

STATE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

SINT MAARTEN

2019

New inspections	3	7	Review inspections
New recommendations	27	67	Recommendations
		41%	Compliance

Inspections

Human Trafficking Human Smuggling

Recommendations: 9
Main concerns: cooperation, information position, administrative involvement, uniformity and continuity in operational cooperation.



Drugcrime and Related Problems

Recommendations: 9
Main concerns: legislation, interministerial policy, political-administrative decision-making to facilitate and improve operational cooperation, prevention and awareness.



Domestic Violence and Child Abuse

Recommendations: 9
Main concerns: coordinated approach, common vision and consistent interministerial policies, government funding, training and work procedures.



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www.raadrechtshandhaving.com

Reviews

Prostitution policy

Year first report: 2016
Recommendations: 6
Compliance: 0 %

Victim support

3rd report
Year first report: 2012
Year first review: 2016
Recommendations: 17
Compliance: 24 %



Detention

9th report
Year first report: 2013

Pointe Blanche

See Report/State 2019

Police cells

Recommendations CPT: 8
Compliance: 44 %



Use of Force by and against Police

Year first report: 2014
Recommendations: 13
Compliance: 92 %



Admission & Expulsion of Foreigners

Year first report: 2014
Recommendations: 6
Compliance: 25 %



PPS Investigation & Prosecution Policy

Year first report: 2014
Recommendations: 10
Compliance: 25 %



Criminal Seizure

Year first report: 2014
Recommendations: 7
Compliance: 79 %



THE LAW ENFORCEMENT COUNCIL

The Council is tasked with the **general inspection** of the **effectiveness, quality and management** of the **judicial organizations**, and the **judicial cooperation** between the BES islands, Curaçao and Sint Maarten.

