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A list of proposals recorded in regard to paragraph 10

Addendum

The proposals contained in this document are additional to those circulated in A/CONF.157/PC/L.10 and reproduce texts received subsequent to the preparation of that document.

Paragraph 10

Proposed by	Amendment
1. Greece	<p>In the first sentence delete the words "and indigenous peoples".</p>
2. Pakistan	<p>Replace with a new paragraph as follows: "Major obstacles to human rights, and the source of widespread and massive violations of human rights, are denial of the right to self-determination, the product of State terrorism which constitutes the gravest form of terrorism, so-called ethnic cleansing, genocide, mass rape as an instrument of war, alien or colonial domination and foreign occupation, all of which should be unequivocally condemned and urgently addressed by the international community."</p>
3. Chile	<p>Replace with a new paragraph as follows: "States have the obligation to respect the rights of national, ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities, in particular the standards on equality, dignity, identity and non-discrimination. The introduction of preferential treatment in matters of special concern to these communities does not constitute discrimination. Governments should adopt effective measures to implement the international human rights instruments <u>vis-à-vis</u> these minorities. The dignity of these peoples requires a more active and effective implementation of the existing standards within a comprehensive approach as reflected in the Secretary-General's Agenda for Peace, the only way of avoiding and preventing conflicts."</p>

4. African Group

Replace with a new paragraph as follows:

"States have the obligation to respect the rights of national, ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities and of indigenous peoples in particular the standards on equality, dignity, identity, non-discrimination and preferential equitable, fair and equal treatment and affirmative action, and all Governments are urged to institute measures effectively guaranteeing the implementation in this field of existing international human rights instruments, in conformity with the spirit of An Agenda for Peace by the Secretary-General of the United Nations."