

## Background Information for Activity A

In the most recent wave of the WVS (2020), researchers asked respondents from 75 countries whether they believed homosexuality was justifiable. Results showed that the majority of citizens from 49 of those countries responded negatively and 26 responded positively (4 or higher on a scale from 1=*never justified* to 10=*always justified*). The most positive attitudes were reported by respondents from Andorra, Australia, Austria, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Iceland, the Netherlands, Norway, New Zealand, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom. The most negative attitudes were reported by respondents from Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Armenia, Bosnia Herzegovina, Myanmar, Ethiopia, Georgia, Indonesia, Iran, Kyrgyzstan, Montenegro, Nigeria, Pakistan, Zimbabwe, and Tunisia.

