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Mr. Alfredsson, Mr. Bengoa, Mr. Bíró, Mr. Bossuyt, Mr. Chen, Mr. Cherif, Ms. Chung, Mr. Decaux, Mr. Dos Santos, Ms. Hampson, Mr. Kartashkin, Ms. Koufa, Ms. Mbonu, Ms. Motoc, Ms. O'Connor, Mr. Pinheiro, Ms. Rakotoarisoa, Mr. Salama, Mr. Sattar, Mr. Tuñón Veilles, Ms. Warzazi and Mr. Yokota: draft resolution

2004/... The universal implementation of international human rights treaties

The Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights,

Recalling its resolution 2003/25 of 14 August 2003,

Taking note of Commission on Human Rights decision 2004/123 of 21 April 2004, by which the Commission approved the decision of the Sub-Commission to appoint Mr. Emmanuel Decaux special rapporteur to conduct a detailed study of the universal implementation of international human rights treaties based on his working paper (E/CN.4/Sub.2/2003/37),

Also taking note of the preliminary report submitted by Mr. Decaux (E/CN.2/Sub.2/2004/8),

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- 1. *Thanks* the Special Rapporteur, Mr. Emmanuel Decaux, for the preliminary report he has prepared;
- 2. Requests the Secretary-General to provide the Special Rapporteur with the necessary assistance to enable him to carry out his mandate, particularly in his contacts with States, national institutions for the protection and promotion of human rights, international governmental and non-governmental organizations, by enabling him to send them a questionnaire at the appropriate time to help in the preparation of his interim report;
- 3. *Requests* the Special Rapporteur to submit an interim report to the Sub-Commission at its fifty-seventh session.
