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causes and consequences; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation; and the Working Group on discrimination against women and girls

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Abbreviations

Afghanistan	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan
African descent	Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent
Albinism	Independent Expert on the enjoyment of human rights by persons with albinism
Arbitrary detention	Working Group on Arbitrary Detention
Belarus	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Belarus
Burundi	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Burundi
Business enterprises	Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises
Cambodia	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia
Central African Republic	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic
Climate change	Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change
Cultural rights	Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights
Development	Special Rapporteur on the right to development
Disability	Special Rapporteur on the rights of persons with disabilities
Disappearances	Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances
DPR Korea	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Education	Special Rapporteur on the right to education
Environment	Special Rapporteur on the human right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment
Eritrea	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea
Extreme poverty	Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights
Food	Special Rapporteur on the right to food
Foreign debt	Independent Expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of human rights, particularly economic, social, and cultural rights
Freedom of expression	Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression
Freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association
Freedom of religion	Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief
Toxics and human rights	Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes
Health	Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health
Housing	Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context
Human rights defenders	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders
Independence of judges and lawyers	Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers
Indigenous peoples	Special Rapporteur on the rights of Indigenous Peoples
Internally displaced persons	Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons
International order	Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order
International Solidarity	Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity
Iran	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran

Leprosy	Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy (Hansen's disease) and their family members
Mali	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali
Mercenaries	Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination
Migrants	Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants
Minority issues	Special Rapporteur on minority issues
Myanmar	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar
OPT	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967
Older persons	Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons
Peasants	Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas
Privacy	Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy
Racism	Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia, and related intolerance
Russia	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Russian Federation
Sale of children	Special Rapporteur on the sale, sexual exploitation, and sexual abuse of children
Sexual orientation and gender identity	Independent Expert on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity
Slavery	Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery
Somalia	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia
Summary executions	Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary, or arbitrary executions
Terrorism	Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism
Torture	Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman, or degrading treatment or punishment
Trafficking	Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children
Truth justice, reparation and guarantees on non-recurrence	Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence
Unilateral coercive measures	Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights
Violence against women and girls	Special Rapporteur on violence against women and girls, its causes and consequences
Water and sanitation	Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation
Women and girls	Working Group on discrimination against women and girls

Other abbreviations

AL	Letter of allegation
JAL	Joint letter of allegation
UA	Urgent appeal
JUA	Joint urgent appeal
OL	Other letter
JOL	Joint other letter

I. Introduction

1. Special procedures are mandated by the Human Rights Council to report to it on their activities (see annex).
2. In 2009, the sixteenth annual meeting of special rapporteurs, independent experts and chairs of working groups decided that a joint communications report would be prepared (A/HRC/12/47, paras 24-26), with this decision being reconfirmed by the seventeenth annual meeting in 2010. This was to avoid duplication, rationalize documentation, allow examination of cross cutting issues, and ensure that the content of communications and any follow-up would feed into the universal periodic review mechanism more effectively. Mandate holders decided that the report should contain summaries of communications and statistical information (A/HRC/15/44, para. 26-27).
3. The outcome of the review of the work and functioning of the Human Rights Council calls on the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to maintain information on special procedures in a comprehensive and easily accessible manner and encourages the use of modern information technology to reduce the circulation of paper (resolution 16/21, annex, paras. 29 and 60).

II. Communications sent and replies received

4. All communications and their replies are available through the special procedure communications website at the following link: [Home Page](#). This includes short summaries of all allegations communicated to States or other entities. The communications sent and responses received are also accessible at the same location electronically in their entirety through hyperlinks.
5. This report covers all urgent appeals, letters of allegation, and other letters sent by special procedures mandate holders between 1 December 2024 and 28 February 2025 and replies received from 1 February until 30 April 2025. Communications sent before 1 December 2024 are reported in previous communications reports submitted to the Council and also made available on the dedicated website: [Communications reports of special procedures | OHCHR](#).
6. This report also includes replies received from 1 February until 30 April 2025 relating to communications sent by special procedures mandate holders before 1 February 2025. Some of these replies supplement information communicated earlier by the respective States or other entities. Link to replies is available at [Replies received](#)
7. The present report contains urgent appeals sent by the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention and the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances and joint urgent appeals sent by them with other mandates. It does not contain other types of communications issued by these mandates, which are processed according to their own distinctive procedures and are reported separately in the annual reports of these two working groups.
8. The names of some alleged victims have been redacted to protect their privacy and to prevent further victimization. Names of victims are mentioned only when the individual concerned or their direct family has expressly consented or requested to have his, her or their name in the public report. In the original communications, the full names of the alleged victims were provided to the Government concerned after obtaining their appropriate consent. Names of alleged perpetrators have systematically been redacted in communications and State replies to preserve the presumption of innocence.
9. In total, 144 communications were sent during this reporting period to 74 countries to which 56 replies were received from 36 countries as listed below:

