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Abbreviations:

DDPA: Durban Declaration and Programme of Action
High Commissioner: United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
HRC, Council: Human Rights Council
IHL: International Humanitarian Law
GA, Assembly: General Assembly
NHRIs: National Human Rights Institutions

NGOs: Non-governmental organizations
OHCHR, the Office: United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
OIC: Organization of Islamic Cooperation
PBIs: Project Budget Implications
UN: United Nations

Draft Text	Main Sponsors	Text of the Draft	Action on the Draft
Item 1 – Organizational and procedural matters			
A/HRC/51/L.26 Statement by the President	<i>Submitted by:</i> President of the Human Rights Council	The Human Rights Council (HRC), [...], takes note of the reports of the Advisory Committee on its 27 th and 28 th sessions, and notes that the Advisory Committee has made four research proposals.	Introduced by: President of the Human Rights Council General Comments: None Programme Budget Implications (PBIs): None Adopted without a vote. <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (01min06sec)</i>
A/HRC/51/L.37 Draft decision on appropriate support to the Human Rights Council	<i>Submitted by:</i> President of the Human Rights Council	Taking into account the heavy and increasing volume of work of the HRC and the need to give adequate consideration to all items in its annual programme of work in the most cost-efficient manner possible, 1. Requests the Secretary-General to provide the HRC with the support necessary to be able to meet not less than 14 weeks to fulfil its annual programme of work; 2. Decides to continue to make every effort to organize its work in the most efficient manner.	Introduced by: President of the Human Rights Council General Comments: China PBIs: Yes (1,321,300 USD for 2023 and 1,749,600 USD for 2024 and onwards) Adopted without a vote. <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (04min30sec)</i>

Item 2 – Annual report of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and reports of the Office of the High Commissioner and the Secretary-General			
A/HRC/51/L.1/Rev.1 Promoting reconciliation, accountability and human rights in Sri Lanka	<i>Submitted by:</i> United Kingdom, Canada, * Germany, Malawi, Montenegro, North Macedonia, * United States <i>Co-sponsors</i> ¹ : Albania, * ² Australia, * Austria, * Belgium, * Bosnia and Herzegovina, * Bulgaria, * Canada, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, * Denmark, * Estonia, * Finland, Germany, Greece, * Iceland, * Ireland, * Italy, * Latvia, * Liechtenstein, * Lithuania,	Recognizes the importance of preserving and analysing evidence relating to violations and abuses of human rights and related crimes in Sri Lanka with a view to advancing accountability, and decides to extend and reinforce the capacity of the Office to collect, consolidate, analyse and preserve information and evidence and to develop possible strategies for future accountability processes for gross violations of human rights or serious violations of IHL in Sri Lanka, to advocate for victims and survivors, and to support relevant judicial and other proceedings, including in Member States, with competent jurisdiction; [...];	Introduced by: United Kingdom <i>3 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: France Concerned Country: Sri Lanka* (<i>categorically rejects the draft resolution, particularly OP8</i>) Programme Budget Implications (PBIs): Yes (6,092,300 USD) Explanations of votes before the vote: Pakistan (<i>called for a vote</i>), Brazil, Japan, China, India, Republic of Korea, Venezuela Adopted with 20 in favor.

¹ Here and later, the Co-sponsors are noted as listed in the draft text

² Here and later marked by an asterisk (*) the State that is not a member of the Human Rights Council

