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**CRIME AND THE ABUSE OF POWER: OFFENCES AND OFFENDERS
BEYOND THE REACH OF THE LAW?**

Democratic Yemen, Gabon, Iraq, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya,
Nigeria, Romania, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, United Republic
of Tanzania and Zambia: draft resolution

Torture and inhuman treatment

Measures to put an end to torture and ill-treatment

The Sixth United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment
of Offenders,

Considering resolution 663 (XXIV) of 31 July 1957 of the United Nations Economic and Social Council approving the minimum rules for the treatment of offenders,

Recalling resolution 3452 (XXX) of 9 December 1975 by which the United Nations General Assembly has adopted the Declaration of the Fifth Congress on the protection of all persons against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading sanctions or treatment,

Conscious of the appeals of distress made by persons detained in South Africa, Namibia and the occupied Arab territories including Palestine,

Recommends forthwith to the United Nations General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council to take all measures to put an end to torture, ill-treatment and grave attempts to undermine the integrity of persons detained in Namibia, South Africa and the Arab occupied territories including Palestine.