to be criminal under special law.

Number of asylum cases requested on the ground of FGM

Number of asylum cases granted on the ground of FGM

Reported or suspected FGM cases registered with authorities

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TYPES OF GBV: Female Genital Mutilation

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