	<p><i>Luxembourg, Malawi, Malta,* Montenegro,* Netherlands, New Zealand,* North Macedonia,* Norway,* Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (United Kingdom), United States of America (United States)</i></p>	<p>Requests the Office to enhance its monitoring and reporting on the situation of human rights in Sri Lanka, including on progress in reconciliation and accountability, and on the impact of the economic crisis and corruption on human rights, and to present an oral update to the HRC at its 53rd and 55th sessions, and a written update at its 54th session and a comprehensive report that includes further options for advancing accountability at its 57th session, both to be discussed in the context of an interactive dialogue.</p>	<p>For: 20 Argentina, Armenia, Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Honduras, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Against: 7 Bolivia, China, Cuba, Eritrea, Pakistan, Uzbekistan, Venezuela</p> <p>Abstained: 20 Benin, Brazil, Cameroon, Côte d’Ivoire, Gabon, Gambia, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates</p> <p>Voting history: 22-11-14 (HRC46)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (29min06sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.6 Human rights situation in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous region, China</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: United States, Canada,* Denmark,* Finland, Iceland,* Norway,* Sweden,* United Kingdom</i></p> <p><i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Canada,* Czechia, Denmark,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Iceland,* Ireland,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Netherlands, New Zealand,* Norway,* Slovakia,* Sweden,* Türkiye,* United Kingdom, United States</i></p>	<p>Taking note with interest of the OHCHR assessment of human rights concerns in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region, China, published on 31 August 2022, Decides to hold a debate on the situation of human rights in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region at its 52nd session under agenda item 2.</p>	<p>Introduced by: United States, Norway* <i>10 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: China (<i>categorically rejects the draft decision</i>) (<i>requests for a vote</i>), France, Eritrea, Finland, Qatar, Japan, United Kingdom</p> <p>Programme Budget Implications (PBIs): None</p> <p>Explanations of votes before the vote: Cuba, Luxembourg, Bolivia, Indonesia, Pakistan, Venezuela, Netherlands, Mexico</p> <p>Rejected with 19 votes against.</p>

			<p>For: 17 Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Honduras, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Somalia, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Against: 19 Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Qatar, Senegal, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Venezuela</p> <p>Abstained: 11 Argentina, Armenia, Benin, Brazil, Gambia, India, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mexico, Ukraine</p> <p>Voting history: New Initiative</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (51min18sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.27 Situation of human rights in Afghanistan (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Czechia (on behalf of the European Union) <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Andorra,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia,* Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Israel,* Italy,* Latvia,* Lithuania,* Luxembourg, Malta,* Marshall Islands, Monaco,* Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand,* North Macedonia,* Norway,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p>	<p>Decides to extend the mandate of the Special Rapporteur (SR) on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan for a period of one year, and to include in his mandate a child's rights perspective and the responsibility to document and preserve information relating to human rights violations and abuses, and to present a report to the HRC at its 52nd session, to provide an oral update at its 54th session, and to present a report to the General Assembly (GA) at its 78th session, [...];</p> <p>Requests the SR on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan and the Working Group (WG) on discrimination against women and girls, with the support of other relevant special procedure mandate holders, to prepare a report on the situation of women and girls in Afghanistan, and to present it to the HRC at its 53rd session, to be followed by an enhanced interactive dialogue (EID);</p> <p>Decides that, [...], the mandate holder shall continue to benefit from additional dedicated and specific resources</p>	<p>Introduced by: Czechia (on behalf of the EU³)</p> <p>Oral revisions: PP6, PP33, OP12bis.</p> <p>Amendments (presented by China). A/HRC/51/L.49: Insert a new paragraph after PP4 "Reaffirming the importance of bearing in mind national and regional particularities and various historical, cultural and religious backgrounds, while stressing that all States, regardless of their political, economic and cultural systems, have the duty to promote and protect all human rights and fundamental freedoms,"</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.50: In PP6: "For crimes involving violations and abuses of international human rights law <u>read</u> crimes involving current and past violations and abuses of international human rights law"</p>

³ Here and later, "on behalf of the EU member states that are members of the UN Human Rights Council. The statement has been agreed by the EU as a whole"

