

UN <u>#HumanRights</u> experts agree that Zwarte Piet is interpreted in different ways, but critical questions have been raised including: "how should we treat the concerns of those who are offended by <u>#ZwartePiet</u>, as well as those who are unhappy about challenges to what we acknowledge is a long-held tradition for children? How do we respect the views of all those living in multicultural societies? Useful suggestions are emerging about how the best aspects of this tradition can be preserved, but equally how elements that offend might be modified": http://sm.ohchr.org/1c5h2RC

Ultimately, this is for the people of the Netherlands to discuss and decide.

