

# **Petition or Communication under the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights Sherrel Eldgel HANSEN vs. the Netherlands**

---

## **EXHIBIT 4:**

### **Article 132a Constitution of the Dutch and Caribbean Netherlands**

- 1. By law other territorial public entities than provinces and municipalities may be instituted and abolished in the Caribbean part of the Netherlands.**
- 2. Articles 124, 125 and 127 up to and including 132 shall apply accordingly to these [other] public entities.**
- 3. In these public entities elections for an electoral college shall be held to elect the First Chamber. Article 129 applies accordingly.**
- 4. For these islands regulations may be stipulated and other specific measures may be taken with a view to the special circumstances which render these islands fundamentally distinct from the European part of the Netherlands.**