		<p>and expertise to be provided by the Office, in particular in the areas of fact-finding, legal analysis, forensics, the human rights of women and girls and of persons belonging to minorities, the right to education, torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, and additional resources for children’s rights, translation, documentation, information- and evidence-gathering and -preservation; [...];</p> <p>Requests the OHCHR to provide the SR with the assistance and resources necessary for the effective fulfilment of the mandate;</p> <p>Requests the UN High Commissioner to end reporting on the implementation of Council decision 2/113 of 27 November 2006 and Council resolution 14/15 of 18 June 2010, and requests the OHCHR to enhance its monitoring and reporting on the overall situation of human rights in Afghanistan, and to update the Council thereon on an intersessional basis, as deemed necessary, and to present, under agenda item 2, a comprehensive report, including an analysis and recommendations on the institutional protection of human rights, to the Council at its 54th session, to be followed by an interactive dialogue;</p> <p>Urges all relevant special procedure mandate holders and invites treaty bodies to closely monitor and reflect on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan within the scope of their respective mandates;</p> <p>Decides to remain seized of the matter.</p>	<p>A/HRC/51/L.51: PP6 should read “Expresses deep concern at the lack of accountability for the current and past human rights violations and abuses and violations of international humanitarian law committed in Afghanistan;”</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.52: Insert new paragraph after PP12 reading “Reiterates the need to address the profound challenges facing the economy of Afghanistan, including through efforts to provide technical assistance and capacity-building to Afghanistan with its consent;”</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.53: Insert new paragraph after PP14 reading “Calls for relevant States to reverse the decision to freeze Afghanistan Central Bank assets so as to ease the economic crisis in Afghanistan and reduce threats to the human rights of the Afghan people, and urges the States that caused the current difficult situation in Afghanistan to take due responsibility for reconstruction of the country;”</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.54: PP24 should read “Requests the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to end the reporting on the implementation of Human Rights Council decision 2/113 of 27 November 2006 and resolution 14/15 of 18 June 2010;”</p> <p>Czechia: the main sponsors reject the proposed amendments and call for a vote on each of them.</p> <p>Voting on Amendments:</p> <p>L.49: Explanation of vote before the vote: None. Rejected: 22 against, 10 in favor, 13 abstentions.</p> <p>L.50: Explanation of vote before the vote: None. Rejected: 21 against, 7 in favor, 17 abstentions.</p> <p>L.51: Explanation of vote before the vote: None. Rejected: 20 against, 8 in favor, 17 abstentions.</p>
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<p align="center">Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 2)</p>			

- **Ukraine:** on L.6, the records to reflect in favor of the decision.
- **Argentina:** on L.6
- **United Kingdom:** on L.6
- **Malaysia:** on L.6
- **China:** on L.6

Link to the meeting on [UN WebTV](#) (15min42sec)

Item 3 – Promotion and protection of all human rights, civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights, including the right to development

<p>A/HRC/51/L.2 World Programme for Human Rights Education</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Slovenia,* Brazil, Costa Rica,* Italy,* Morocco,* Philippines, Senegal, Thailand* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Armenia, Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Brazil, Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Georgia,* Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Iraq,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Mexico, Monaco,* Montenegro, Morocco,* Netherlands, Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Philippines,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Senegal, Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Thailand,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United States, Uruguay*</p>	<p>Encourages States and all other stakeholders to strengthen efforts to advance the implementation of all phases of the World Programme for Human Rights Education, at all levels; Also encourages States to establish monitoring and evaluation mechanisms to review efforts, and to ensure that human rights education content and methodologies remain relevant to the experiences and challenges faced by youth, and that women benefit from the World Programme on an equal footing; [...]; Requests the OHCHR to seek the views of States, relevant intergovernmental organizations, in particular the UNESCO, the Office of the Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth, the UN Youth Office, the special procedures of the HRC, NHRIs, national mechanisms for implementation, reporting and follow-up, civil society, including NGOs, and other relevant stakeholders in the target sectors, [...], and to submit a report thereon to the HRC at its 54th session; Decides to consider this issue at its 54th session in accordance with its programme of work.</p>	<p>Introduced by: Slovenia* <i>12 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: None PBIs: Yes (73,800 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> </div> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (04min12sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.3 Neurotechnology and human rights</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Greece,* Chile,* Singapore* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Andorra,* Armenia, Austria, Chile,* Costa Rica,* Cyprus,* Czechia,* Ecuador,*</p>	<p>Requests the Advisory Committee of the HRC to prepare a study [...], on the impact, opportunities and challenges of neurotechnology with regard to the promotion and protection of all human rights, including recommendations on how human rights opportunities,</p>	<p>Introduced by: Greece* <i>15 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: None PBIs: Yes (6,400 USD)</p>

