



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e  
Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim  
Colonial Pe. Emir Rigon  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do  
Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da  
Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos  
Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed.  
Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINDCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Pùblico do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de  
São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar –  
COOPERFLORA  
(1ª Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2º Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(in memoriam)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3ª Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4º Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5ª Suplente)

## Stop the genocide: social distancing with emergency financial aid and free, public vaccine for all

### *Manifest of the São Paulo State Human Rights Defense Council on confronting the COVID-19 pandemic*

Brazil is being devastated by the most serious health, economic, social, and political crisis in its history, the result of the actions of the Federal Government, which, as shown by several studies, implemented a deliberate policy of spreading the novel coronavirus. The month of April ends with the country surpassing the mark of **400.000 lives lost** – what many have called true **genocide**.

In the first 113 days of 2021, the total number of COVID-19 deaths exceeded the amount recorded in the entire year in 2020. The state of São Paulo has recorded some 93,000 deaths since the pandemic began. These were avoidable deaths, which outrage and sadden all those who cherish life.

Experts in public health, social activists and public administrators, gathered on April 29, 2021, in a Public Hearing convened by the São Paulo State Human Rights Defense Council (CONDEPE), with the support of the Human Rights Commission of the São Paulo Chapter of the Brazilian Bar Association, to reflect on and discuss how to improve and intensify initiatives to confront the social problems resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic.

We welcome the setting up of the Parliamentary Inquiry Commission (CPI) on COVID-19 by the Federal Senate on April 27, an important victory for democratic forces, which will have the mission of investigating the actions of the Federal Government against the



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim Colonial Pe. Emir Rigan  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed. Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINDCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Públco do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar – COOPERFLORA  
(1<sup>a</sup> Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2<sup>º</sup> Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(in memoriam)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3<sup>º</sup> Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4<sup>º</sup> Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5<sup>º</sup> Suplente)

pandemic. We call for an impartial, fair and immediate investigation of the responsibilities of all public agents who, by action or omission, acted against public health, allowing more people to die unnecessarily.

The COVID-19 CPI is the first step toward holding accountable all those who have contributed and continue to contribute to this tragedy, including the deniers and those who advocated for medication with no proven scientific efficacy against the disease.

Public health is a human rights issue. We defend **reparation policies** for the violations and losses that the State has inflicted on hundreds of thousands of families. Based on the results of the COVID-19 CPI, it will be necessary to begin a process of **Transitional Justice**, deepening the investigation of responsibilities and punishing those who acted against human dignity and public health. CONDEPE will drive for reparation policies and the national debate about the constitution of this Transitional Justice.

The health crisis has put the importance of State action and public services at the center of the debate, and, during the pandemic, the importance of research, science, and the Brazilian National Health System (SUS) for guaranteeing the lives of the Brazilian people has become even more explicit.

In particular, we highlight, in the case of São Paulo, the performance of our public universities and the Butantan Institute, which, with Coronavac, is responsible for the vast majority of immunizations performed throughout the country and is already developing its own vaccine, ButanVac.

It is necessary to increasingly strengthen the SUS and all universities and research centers in Brazil, rejecting attempts aimed at privatization and cuts in public resources.



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e  
Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim  
Colonial Pe. Emir Rigan  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do  
Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da  
Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos  
Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed.  
Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINDCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Públco do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de  
São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar –  
COOPERFLORA  
(1ª Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2º Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(in memoriam)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3º Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4º Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5º Suplente)

Class, race, gender and generation inequalities, as well as discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity, have deepened even more in the pandemic. The humanitarian tragedy has gone far beyond the virus and deaths, increasing poverty, cases of domestic violence against children, the elderly, women, and LGBT people, worsening food insecurity, and contributing to the growth of the homeless population.

Brazil now has more than 14 million unemployed people, 13.9% of whom live in our state. There are 125 million Brazilians in a situation of food insecurity. Women and young people with lower education levels, the vast majority Black, have been the most penalized.

We call on the Governor of the State of São Paulo to sanction Bill of Law 146/2020, approved by a large majority in the São Paulo Legislative Assembly on April 22, which determines the suspension of the enforcement of repossession orders, evictions and judicial or extrajudicial ejections while temporary measures to prevent contagion and combat the spread of the coronavirus are in force.

We urge the Court of Justice of the State of São Paulo to make its members aware of Recommendation No. 90/2021, issued by the National Council of Justice, which recommends caution in enforcement of repossession or eviction orders for urban and rural properties while the pandemic caused by COVID-19 persists, if they cannot be suspended, in order to safeguard the human rights of the people who are the target of such court judgments.

We draw attention to the problems of the prison and socio-educational systems, which are witness to the situation of vulnerability of people deprived of liberty and their workers. More transparency is needed from public authorities through permanent publication of updated



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim Colonial Pe. Emir Rigan  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed. Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINDCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Público do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar – COOPERFLORA  
(1<sup>a</sup> Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2<sup>o</sup> Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(in memoriam)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3<sup>o</sup> Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4<sup>o</sup> Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5<sup>o</sup> Suplente)

data and effective responses to reports of worsening general habitability conditions, since visits have been prohibited and the supply of food and hygiene items by families does not always reach prisoners. We recommend evaluating the possibility of including people deprived of liberty on the priority list for immunization and ensuring their mass testing.

Likewise, the situation of extreme vulnerability of the homeless population requires transparent data, which implies the end of case and death underreporting, with true policies on housing, food and shelter, along with priority immunization of this social group.

