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Fundamental standards of humanity

Note by the Secretariat

- 1. The Human Rights Council, by its decision 2/102 of 6 October 2006, requested the Secretary-General to "continue with the fulfilment of his activities, in accordance with all previous decisions adopted by the Commission on Human Rights and to update the relevant reports and studies".
- 2. On the current issue, a comprehensive biannual report (E/CN.4/2006/87) was submitted to the sixty-second session of the Commission on Human Rights pursuant to its decision 2004/118.
- 3. The Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights understands decision 2/102 as preserving the previous reporting cycle of once every two years in respect of this issue until otherwise decided by the Council. Accordingly, OHCHR will submit a biannual report on the present issue at the March-April 2008 session of the Human Rights Council, unless otherwise decided by the Council.