	<i>Egypt,* Estonia,* France, Greece,* Luxembourg, Malta,* Monaco,* Montenegro, Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Singapore,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Switzerland,*Uruguay*</i>	challenges and gaps arising from neurotechnology could be addressed by the Council and its special procedures and subsidiary [...], and to present the study to the Council at its 57th session ; Also requests the Advisory Committee, when preparing the above-mentioned study, to seek the views and inputs from, and to take into account the relevant work already done by, [...], relevant stakeholders; [...].	Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. Voting history: New Initiative <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (4min18sec)</i>
A/HRC/51/L.4 The human rights of older persons	<i>Submitted by: Argentina, Brazil, Slovenia*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Armenia, Australia,* Austria,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Brazil, Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Ecuador,* Georgia,* Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Israel,* Italy,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Marshall Islands, Mexico, Montenegro, Namibia, North Macedonia,*Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,* Singapore,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i>	Decides to extend the mandate of the Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons for a period of three years according to the terms set out by the Council in its resolution 33/5; [...]; Requests the Independent Expert to report regularly to the HRC and the GA in accordance with their respective programmes of work; [...]; Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the reports of the Independent Expert are brought to the attention of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing , in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3 of GA resolution 67/139 of 20 December 2012, and to the Assembly; Requests the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner to provide the Independent Expert with all the human, technical and financial resources necessary for the effective fulfilment of the mandate;	Introduced by: Argentina <i>18 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Mexico, Montenegro, Bolivia, Lithuania PBIs: Yes (2,370,600 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. Voting history: Consensus (HRC48) <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (10min24sec)</i>
A/HRC/51/L.5 The right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health	<i>Submitted by: Brazil</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Australia,* Brazil, Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Germany, Iceland,* Iraq,* Israel,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway,* Paraguay,</i>	Decides to extend the mandate of the SR on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health, as established by the HRC in paragraph 1 of its resolution 6/29, for a further period of three years ; [...]; Requests the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner to continue to provide all the resources necessary for the effective fulfilment of the mandate of the SR, including in the achievement of the health-related Sustainable	Introduced by: Brazil <i>31 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: None PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. Voting history: Consensus (HRC50 and HRC42) <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (3min12sec)</i>

	<i>Peru,* Portugal,* Romania,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i>	Development Goals and targets, challenged by the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic; Requests the SR to submit an annual report to the HRC and to the GA covering all activities relating to the mandate, with a view to maximizing the benefits of the reporting process; [...].	
A/HRC/51/L.7 The role of good governance in the promotion and protection of human rights	<i>Submitted by: Poland,* Australia,* Chile,* Republic of Korea, South Africa*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Armenia, Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, Georgia,* Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta,* Marshall Islands, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand,* Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Poland, Portugal,* Republic of Korea, Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* South Africa,* Spain,* Sweden,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i>	Requests the High Commissioner: (a) To organize, before the 54th session of the HRC, a full-day panel discussion [...], on good governance in the promotion and protection of human rights, with a view to discussing the most efficient ways of using good governance to address the human rights impact of the various digital divides; (b) To liaise with States, relevant UN agencies, funds and programmes, the treaty bodies, the special procedures of the HRC and regional human rights mechanisms, as well as with representatives of civil society, including NGOs and NHRIs, with a view to ensuring their contribution to the above-mentioned panel discussion; (c) To prepare a report on the panel discussion, [...], and to present it to the Council at its 55th session ; Requests the Secretary-General to provide the above-mentioned panel discussion with all the resources necessary for services and facilities; [...].	Introduced by: Poland* <i>15 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Malaysia, Mexico, Ukraine, Netherlands, India PBIs: Yes (168,700 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. Voting history: Consensus (HRC45) <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (14min24sec)</i>
A/HRC/51/L.8 Conscientious objection to military service (as orally revised)	<i>Submitted by: Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Poland*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Andorra,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Estonia,* France, Germany,</i>	Requests the Office to organize a half-day intersessional workshop , [...], on good practices and recent developments in the implementation of the right to conscientious objection to military service in law and in practice , to inform the preparation of a report, in consultation with all States and relevant intergovernmental organizations, UN agencies, funds and programmes, the special procedures of the HRC, the treaty bodies, NHRIs and NGOs, with recommendations	Introduced by: Croatia* Oral revisions: <i>Changes in OP1, OP4, OP5.</i> <i>11 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: None PBIs: Yes (1,34,200 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: United States

