

Proposals of Iranian Islamic Human Rights Commission for Expansion of International Criminal Court's Jurisdiction

Since the number of crimes within the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court including the crime of aggression is limited, it seems necessary to expand the list of crimes within the jurisdiction of the ICC at Review Conference according to the article 123 of the Rome Statute. Therefore, it is recommended that apart from inclusion of terrorism and drug trafficking, crimes that are also mentioned in the Final Act of the ICC, the following crimes be added to the crimes within the Court's jurisdiction;

- ✚ Piracy;**
- ✚ Human Organ Trafficking;**
- ✚ Inflicting damages to the historical and cultural heritage of a nation at the time of peace;**

It should be noted that some of these crimes can be classified as crimes against humanity while the others could be incorporated into the Court's jurisdiction as independent separate crimes.

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