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## ***Norwegian Parliament Formally Acknowledges U.S. Nationals May Qualify for Asylum Following Reports Generated by International Advocate and Help Me Leave Staff Jey Poston***

In a groundbreaking development for human rights and refugee protection, a Member of the Norwegian Parliament has submitted a **written question to Norway's Minister of Justice** referencing a report authored by Jey Havoc, Head of Support & Protection Services at the **international NGO Help Me Leave**.

The report, which documents **escalating patterns of persecution against marginalized Americans** — particularly transgender individuals — was cited in the evidence supporting the parliamentary inquiry. The Norwegian Minister's public response marks the **first recorded instance** of a foreign government acknowledging that U.S. citizens **may meet the criteria for refugee status under international law**:

"In her written reply, the Justice Minister acknowledged that U.S. trans applicants could meet Norway's asylum criteria. . ."

*(Morganblodet, Vil Sikre Amerikanske Transpersoner Mulighet Til Asylum I Norge, October 2025)*

[View the minutes from the legislative session here](#)

Help Me Leave was founded by Charlotte Richards to assist **Americans facing systemic discrimination, political violence, or state-sanctioned harm** in relocating to safer countries.

In its first month of operation, the organization **supported multiple successful relocations** and established **working relationships with advocates, organizations, and representatives in multiple national parliaments**. The organization is now in the process of formal registration in Geneva, where it will begin **accepting donations to expand its global advocacy and protection work**.

"This acknowledgment by Norway sets a precedent," Poston added. "It challenges the assumption that human rights violations cannot occur in powerful democracies, and it opens the door for real asylum access to those who need it most."



In further support of Help Me Leave's advocacy efforts, Jey Poston, Fleurian Filkins, and Qira, strategic researchers for the organization have published their latest report **Sept. 22nd – Oct 24th 2025, The United States is #NoLongerSafe.**

Help Me Leave stands behind the idea that **foreign nations should take careful consideration** of the **rapidly crumbling democratic state in the United States** and apply exceptions to the “Safe Country of Origin” policies for at-risk people seeking asylum from the United States, **at a minimum**. Foreign governments should reevaluate the standing of the United States to see if it **still meets the criteria** to be considered a safe country of origin.

Access the report [here](#).

### ***About Help Me Leave***

Help Me Leave! is a volunteer-run, not-for-profit platform helping people find safe pathways out of countries where their rights are under threat. We provide practical visa and relocation information, connect people with legal and community support, and advocate for fairer global migration systems.

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