	<p><i>Hungary,* Ireland,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Peru,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* San Marino,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i></p>	<p>on legal and policy frameworks to uphold human rights in the context of conscientious objection to military service in accordance with States' obligations under IHRL and applicable international human rights standards, and to present the report [...], to the HRC at its 56th session; [...].</p>	<p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC36)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (6min42sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.9 The right to development</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: Azerbaijan* (on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries (NAM))</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Azerbaijan* (on behalf of the NAM)</i></p>	<p>Requests the High Commissioner to continue to submit to the HRC an annual report on the activities of the Office, [...], and to provide an analysis, taking into account existing challenges to the realization of the right to development, and to make recommendations on how to overcome them and concrete proposals for supporting the WG on the Right to Development in fulfilling its mandate;</p> <p>Also requests the High Commissioner to [...] enhance support for the promotion and protection of the right to development, [...];</p> <p>Requests the High Commissioner to facilitate the participation of relevant experts in the meetings of the Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development [...];</p> <p>Requests the High Commissioner to engage experts for their continued provision of necessary advice, input and expertise to the Chair-Rapporteur of the WG in the [...] preparation of the second revised draft of the convention on the right to development, to facilitate the participation of the experts in the 24th session of the WG and to provide advice [...]; [...];</p> <p>Decides to extend for a period of three years the mandate of SR on the right to development, [...];</p> <p>Requests the Special Rapporteur and members of the Expert Mechanism to participate in relevant international dialogues and policy forums [...] with a view to enhancing the integration of the right to development in these forums and dialogues, [...]; [...];</p>	<p>Introduced by: Azerbaijan* (<i>on behalf of the NAM</i>) <i>1 additional co-sponsor</i></p> <p>General Comments: India, United Kingdom (<i>requested for a vote</i>), Mexico, China, Argentina, Armenia (<i>disassociates from PP9</i>)</p> <p>Country Concerned:</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (231,800 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: Czechia (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>)</p> <p>Adopted with 29 votes in favor.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>For: 29 Argentina, Benin, Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Paraguay, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Venezuela</p> <p>Against: 13 Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, Poland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Abstained: 5 Armenia, Brazil, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Republic of Korea</p> </div> <p>Voting history: 29-13-5 (HRC48)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (21min18sec)</i></p>

		<p>Decides to review the progress of the implementation of the present resolution, as a matter of priority, at its future sessions.</p>	
<p>A/HRC/51/L.12 Arbitrary detention</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: France</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Monaco,* Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway,* Peru,* Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i></p>	<p>Decides to extend the mandate of the Working Group for a further period of three years, [...];</p> <p>Notes that the Working Group has been receiving an increasing number of submissions concerning allegations of arbitrary detention, and requests the WG to reduce and address the backlog of submissions, and continue to process all new cases in a timely and efficient manner so as to avoid future backlogs;</p> <p>Notes with concern that, according to the WG, despite the adoption of a streamlined review process, it continues to have insufficient resources to exercise its mandate effectively, particularly in relation to human resources, of which there is an acute need, and requests the Secretary-General to provide the WG with all the assistance necessary for it to be able to effectively and sustainably fulfil its mandate, in particular by putting sufficient, assured and predictable human resources at its disposal; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: France</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Amendments: (presented by the Russian Federation*)</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.43: PP3 should read “Further recognizes the importance of legal assistance that is prompt and effective, and the importance that detainee registers have in preventing instances of arbitrary deprivation of liberty”</p> <p>A/HRC/51/L.44: PP8c “For the right to legal assistance read the enjoyment of legal assistance”</p> <p>France: the main sponsors reject the proposed amendments and calls for a vote.</p> <p>Voting on Amendments:</p> <p>L.43: Explanation of vote before the vote: Argentina, Lithuania. Rejected: 27 against, 3 in favor, 14 abstentions.</p> <p>L.44: Explanation of vote before the vote: Mexico, Finland. Rejected: 26 against, 1 in favor, 17 abstentions.</p> </div> <p>14 additional co-sponsors</p> <p>General Comments: Mexico, Lithuania, Ukraine, Armenia</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (3,087,000 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: China (will not participate in the consensus)</p> <p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;">Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (26min42sec)</p>

