**Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities**

**Concluding observations on the combined second and third periodic reports of New Zealand**

**Statistics and data collection (art. 31)**

The Committee notes with concern the serious shortcomings of data and statistics on the situation of persons with disabilities across all life domains, including in health, education, employment, justice, and the lack of disaggregated data, including in relation to the situation of Māori, Pasifika, LGBTIQA+, children and women and girls with disabilities.

**The Committee recommends that the State party in conjunction with Statistics New Zealand, develop a national disability data framework to ensure appropriate, nationally consistent measures for the collection and public reporting of disaggregated data on the full range of obligations contained in the Convention, especially with regard to Māori, Pasifika, LGBTIQA+, children and women and girls with disabilities.**

*Note:* you can download the full report (along with other country reports) from this website: [Treaty bodies Sessions (ohchr.org)](https://tbinternet.ohchr.org/_layouts/15/treatybodyexternal/SessionDetails1.aspx?SessionID=2545&Lang=en)