<i>State</i>	<i>Number of communications sent during this period</i>	<i>Number of communications that received a reply during this period *</i>	<i>Number of substantive replies received during the period **</i>	<i>Number of acknowledgement replies received during this period</i>
Algeria	1	0	0	0
Angola	1	0	0	0
Argentina	1	1	1	1
Australia	2	1	1	0
Azerbaijan	1	1	1	0
Bahrain	1	1	1	0
Belarus	3	2	2	0
Bhutan	1	0	0	0
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	1	1	1	0
Brazil	2	1	1	1
Cambodia	1	0	0	0
Canada	1	0	0	0
Central African Republic	1	0	0	0
Chile	2	1	1	1
China	4	4	4	0
Costa Rica	2	1	1	1
Cuba	1	0	0	0
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	1	0	0	0
Democratic Republic of the Congo	2	0	0	0
Denmark	1	1	1	0
Dominican Republic	3	2	2	0
Ecuador	2	1	1	1
Egypt	3	1	1	0
El Salvador	1	0	0	0
Equatorial Guinea	1	0	0	0
Estonia	1	1	1	0
Ethiopia	2	1	1	0
France	2	0	0	0
Georgia	2	0	0	0
Germany	2	2	2	0
Greece	1	0	0	0
Guatemala	1	0	0	0
Haiti	2	0	0	0
Honduras	1	1	1	0
India	3	1	1	0
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	2	2	3	0
Israel	8	0	0	0
Italy	4	1	1	0
Jamaica	1	0	0	0
Japan	1	1	1	0

<i>State</i>	<i>Number of communications sent during this period</i>	<i>Number of communications that received a reply during this period *</i>	<i>Number of substantive replies received during the period **</i>	<i>Number of acknowledgement replies received during this period</i>
Jordan	2	2	2	0
Kazakhstan	2	2	2	1
Kenya	1	0	0	0
Kyrgyzstan	1	1	1	0
Lebanon	2	0	0	0
Malaysia	1	1	1	0
Mali	2	0	0	0
Mauritania	2	1	1	0
Mexico	1	1	1	0
Morocco	3	3	3	0
Mozambique	2	0	0	0
Other actors	26	7	7	0
Pakistan	3	0	0	0
Paraguay	1	1	1	0
Peru	1	0	0	0
Philippines	1	0	0	0
Republic of Korea	1	1	1	0
Romania	1	0	0	0
Russian Federation	4	0	0	0
Rwanda	1	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	2	1	1	0
Singapore	2	2	2	0
Spain	1	1	1	0
Sri Lanka	1	0	0	0
State of Palestine	1	0	0	0
Sweden	1	1	1	0
Switzerland	1	1	1	0
Thailand	6	0	0	3
Türkiye	3	2	2	0
Uganda	3	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates	2	0	0	0
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	3	3	3	0
United States of America	10	0	0	0
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2	0	0	0
Viet Nam	1	0	0	0

* Only substantive replies to communications issued during this period are counted here.

** Substantive replies received during this period to any communication ever issued are counted here.

10. During the period, 26 communications were also sent to ‘other actors’, for example businesses, international bodies, agencies and non-State actors to which 7 replies were received. For detailed information see section IV, V and VI below.

