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**ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS**

**Mr. Alfonso Martínez, Mr. Bengoa, Ms. Betten, Mr. Chen, Mr. Decaux,  
Mr. Dos Santos Alves, Mr. Eide, Mr. Guissé, Mr. Kartashkin, Ms. Koufa,  
Ms. Motoc, Ms. O'Connor, Mr. Ogurtsov, Mr. Park, Mr. Preware,  
Ms. Rakotoarisoa, Mr. Sattar, Mr. Sorabjee, Ms. Warzazi, Mr. Weissbrodt,  
Mr. Yimer, Mr. Yokota and Ms. Zerrougui: draft decision**

**2002/... Corruption and its impact on the enjoyment of human rights,  
in particular, economic, social and cultural rights**

The Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, guided by the Charter of the United Nations and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the International Covenants on Human Rights and the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, noting the proposals for topics to be included in the study on poverty contained in the document on poverty and human rights (E/CN.4/Sub.2/2002/15), including the statement that corruption should be condemned and corruptors should face international justice if

they escape national jurisdiction, recalling General Assembly resolutions calling for international cooperation to prevent corruption, recognizing the need to prevent corruption and money-laundering, and deeply concerned at corruption and its impact on the full enjoyment of human rights, decided to entrust Ms. Christy Mbonu with the task of preparing without financial implications, a working paper on the impact of corruption on the realization and enjoyment of economic, social and cultural rights for submission to the Sub-Commission at its fifty-fifth session.

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