

# INTERNATIONAL SEX WORKERS' DAY



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National Sex Workers Movement in South Africa

International Sex Workers' Day is held annually to mark the 1975 occupation of Saint-Nizier Church in Lyon, France, by about 100 sex workers, protesting their criminalised and exploitative living conditions. Sex workers continue to mark the day every year with events and actions calling for fulfilment of their rights. National Sex Workers Projects (NSWP) focused on the theme of access to justice, launching a new illustrated version of the NSWP Consensus Statement with images by Glasgow-based visual artist Molly Hankinson.