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REVIEW OF FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN FIELDS WITH WHICH THE SUB-COMMISSION HAS BEEN OR MAY BE CONCERNED:

REVIEW OF DEVELOPMENTS CONCERNING RECOMMENDATIONS AND DECISIONS RELATING, <u>INTER ALIA</u>, TO: PROMOTION, PROTECTION AND RESTORATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AT NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LEVELS

Ms. Daes: draft decision

1999/... <u>Fiftieth anniversary of the Geneva Conventions of</u>
12 August 1949 on the protection of victims of war

The Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, mindful of the valuable contribution made by the four Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949 on the protection of victims of war and the two Additional Protocols thereto of 1977 to the development of contemporary international humanitarian law, decides to express its gratitude and deep appreciation to the International Committee of the Red Cross on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the Geneva Conventions. The Sub-Commission requests the Secretary-General to transmit the present decision to the International Committee of the Red Cross.

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