11. These communications concerned 288 alleged identified victims of which 233 are male, 55 are female and 0 other.

III. Statistics on communications and replies by mandate

Mandate	Reporting period: 1 December 2024 to 28 February 2025			Reporting period: 1 June 2006 to 30 April 2025		
	Communications sent	replied to by 30 April 2025	response rate#	Communications sent	replied to by 30 April 2025	response rate#
Afghanistan	2	0	0%	12	4	33%
African descent	3	1	33%	175	113	65%
Albinism	0	0	0%	26	8	31%
Arbitrary Detention (+)	29	12	41%	2790	1228	44%
Belarus	4	2	50%	72	42	58%
Burundi	1	0	0%	8	0	0%
Business	35	11	31%	1278	600	47%
Cambodia	2	0	0%	85	36	42%
Central African Republic	1	0	0%	4	0	0%
Climate change	24	5	21%	88	44	50%
Cultural rights	20	1	5%	543	263	48%
Democratic Republic of the Congo ¹	0	0	0%	1	0	0%
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	4	0	0%	49	29	59%
Development	1	0	0%	278	82	30%
Disability	9	3	33%	231	122	53%
Disappearances (+)	23	8	35%	1009	496	49%
Education	8	3	38%	265	113	43%
Environment	48	15	31%	806	396	49%
Eritrea	0	0	0%	21	9	43%
Executions	31	12	39%	2598	1065	41%
Food	42	12	29%	655	273	42%
Foreign debt	2	0	0%	154	41	27%
Freedom of opinion and expression	78	25	32%	4793	1910	40%
Freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	76	26	34%	2341	1302	56%
Haiti ²	0	0	0%	13	3	23%
Health	12	5	42%	1421	727	51%
Housing	13	5	39%	835	358	43%
Human rights defenders	89	33	37%	5131	1982	39%
Independence of judges and lawyers	32	14	44%	1775	681	38%
Indigenous Peoples	3	3	100%	976	445	46%
Internally displaced persons	9	0	0%	284	109	38%
International order	14	5	36%	284	95	34%
International solidarity	5	1	20%	222	91	41%
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	3	2	67%	333	217	65%
Leprosy	1	0	0%	7	5	71%
Liberia ³	0	0	0%	2	0	0%
Mali	2	0	0%	8	1	13%
Mercenaries	2	0	0%	203	72	36%
Migrants	10	5	50%	711	408	57%
Minority issues	11	1	9%	923	456	49%
Myanmar	3	2	67%	192	67	35%
Older persons	2	0	0%	102	46	45%
Palestinian territories occupied since 1967	9	2	22%	189	38	20%
Peasants	27	9	33%	38	15	40%
Poverty	5	1	20%	370	214	58%

¹ Special Procedure mandate on Democratic Republic of Congo has been discontinued since 2008.

² Special Procedure mandate on Haiti has been discontinued since 2017.

³ Special Procedure mandate on Liberia has been discontinued since 2008.

Mandate	Reporting period: 1 December 2024 to 28 February 2025			Reporting period: 1 June 2006 to 30 April 2025		
	Communications sent	replied to by 30 April 2025	response rate#	Communications sent	replied to by 30 April 2025	response rate#
Privacy	5	4	80%	233	144	62%
Racism	14	5	36%	512	277	54%
Religion or belief	5	1	20%	937	377	40%
Russian federation	4	0	0%	29	1	3%
Sale of children	4	2	50%	230	101	44%
Sexual orientation and gender identity	7	1	14%	170	91	54%
Slavery	4	1	25%	415	199	48%
Somalia	1	0	0%	37	5	14%
Sudan	0	0	0%	50	13	26%
Terrorism	30	12	40%	1007	480	48%
Torture	16	8	50%	3389	1298	38%
Toxics and human rights	37	14	38%	462	220	48%
Trafficking in persons	7	4	57%	558	263	47%
Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence	7	3	43%	257	144	56%
Unilateral coercive measures	2	1	50%	73	28	38%
Violence against women and girls	22	5	23%	1169	497	43%
Water and sanitation	41	11	27%	640	302	47%
Women and girls	16	8	50%	882	461	52%

(+) These figures do not include communications on standard cases sent to Governments by the Working Group on arbitrary detention and the Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances.

(#) fractions in percentage are rounded to the nearest whole number.

Please note totals are higher than the actual number of communications sent, or replies received in the given period, as many communications are sent jointly by two or more mandate holders.

12. A list of mandates, which have had a name change can be found at the following webpage: [Current and former mandate holders \(existing mandates\) | OHCHR](#)

13. A list of mandates which have been discontinued can be found at the following webpage: [Former mandate holders \(discontinued mandates\) | OHCHR](#)

IV. Statistics on communications to transnational corporations and other businesses

14. During the reporting period from 1 December 2024 to 28 February 2025, the following transnational corporations and other businesses received communications from mandate holders. The table below also contains information on replies received from those businesses, including those that have sent either a substantive reply or an acknowledgement.

