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HUMAN RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

Mr. Alfonso Martinez, Mr. Boutkevitch, Ms. Daes, Mr. Guissé  
and Mr. Hatano: draft resolution

1997/... Study on treaties, agreements and other  
constructive arrangements between  
States and indigenous populations

At its ... meeting, on ... August 1997, the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, recalling its decisions 1994/116 of 26 August 1994, 1995/118 of 24 August 1995 and 1996/118 of 29 August 1996 decided to take note of the Special Rapporteur's explanation of the reasons for not submitting his final report at its present session, urged him to submit his final report in due time - preferably before the end of 1997 - so as to allow it to be discussed by the Working Group on Indigenous Populations at its sixteenth session and by the Sub-Commission at its fiftieth session, and to request the Secretary-General to give the Special Rapporteur all the assistance necessary to enable him to conclude his study.

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