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Corrigendum

Replace paragraph 16 by the following text:

[The realization of economic, social and cultural rights contributes to the achievement of political freedom] /  
[Political rights and fundamental freedoms cannot be fully achieved outside the context of civil, economic, social and cultural rights.] [The widening gap between the North and the South, the rich and the poor must be narrowed and poverty must be eradicated to ensure enjoyment of human rights.] To strengthen the enjoyment of these rights, additional approaches should be examined, such as a system of indicators to measure progress in the realization of the rights set forth in the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights. There must be a concerted effort to ensure recognition of economic, social and cultural rights at the national, regional and international levels.