

# Review of: "Contextualizing Public Coastal Access Challenges in South Africa, a Review of Best Practices in Selected Countries"

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The article adequately addresses a review of coastal practices to improve beach access. However, the government's ability to address land ownership is identified as a central problem. Regarding this, in the same article, it is mentioned that many countries deal with similar problems and that their legislation has sought to guarantee public access to beaches in any way. Taking into account this and the control power of the state, perhaps it would be more useful to focus on more feasible and agile practices that do not require public ownership by the state but rather guarantee it.