In the specific case of education, the state and municipal governments must provide tablets and internet chips, to ensure students have internet access via the public network, as well as **food voucher cards worth an adequate amount of money for all students**, until such time as the health situation enables classes to start once more without putting civil servants, teachers, students and their families at risk.

In the face of this slaughter, it is urgent that not only the Federal Government, but also the municipal governments and the state government take on their responsibilities by investing more budgetary resources and expanding emergency public policies. The resources resulting from the surplus of R\$ 7.7 billion in 2020, announced by the São Paulo State Government, must be applied, as a priority, in policies to confront the COVID-19 pandemic, in programs that serve the most vulnerable populations.

Besides demanding the Federal Government to purchase vaccines and increase resources to support the Oswaldo Cruz Foundation (Fiocruz) and the Butantan Institute, we call on the São Paulo State Government, in the face of Federal Government denialism, to seek



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e  
Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim  
Colonial Pe. Emir Rigan  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do  
Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da  
Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos  
Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed.  
Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINRCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Públco do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de  
São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar –  
COOPERFLORA  
(1ª Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2º Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(in memoriam)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3º Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4º Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5º Suplente)

to ensure more investments for the Butantan Institute, accelerating the production of Coronavac and the development of ButanVac.

There is an immediate need to guarantee **de facto social isolation**, with rigorous inspection, without backward steps or making concessions that take away the effectiveness of the measure and do not solve the economic issues. The results achieved by the Araraquara City Administration show the effectiveness of lockdown.

In this sense, **emergency financial aid is a basic condition** for guaranteeing true isolation without hunger – and this income transfer must be maintained until the end of the pandemic. The São Paulo State Government must guarantee state emergency aid, enabling radical social isolation measures to immediately reduce infection, hospitalization and death rates.

**Vaccination, an urgent and immediate measure for the entire population, in a free of charge and universal manner, with patent breaking and guaranteed investments in the SUS and in science, research and technology policies**, are all fundamental for fighting the pandemic

We demand that the Federal Government, through the Ministry of Health, immediately start a **national vaccination campaign against COVID-19**, calling on the population to be part of the immunization process, as this is a right. Those already vaccinated need to be convoked, by means of active tracing, to take their second dose. Given the inertia of the Federal Government, the São Paulo State Government must carry out this awareness-raising and mobilization campaign, convoking those who have already taken the first dose to complete their immunization. We support all actions of the Public



## CONSELHO ESTADUAL DE DEFESA DOS DIREITOS DA PESSOA HUMANA

SECRETARIA DA JUSTIÇA E CIDADANIA DO ESTADO DE SÃO PAULO

Conselho de Direito instituído pelo artigo 110 da Constituição do Estado de São Paulo (1989)

Lei Estadual nº 7.576, de 27 de novembro de 1991

### CONSELHEIROS/AS (2021- 2023)

#### Dimitri Sales

Instituto Latino Americano de Promoção e  
Defesa dos Direitos Humanos – ILADH  
Presidente

#### Cheila Maria Subenko Olalla

Ação Comunitária Paroquial do Jardim  
Colonial Pe. Emir Rigon  
Vice-Presidente

#### Raimundo Vieira Bonfim

Central dos Movimentos Populares do  
Estado de São Paulo – CMP

#### Valdison da Anunciação Pereira

Associação dos Moradores da  
Comunidade do Jardim Limoeiro I

#### Elvis Justino de Souza

Instituto de Defesa dos Direitos Humanos  
Nossa Senhora Maglac

#### Gabriel Alves da Silva Junior

Sindicato Nac. dos Servidores Publ. Fed.  
Ciência e Tec. Aeroespacial – SINRCT

#### Deborah Bittencourt Malheiros

Poder Executivo (SJDC)

#### Patrícia Bezerra

Assembleia Legislativa do Estado de SP

#### Iberê de Castro Dias

Poder Judiciário (TJ/SP)

#### Maria das Graças Perera de Mello

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Antônio Funari Filho

Ordem dos Advogados do  
Brasil, Seção São Paulo

#### Fernando Herique de Freitas Simões

Ministério Públco do Estado de São Paulo

#### Fernanda Penteado Balera

Defensoria Pública do Estado de  
São Paulo

#### Maria de Fátima da Silva

Cooperativa da Agricultura Familiar –  
COOPERFLORA  
(1ª Suplente)

#### Julian Rodrigues

Instituto Macuco  
(2º Suplente)

#### Íris Neres Nogueira

União da Juventude Brasileira – UJB  
(*in memoriam*)

#### Rosa Costa Cantal

Grupo Tortura Nunca Mais  
(3ª Suplente)

#### Mauro Caseri

CEDECA Erminia Circorta  
(4º Suplente)

#### Maria Beatriz da Rocha Alarcón

Confederação de Mulheres do Brasil  
(5ª Suplente)

Prosecution Service to prevent and punish attempts to circumvent the immunization system ("queue-jumping"), in accordance with the law

We must persist in the fight for **vaccination here and now**, with equity, as a guarantee of social justice, but also as a requirement for the long-awaited control of the pandemic, under penalty of succumbing to new variants of the novel coronavirus.

Our fight is for life, against the genocide that is being committed against our people, for everyone's access to free of charge and public vaccination, with emergency financial aid and immediate and effective social isolation!!

São Paulo, April 29, 2021

**São Paulo State Human Rights Defense Council – CONDEPE**