

Human Rights Commission of Sri Lanka
Details of Complaints Received by Head Office & Regional Office - 2025

Types of Complaints	Region											Rathnapura	Hatton	Total (Regional offices)	Head Office	Grand Total	
	Ampara	Anuradhapura	Badulla	Batticaloa	Jaffna/Killinochchi	Kalmuani	Kandy	Matara	Trincomalee	Vavuniya/Mannar	Puttlam						
Personal Liberty																	
(a) Torture (Physical and Mental)	4	18		7	31	1	19	43	8	25	32	16	4	208	254	462	
(b) Degrading Treatment			4		18	3		2	1			1		29	144	173	
(c) Harassment		11	2	26	53	12	41	40	15	10	28			238	204	442	
(b) Threats		3		1	1	4	1						5	15		15	
(e) sexual Harassment						1		1			1			3	5	8	
(f) Arbitrary Arrest/Detention	12	75	10	21	21	13	64	192	15	12	65	26	15	541	664	1205	
(g) Death in Custody			1		2	1		4						8	10	18	
(h) Extra-Judicial Killings								1						1	3	4	
(i) Enforced or Involuntary Disappearance *					1									1	4	5	
(k) Prisoners Rights	3						4	5					1	13		13	
Other Civil & Political Rights				3		1	1	2		1		1	1	10	42	52	
Employment	27	108	73	39	55	55	191	117	42	33	48	30	49	867	523	1390	
Education	5	13	21	10	31	19	54	51		5	22	5	13	249	154	403	
State Welfare Services	2	8	2	12	14	19	20	8	1	3		3	13	105	79	184	
Infrastructure & Utilities	3		8		2	6	7	8					13	47	45	92	
Complaints Relating to Voter Registration						1	1	2			4		1	9	3	12	
Complaints about Inaction of Gov. Entities								31						31	209	240	
(a) Police	11	51	74	65	33		70		27	10	45	10	79	475		475	
(b) Other Gov. Authorities	47	85	10	57	22		125		32	20	32	28	47	505		505	
Child Rights		13	27	9	13		2	1	2		4	2	5	78	95	173	
Rights of Differently-abled		1		1			1							3	8	11	
Language Rights				1										1	4	5	
Migrant Workers' Rights		5		12			1					1	4	23	10	33	
LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual, Transgender) Rights								1						1	20	21	
Health Rights	1	1			3		8	2				1		16	24	40	
Land & Property Rights	12	145	67	2	19		37	28	29	8	45	13	6	411	133	544	

IDP/Returning Refugees															1	1
Environmental Rights		3			6		5	11			23		2	50	18	68
Administrative Matters	10		38		2		144	41	32		61		2	330	457	787
Job Termination															52	52
Rights of Women				18	3								6	27	6	33
Other Categories (including the complaints not within the mandate)	36	77	19	1	7		1	121	7	7			9	285	1658	1943
(a)Refferels to other institutions					5									5		5
(b)Refferels to other Regional Offices																
Elders Rights		1												1	1	2
Freedom of Speech & Expression															10	10
Freedom of Assembly															4	4
Religious Rights											1			1	16	17
Ragging Issues					1									1		1
Total	173	618	356	285	343	136	797	712	211	134	411	137	275	4588	4860	9448

* victim found later on