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**Implementation of article 21 of the Convention on the
Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women**

**Reports provided by specialized agencies of the United Nations
on the implementation of the Convention in areas falling within
the scope of their activities**

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

1. On behalf of the Committee, the Secretariat invited the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), on 29 April 1999, to submit to the Committee by 15 May 1999 a report on information provided by States to FAO on the implementation of article 14 and related articles of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, which would supplement the information contained in the reports of the States parties to the Convention that will be considered at the twenty-second session. Annexed to the present note is a country brief prepared by FAO on Burkina Faso.
2. Other information sought by the Committee refer to activities, programmes and policy decisions undertaken by FAO to promote the implementation of article 14 and related articles of the Convention.
3. The report annexed hereto has been submitted in compliance with the Committee's request.



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