<p>A/HRC/51/L.14 The safety of journalists (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Austria, Brazil, France, Greece, Morocco, Qatar, Tunisia</p> <p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania, * Andorra, * Argentina, Armenia, Australia, * Austria, * Belgium, * Bosnia and Herzegovina, * Brazil, Bulgaria, * Canada, * Chile, * Costa Rica, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, Denmark, * Ecuador, * Estonia, * Finland, France, Georgia, * Germany, Greece, * Hungary, * Iceland, * Ireland, * Italy, * Latvia, * Liechtenstein, * Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, * Mexico, Monaco, * Montenegro, Morocco, * Netherlands, Norway, * Paraguay, Peru, * Poland, Portugal, * Qatar, Romania, * San Marino, * Slovakia, * Slovenia, * Spain, * Sweden, * Switzerland, * Tunisia, * Ukraine, Uruguay*</p>	<p>Requests the High Commissioner to organize, before the 54th session of the HRC, a one-day expert seminar on legal and economic threats to the safety of journalists, in consultation with all relevant stakeholders, and to prepare a summary report thereon, and to submit it to the Council at its 55th session;</p> <p>Decides to continue its consideration of the safety of journalists in accordance with its programme of work.</p>	<p>Introduced by: Austria*</p> <p><i>Oral revisions:</i> PP5, PP7, PP23, OP11b, OP11d, OP11i, OP11r, OP12, OP16.</p> <p>Amendments from L.55 to L.60 have been withdrawn.</p> <p><i>12 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: Japan, Indonesia, United Kingdom, Lithuania, Republic of Korea, Ukraine</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (169,300 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: United States</p> <p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (18min54sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.17 Countering cyberbullying</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Israel, * Argentina, Germany, Greece*</p> <p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania, * Argentina, Australia, * Austria, * Belgium, * Brazil, Bulgaria, * Chile, * Costa Rica, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, Denmark, * Ecuador, * Estonia, * Finland, France, Germany, Greece, * Hungary, * Ireland, * Israel, * Italy, * Latvia, * Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, * Mexico, Monaco, * Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, * Portugal, * Romania, * Slovakia, *</p>	<p>Decides to convene a panel discussion on cyberbullying against children at its 54th session, inviting States, civil society organizations, including children’s organizations, UN agencies, the private sector, academia and other relevant stakeholders, ensuring participation of children themselves, to address the implementation of the obligations of States under relevant provisions of IHRL and to discuss challenges and best practices [...];</p> <p>Requests the OHCHR to prepare a written report, [...], on countering cyberbullying against persons with disabilities, identifying recent trends and challenges, as well as applicable human rights principles, safeguards and best practices, and to present the report to the HRC at its 56th session;</p>	<p>Introduced by: Israel, * Germany</p> <p>Amendment L.62 has been withdrawn.</p> <p><i>22 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: Mexico, France, Ukraine, Czechia (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>), Paraguay, Finland</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (154,000 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: None</p> <p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: New initiative</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (18min24sec)</i></p>

	<i>Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i>	Also requests the OHCHR, when preparing the abovementioned report, to consider the outcomes of the panel discussion and to closely cooperate with all relevant stakeholders, [...], in particular persons with disabilities and their representative organizations [...]; [...].	
A/HRC/51/L.20 Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order	<i>Submitted by: Cuba</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Bolivia, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea,* Egypt,* Namibia, Nicaragua,* Pakistan, Venezuela</i>	Requests the High Commissioner for to continue to provide all the human and financial resources necessary for the effective fulfilment of the mandate by the Independent Expert (IE); Invites the IE, [...], to study and compile good practices and experiences in the field of South-South, North-South and triangular cooperation in the context of their contribution to overcoming global challenges and the achievement of a democratic and equitable international order, in close cooperation with relevant UN entities, academia, think tanks and research institutes, particularly the South Centre , and other relevant stakeholders from all regions; Requests the human rights treaty bodies, the OHCHR, the special mechanisms of the HRC and the HRC Advisory Committee to pay due attention, [...], to the present resolution and to make contributions to its implementation; Requests the IE to continue to report on the implementation of the present resolution to the HRC and the GA, in accordance with their programmes of work; [...].	Introduced by: Cuba <i>9 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: China PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: Czechia <i>(on behalf of the EU)</i> <i>(called for a vote)</i> Adopted with 29 votes in favor. For: 29 Argentina, Benin, Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Paraguay, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Venezuela Against: 14 Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States Abstained: 4 Armenia, Brazil, Marshall Islands, Mexico
A/HRC/51/L.21 Local government and human rights	<i>Submitted by: Republic of Korea, Chile*, Egypt,* Romania*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Armenia, Australia,* Austria,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Croatia,*</i>	Requests the OHCHR to convene a one-day expert meeting , [...], prior to the 54th session of the HRC, on enhancing capacity-building for local governments to incorporate human rights into all their work, as a basis for developing guidance tools on human rights education for	Introduced by: Republic of Korea <i>23 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Paraguay, Poland, United States PBIs: Yes (217,600 USD)

