New Caledonia

Basic facts

Population: 268,767 (2014 census)
Land area: 18,575 km²
Exclusive economic zone: 1,422,543 km²

Listing as a Non-Self-Governing Territory

New Caledonia was on the United Nations list of Non-Self-Governing Territories from 1946 to 1947, following transmission of information on New Caledonia and Dependencies by France under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations. In 1986, the General Assembly re-inscribed New Caledonia, by considering that “New Caledonia is a Non-Self-Governing Territory within the meaning of the Charter”. See: General Assembly resolutions 66 (I) of 14 December 1946 and 41/41 of 2 December 1986

Administering Power

France

United Nations-related action

The General Assembly adopts on an annual basis a resolution on New Caledonia. See: General Assembly resolution 73/115 of 19 December 2018


Links

Government of New Caledonia

Ministry of Overseas Territories of France