<i>Trans-national corporations and other businesses</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
Abu Dhabi National Oil Company	United Arab Emirates	OTH 153/2024	1	0	0
Akara Resources Public Company Limited	Thailand	OTH 151/2024	1	0	1
Ausiris Company Limited	Thailand	OTH 14/2025	1	0	0
Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited	India	OTH 154/2024	1	0	0
BNP Paribas	France	OTH 152/2024	1	0	1
BNP Paribas Nominees PTY LTD	Australia	OTH 7/2025	1	0	1
Citicorp Nominees PTY LIMITED	Australia	OTH 5/2025	1	0	0
Citigroup	United States of America	OTH 6/2025	1	0	0
DHL Group	Germany	OTH 159/2024	1	0	0
Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited	India	OTH 155/2024	1	0	0
HSBC Custody Nominees (Australia) Limited	Australia	OTH 3/2025	1	0	0
HSBC Holdings PLC	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 4/2025	1	0	0
Indian Oil Corporation Limited	India	OTH 156/2024	1	0	0
International Monetary Fund - IMF	United States of America	OTH 137/2024	1	0	0
JP Morgan Chase & Co.	United States of America	OTH 9/2025	1	0	0
JP Morgan Nominees Australia PTY LTD	Australia	OTH 8/2025	1	0	0
Kingsgate Consolidated Limited	Australia	OTH 2/2025	1	0	1
LotusHall Mining Heavy Engineering Construction CO., Ltd	Thailand	OTH 15/2025	1	0	0
Nebari Holdings	United States of America	OTH 11/2025	1	0	0
Precious Metal Refining Co. Limited	Thailand	OTH 12/2025	1	0	1

Ratnagiri Refinery and Petrochemicals Limited	India	OTH 157/2024	1	0	0
Responsible Jewellery Council	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 13/2025	1	0	1
Saudi Arabian Oil Co.	Saudi Arabia	OTH 158/2024	1	0	0
Taurus Funds Management PTY LTD	Australia	OTH 10/2025	1	0	0

V. Statistics on communications to international organizations

15. During the reporting period from 1 December 2024 to 28 February 2025, the following international organizations received communications from mandate holders. The table below also contains information on replies received from those entities including those who have sent either a substantive reply or an acknowledgement.

<i>International organizations</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
Permanent Delegation of the European Union	Switzerland	OTH 1/2025	1	0	1

VI. Statistics on communications to other entities

16. During the reporting period from 1 December 2024 to 28 February 2025, the following entities received communications from mandate holders. The table below also contains information on replies received from those entities including those who have sent either a substantive reply or an acknowledgement.

<i>Trans-national corporations and other businesses</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
State Administration Council (SAC)	Myanmar	OTH 16/2025	1	0	0

Annex**Mandates of special procedures** (as at 30 April 2025)

<i>Mandate title</i>	<i>Human Rights Council resolution</i>
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan	57/3
Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent	54/26
Independent Expert on the enjoyment of human rights of persons with albinism	55/18
Working Group on Arbitrary Detention	51/8
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Belarus	55/27
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Burundi	57/22
Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises	53/3
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia	54/36
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic	57/35
Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights in the context of climate change	57/31
Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights	55/5
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	55/21
Special Rapporteur on the right to development	51/7
Special Rapporteur on the rights of persons with disabilities	53/14
Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances	54/14
Special Rapporteur on the right to education	53/7
Special Rapporteur on the human right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment	55/2
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea	56/17
Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions	53/4
Special Rapporteur on the right to food	58/10
Independent Expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights	52/17
Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression	52/9
Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	50/17

Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health	51/21
Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context	52/10
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders	52/4
Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers	53/12
Special Rapporteur on the rights of Indigenous Peoples	51/16
Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons	50/6
Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order	54/4
Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity	53/5
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran	55/19
Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy (Hansen's disease) and their family members	53/8
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali	55/25
Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	51/13
Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants	52/20
Special Rapporteur on minority issues	52/5
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar	55/20
Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons	51/4
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967	5/1
Working Group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas	54/9
Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights	53/10
Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy	55/3
Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance	52/36
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