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political, economic, social and cultural rights,  
including the right to development**

## **Written statement\* submitted by Barzani Charity Foundation / BCF, a non-governmental organization in special consultative status**

The Secretary-General has received the following written statement which is circulated in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31.

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## **Minority in Iraq must be part of future**

despite the war and sectarian violence and the distraction, still a high hope for Iraq to stay as a diverse country, the lasted war and atrocities committed by the terrorist group such as ISIS have made Iraqi society less confidence about one and another and trust among communities is the biggest boundary between Iraqi people, however, the minority are the most feared group about their future particularly their identity and their socio-economic right.

Iraq may have past the difficult time, the Iraqi Army and peshmerga force have won the war against fanatic and extremist group for now, but the battle for securing and gaining the trust among the citizens of Iraq and ensuring the minority safety and future security still in pipeline.

Today Barzani Charity Foundation argues that for any transitional justice effort to succeed, clear goals must be established that reflect the wishes of Iraqi society, also we believe that lasting peace can be achieved if Iraq adopt the restorative justice mechanism.

Barzani foundation also recommend that the central government in Baghdad and Kurdistan regional government in Erbil must held a Wide consultation with all communities including minority group to discuss way forward and how to prevent future sectarian violence and Iraqi government as well as international community must consider reasonable compensation for the victim and immediate fund for remonstration of people homes and establishing long term socioeconomic project for effected community.

I thank you

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