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人权机制的有效运作

2003 年 3 月 17 日克罗地亚常驻联合国日内瓦办事处代表团
致联合国人权事务高级专员办事处的普通照会

克罗地亚共和国常驻联合国日内瓦办事处代表团向联合国人权事务高级专员办事处致意，并谨转递克罗地亚副总理 Ante Simonic 博士教授致人权事务高级专员塞尔希奥·德梅洛先生的信，该信忆及克罗地亚共和国向人权委员会专题机制发出长期邀请。克罗地亚共和国这样做即加入了其他已经发出长期邀请的国家行列，同时表明克罗地亚对所有专题机制开放，以及承诺在联合国系统内致力增进和保护人权。

克罗地亚共和国常驻代表团谨请人权委员会秘书处安排将本信 * 作为人权委员会第五十九届会议议程项目 18 下的正式文件分发给委员会成员，不胜感谢。

* 附件不译，原文照发。

Annex



**VLADA REPUBLIKE HRVATSKE
POTPREDSJEDNIK**

Zagreb, 13 March 2003

**H.E. Sergio VIEIRA DE MELLO
High Commissioner for Human Rights
UNITED NATIONS
GENEVA**

Your Excellency,

Having in mind the importance of the promotion and protection of human rights at the universal level, achievement of their full respect and recognising the interdependence and interrelation of all universally recognised human rights, the Republic of Croatia, as a member of the Commission on Human Rights, remains committed to pursue actively its policy towards the achievement of these noble goals.

In this context, the Republic of Croatia fully supports further strengthening of thematic procedures of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights, considering these procedures as an important mechanism for the concrete and tangible development of human rights protection throughout the world.

For all these reasons, the Republic of Croatia decided to extend the open invitation to all thematic mechanisms of the Commission on Human Rights to visit Croatia at any time they deem appropriate. This invitation will, in our view, contribute to the deepening of the existing dialogue with the UN system, being at the same time complementary to already existing policies and activities at the national level.

Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration

Dr. Anle Simonić


Deputy Prime Minister