



Name of Country and Jurisdiction:
São Tomé and Príncipe



What forms of legally recognized relationships are available?



LEGAL RECOGNITION FOR OPPOSITE-SEX COUPLE	GEOGRAPHY	LAW	AVAILABLE TO SAME-SEX COUPLE?
Marriage, registered	São Tomé and Príncipe	The Family Law	Unlikely
<i>De facto</i> union	São Tomé and Príncipe	The Family Law	Unknown

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