	<p><i>Ecuador,* Egypt,* Fiji,* Greece,* Hungary,* Ireland,* Italy,* Luxembourg, Malta,* Montenegro, Paraguay, Peru,* Poland, Portugal,* Republic of Korea, Romania,* Ukraine, United States, Uruguay*</i></p>	<p>local governments, and to submit a report thereon, [...], to the Council at its 56th session; Also requests the Office, when preparing the abovementioned expert meeting and report, to seek input from experts from diverse geographic regions, [...]; Invites the OHCHR to continue to support local governments, upon request, in discharging their human rights responsibilities, [...]; [...].</p>	<p>Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (09min18sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.22 Mandate of the Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: Cuba</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Bolivia, Chile,* Cuba, DPRK,* Egypt,* Namibia, Nicaragua,* Pakistan, Venezuela</i></p>	<p>Decides to extend for a period of three years the mandate of the WG on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination, [...]; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: Cuba <i>7 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: None PBIs: Yes (2,700,000 USD, long-term) Explanation of vote before the vote: United States (<i>calls for a vote</i>), China, Czechia (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>), France Adopted with 28 in favor.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>For: 28 Argentina, Armenia, Benin, Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Côte d’Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Paraguay, Qatar, Senegal, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Venezuela</p> <p>Against: 15 Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Montenegro, Netherlands, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Abstained: 4 Brazil, Kazakhstan, Mexico, Somalia</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: 29-14-4 (HRC42)</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (10min18sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.25 The human rights implications of new and</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: Panama,* Austria*</i></p>	<p>Requests the HRC Advisory Committee to prepare a study examining the human rights implications of new and emerging technologies in the military domain, while</p>	<p>Introduced by: Panama,* Austria*</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Oral revisions: <i>PP6, PP7, PP8, PP11, PP13</i></p> </div>

<p>emerging technologies in the military domain (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Austria,* Costa Rica,* Ecuador,* Panama,* Peru,* Uruguay*</p>	<p>taking into account ongoing discussions within the UN system, and to present the study to the Council at its 60th session; [...].</p>	<p>Amendments L.45, L.46 and L.47 have been withdrawn (<i>the Russian Federation* distances itself from the draft resolution</i>). 31 additional co-sponsors General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: Mexico, India, Paraguay, Pakistan, France (<i>will abstain</i>), Republic of Korea, United Kingdom (<i>joins consensus</i>), Poland, United States (<i>joins consensus</i>) PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (33min00sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.29 The role of prevention in the promotion and protection of human rights: rule of law and accountability (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Ukraine, Australia,* Hungary,* Maldives,* Morocco,* Poland, Uruguay* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Argentina, Australia,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Fiji,* Finland, France, Georgia,*Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Maldives,* Malta,* Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco,* Netherlands, Norway,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</p>	<p>Requests the OHCHR to prepare a study on the role of the rule of law and accountability on the national and international levels in the prevention of human rights violations and abuses, and to present it to the HRC at its 57th session; Encourages the OHCHR to continue to gather information and research for further preparation of a practical toolkit to support States and other stakeholders in the practical application of prevention in the promotion and protection of human rights; Decides to continue its consideration of the matter under the same agenda item, in conformity with its annual programme of work.</p>	<p>Introduced by: Ukraine 14 additional co-sponsors General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: Cuba, India, Venezuela, Paraguay, Lithuania, China PBIs: Yes (73,800 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (16min24sec)</i></p>

