

UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION FOR A UNIVERSAL MORATORIUM ON THE USE OF THE DEATH PENALTY

Voting trends of UN member states since 2007

		<div><div></div>In favour</div> <div><div></div>Abstention</div> <div><div></div>Absent</div> <div><div></div>Against</div>									
State	Status ahead of the 2024 vote	2007	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022	2024
AFGHANISTAN	Retentionist										
ALBANIA	Abolitionist										
ALGERIA	With a moratorium										
ANDORRA	Abolitionist										
ANGOLA	Abolitionist										
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	Retentionist*										
ARGENTINA	Abolitionist										
ARMENIA	Abolitionist										
AUSTRALIA	Abolitionist										
AUSTRIA	Abolitionist										
AZERBAIJAN	Abolitionist										
BAHAMAS	Retentionist*										
BAHRAIN	Retentionist										
BANGLADESH	Retentionist										
BARBADOS	Retentionist*										
BELARUS	Retentionist										
BELGIUM	Abolitionist										
BELIZE	Retentionist*										
BENIN	Abolitionist										
BHUTAN	Abolitionist										
BOLIVIA	Abolitionist										
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	Abolitionist										
BOTSWANA	Retentionist										
BRAZIL	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	Retentionist*										
BULGARIA	Abolitionist										
BURKINA FASO	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
BURUNDI	Abolitionist										
CABO VERDE	Abolitionist										
CAMBODIA	Abolitionist										
CAMEROON	With a moratorium										
CANADA	Abolitionist										
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	Abolitionist										
CHAD	Abolitionist										
CHILE	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
CHINA	Retentionist										
COLOMBIA	Abolitionist										
COMOROS	With a moratorium										
CONGO	Abolitionist										
COSTA RICA	Abolitionist										
CÔTE D'IVOIRE	Abolitionist										
CROATIA	Abolitionist										
CUBA	With a moratorium										
CYPRUS	Abolitionist										
CZECH REPUBLIC	Abolitionist										
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO	Retentionist*										
DENMARK	Abolitionist										
DJIBOUTI	Abolitionist										
DOMINICA	Retentionist*										
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	Abolitionist										
ECUADOR	Abolitionist										
EGYPT	Retentionist										
EL SALVADOR	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
EQUATORIAL GUINEA	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
ERITREA	With a moratorium										
ESTONIA	Abolitionist										
ESWATINI	With a moratorium										
ETHIOPIA	Retentionist*										
FIJI	Abolitionist										
FINLAND	Abolitionist										
FRANCE	Abolitionist										
GABON	Abolitionist										
GAMBIA	With a moratorium										
GEORGIA	Abolitionist										
GERMANY	Abolitionist										
GHANA	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
GREECE	Abolitionist										
GRENADA	Retentionist*										
GUATEMALA	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
GUINEA	Abolitionist										
GUINEA BISSAU	Abolitionist										
GUYANA	With a moratorium										
HAITI	Abolitionist										
HONDURAS	Abolitionist										
HUNGARY	Abolitionist										
ICELAND	Abolitionist										
INDIA	Retentionist										
INDONESIA	Retentionist										
IRAN	Retentionist for ordinary crimes										
IRAQ	Retentionist										
IRELAND	Abolitionist										
ISRAEL	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
ITALY	Abolitionist										
JAMAICA	Retentionist*										
JAPAN	Retentionist										
JORDAN	Retentionist										
KAZAKHSTAN	Abolitionist										
KENYA	With a moratorium										
KIRIBATI	Abolitionist										
KUWAIT	Retentionist										
KYRGYZSTAN	Abolitionist										
LAOS	With a moratorium										
LATVIA	Abolitionist										
LEBANON	With a moratorium										
LESOTHO	With a moratorium										
LIBERIA	With a moratorium										
LIBYA	Retentionist*										
LIECHTENSTEIN	Abolitionist										
LITHUANIA	Abolitionist										
LUXEMBOURG	Abolitionist										
MADAGASCAR	Abolitionist										
MALAWI	With a moratorium										
MALAYSIA	Retentionist										
MALDIVES	Retentionist*										
MALI	With a moratorium										
MALTA	Abolitionist										
MARSHALL ISLANDS	Abolitionist										
MAURITANIA	With a moratorium										
MAURITIUS	Abolitionist										
MEXICO	Abolitionist										
MICRONESIA	Abolitionist										
MOLDOVA	Abolitionist										
MONACO	Abolitionist										
MONGOLIA	Abolitionist										
MONTENEGRO	Abolitionist										
MOROCCO	With a moratorium										
MOZAMBIQUE	Abolitionist										
MYANMAR	Retentionist										
NAMIBIA	Abolitionist										
NAURU	Abolitionist										
NEPAL	Abolitionist										
NETHERLANDS	Abolitionist										
NEW ZEALAND	Abolitionist										
NICARAGUA	Abolitionist										
NIGER	With a moratorium										
NIGERIA	Retentionist										
NORTH KOREA	Retentionist										
NORTH MACEDONIA	Abolitionist										
NORWAY	Abolitionist										
OMAN	Retentionist										
PAKISTAN	Retentionist										
PALAU	Abolitionist										
PANAMA	Abolitionist										
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	Abolitionist										
PARAGUAY	Abolitionist										
PERU	Abolitionist for ordinary crimes										
PHILIPPINES	Abolitionist										
POLAND	Abolitionist										
PORTUGAL	Abolitionist										
QATAR	Retentionist										
ROMANIA	Abolitionist										
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	With a moratorium										
RWANDA	Abolitionist										
SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS	Retentionist*										
SAINT LUCIA	Retentionist*										
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	Retentionist*										
SAMOA	Abolitionist										
SAN MARINO	Abolitionist										
SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE	Abolitionist										
SAUDI ARABIA	Retentionist										
SENEGAL	Abolitionist										
SERBIA	Abolitionist										
SEYCHELLES	Abolitionist										
SIERRA LEONE	Abolitionist										
SINGAPORE	Retentionist										
SLOVAKIA	Abolitionist										
SLOVENIA	Abolitionist										
SOLOMON ISLANDS	Abolitionist										
SOMALIA	Retentionist										
SOUTH AFRICA	Abolitionist										
SOUTH KOREA	With a moratorium										
SOUTH SUDAN	Retentionist										
SPAIN	Abolitionist										
SRI LANKA	With a moratorium										
SUDAN	Retentionist										
SURINAME	Abolitionist										
SWEDEN	Abolitionist										
SWITZERLAND	Abolitionist										
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	Retentionist										
TAJIKISTAN	With a moratorium										
TANZANIA	With a moratorium										
THAILAND	Retentionist										
TIMOR-LESTE	Abolitionist										
TOGO	Abolitionist										
TONGA	Retentionist*										
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	Retentionist*										
TUNISIA	With a moratorium										
TÜRKIYE	Abolitionist										
TURKMENISTAN	Abolitionist										
TUVALU	Abolitionist										
UGANDA	With a moratorium										
UKRAINE	Abolitionist										
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	Retentionist										
UNITED KINGDOM	Abolitionist										
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	Retentionist										
URUGUAY	Abolitionist										
UZBEKISTAN	Abolitionist										
VANUATU	Abolitionist										
VENEZUELA	Abolitionist										
VIETNAM	Retentionist										
YEMEN	Retentionist										
ZAMBIA	Abolitionist										
ZIMBABWE	With a moratorium										

* as per ECPM's methodology: no execution in 10+ years but voted against the 2022 resolution.