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Report of the Human Rights Council

**Botswana:\* draft resolution**

## Report of the Human Rights Council

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolutions [60/251](#) of 15 March 2006, by which it established the Human Rights Council, and [65/281](#) of 17 June 2011 on the review of the Council,

*Recalling also* its resolutions [62/219](#) of 22 December 2007, [63/160](#) of 18 December 2008, [64/143](#) of 18 December 2009, [65/195](#) of 21 December 2010, [66/136](#) of 19 December 2011, [67/151](#) of 20 December 2012, [68/144](#) of 18 December 2013, [69/155](#) of 18 December 2014 and [70/136](#) of 17 December 2015,

*Having considered* the recommendations contained in the report of the Human Rights Council,<sup>1,2</sup>

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Human Rights Council,<sup>1</sup> including the addenda thereto,<sup>2</sup> and its recommendations;

2. *Decides* to defer consideration of and action on Human Rights Council resolution 32/2 of 30 June 2016<sup>3</sup> on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity, in order to allow time for further consultations to determine the legal basis upon which the mandate of the special procedure established therein will be defined.

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\* On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of African States.

<sup>1</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Seventy-first Session, Supplement No. 53 (A/71/53).*

<sup>2</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 53 (A/71/53/Add.1 and Add.2).

<sup>3</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Seventy-first Session, Supplement No. 53 (A/71/53)*, chap. V, sect. A.

