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International Review Committee of the Review Meeting of the ROC’s Initial Report under the Convention on the Rights of the Child

Name/Nationality	Gender	Professional	Current Post/Experience
 <p>Jakob (Jaap) Egbert Doek Netherlands Chairman</p>	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Convention of the Rights of Child ■ Juvenile justice ■ Child sexual and exploitation ■ Family law 	<p>Current Post: A tutor and guest lecturer at the Leiden University, Children’s Rights and Family Law Department.</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Juvenile court judge (1978 – 1985); Deputy Justice in the Court of Appeal of Amsterdam (2004 – 2012) ■ Professor of children’s and family law VU University Amsterdam (1985 – 2004) ■ UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (1999-2007) ■ A chairperson of UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (2001-2007) ■ A member of the Editorial Board for the UN Study on Violence against Children (2003-2006) ■ The chairperson of Aflatoun Child Savings International (2006-2014) ■ Senior Legal Advisor of ECPAT (2014-now) ■ The chairperson of the Supervisory Board of Child Helpline International (2015-now) ■ A member of the International Supervisory Board of Child Youth Finance International (2012-now) ■ A member of the Advisory Committee of Defence for Children International ■ A member of the jury established by KidsRights (The Netherlands) for the international Kids Peace Prize

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 <p>Judith Karp Israel</p>	F	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Human rights ■ Child rights ■ Juvenile crime ■ Sexual exploitation and sexual abuse ■ Domestic violence ■ The rights of victims of crime ■ Status of women ■ Drug abuse ■ Constitutional law 	<p>Current Post: Retired</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Director of the Public Legislation Department at the Ministry of Justice of Israel (1972-1978) ■ Deputy Attorney General of the State of Israel (1978-2002) ■ Member of the United Nations Committee on the Rights of the Child (1995-2003) ■ Vice-chairperson of UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (1997-1999) ■ Rapporteur of the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (2001-2003) ■ Member of the United Nations International Coordinating Team on Technical Advice and Assistance in the field of juvenile justice (1998-2003) ■ Mrs. Judith Karp was in charge of legislation, policies of implementation and coordination in the field of criminal law and law enforcement. ■ Israel Bar Association – "women in Law" award for special contribution to the advancement of women's status in Israel.

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 <p>Nigel Cantwell United Kingdom & Switzerland</p>	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Human rights of children ■ Alternative care ■ Intercountry adoptions ■ Juvenile justice ■ Holds the degree of Doctor Honoris Causa from the University of Strathclyde Glasgow 	<p>Current Post: consultant to international organizations on child protection policies</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Coordinator of the NGO Group for the Convention on the Rights of the Child, taking part in the drafting of that treaty ■ Participating in the development of the UN Rules for Protection of Juveniles Deprived of their Liberty ■ Participating in the development of the 1993 Hague Convention on Intercountry Adoption ■ Senior Project Officer (Implementation of International Standards), UNICEF Innocenti Research Centre (1998-2003) ■ Lead consultant for developing 2009 [UN] Guidelines for the Alternative Care of Children ■ Assessments of alternative care and adoption systems in more than a dozen countries on all continents. ■ Lecturer on Masters courses on children's rights, University of Geneva, and visiting lecturer at several other universities (FU Berlin, Leiden, Harvard...) ■ Authored some 40 articles and publications on children's rights issues.

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 <p>John Tobin Australia</p>	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ International law ■ Human rights ■ Convention on the Rights of Child 	<p>Current Post: Professor, Melbourne Law School, University of Melbourne; Francine V McNiff Chair in International Human Rights Law and Director of Studies, Human Rights</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Principal Examiner, Child Law Specialization, Law Institute of Victoria (2011-present) ■ Advisory Board member to the Melbourne Journal of International Law (2003-present) and International Journal of Children's Rights (2010-present) ■ Commercial lawyer (1994-1997) ■ Youth Lawyer, Victoria Legal Aid (1997-2000) ■ Legal Officer, Department of Justice (2000) ■ Prof. John Tobin is currently working on an ARC Discovery Grant with Professor Philip Alston from NYU titled "Children's Rights: From Theory to Practice" which will produce a comprehensive commentary on the Convention on the Rights of the Child which will be published by OUP

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 <p>Laura Lundy Ireland</p>	F	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Implementation of the UNCRC ■ Education rights ■ Children's rights to participate in decision-making ■ Domestic education and social security law 	<p>Current Post: Professor of the Queen's University Belfast, School of Social Sciences, Education and Social Work</p> <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Director of the cross-university Centre for Children's Rights(2011-ongoing) ■ Extensive experience of national and international participatory research with children, including for example a 2015 study in 71 countries that has informed the Committee on the Right of the Child's General Comment on Public Spending. ■ Advice and training on children's rights provided to the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child, UNICEF, Council of Europe, Save the Children, Plan International and Child Rights Connect.