<p>A/HRC/51/L.30 Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery, including its causes and consequences</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> United Kingdom, Australia* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Andorra,* Australia,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Cyprus,* Denmark,* Ecuador,* Fiji,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Israel,* Liechtenstein,* Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway,* Peru,* Portugal,* Slovenia,* Sweden,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p>	<p>Renews the mandate of the SR on contemporary forms of slavery, including its causes and consequences, for a period of three years; Decides that the SR shall continue to examine and report on all contemporary forms of slavery and slavery-like practices [...]; [...]; Requests the SR, in carrying out the mandate, to continue: (a) To give careful consideration to specific issues within the scope of the mandate and to include examples of effective practices and relevant recommendations; (b) To take account of the gender and age dimensions of contemporary forms of slavery; (c) To participate in relevant international dialogues and policy forums related to the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, particularly the implementation of Goal 8, and to advise States, intergovernmental organizations, civil society and other stakeholders [...], and to undertake thematic research on the effective implementation of Goal 8, with a particular focus on target 8.7; [...]; Requests the SR to submit reports on the implementation of the mandate to the HRC and the GA in accordance with their annual programmes of work.</p>	<p>Introduced by: United Kingdom <i>26 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: China PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> </div> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (05min41sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.31 Human rights and Indigenous Peoples: mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the rights of Indigenous Peoples</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Mexico, Guatemala* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Argentina, Australia,* Belgium,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Cyprus,* Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Fiji,* Finland, Germany, Greece,* Guatemala,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, New Zealand,* Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United States</p>	<p>Decides to renew the mandate of SR on the rights of Indigenous Peoples for a period of three years: [...]; To submit a report on the implementation of the mandate to the HRC and to the GA in accordance with their annual programme of work; Requests the SR to participate, upon invitation, in relevant international dialogues and policy forums on the rights of Indigenous Peoples and related issues, including on the consequences that climate change has for Indigenous Peoples, to undertake thematic research and to develop cooperative dialogue with States, intergovernmental organizations, civil society and other stakeholders on effective and sustainable practices and possible solutions; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: Mexico, Guatemala* <i>16 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Bolivia, Indonesia PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> </div> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (07min07sec)</i></p>

<p>A/HRC/51/L.32/Rev.1 Youth and human rights</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Côte d'Ivoire, Egypt,* France, Greece,* Italy,* Morocco,* Philippines,* Portugal,* Republic of Moldova,* Tunisia,* Uzbekistan, El Salvador* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Armenia, Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Cameroon, Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia,* Cyprus,* Ecuador,* Egypt,* El Salvador,* France, Georgia,* Greece,* Iraq,* Italy,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Monaco,* Montenegro, Morocco,* Namibia, Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Philippines,* Portugal,* Republic of Moldova,* Romania,* Slovenia,* Thailand,* Tunisia,* United States, Uzbekistan</p>	<p>Decides to incorporate into its programme of work a biennial panel discussion, fully accessible to persons with disabilities, which will be held during the September session of the Council as of its 54th session, and requests the OHCHR to organize the panel discussion following consultations with young people, youth and youth led organizations and to prepare a summary report on the panel discussion for consideration at the subsequent session; Also decides that the theme of the panel discussion to be held during the 54th session will be young people's engagement with climate change and global environmental decision-making processes; Requests the High Commissioner, in consultation with States and relevant stakeholders, including relevant UN agencies, the treaty bodies, the special procedures of the HRC, NHRIs, civil society and representatives of youth organizations, to conduct a detailed study on the solutions to promote digital education for young people and to ensure their protection from online threats, and to submit the study to the Council for consideration prior to its 57th session; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: El Salvador <i>15 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Paraguay PBIs: Yes (276,100 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC41)</p> </div> <p>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (06min12sec)</p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.33 Human rights and transitional justice (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Switzerland,* Argentina, Morocco* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Andorra,* Argentina, Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco,* Netherlands, Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,* Romania,*</p>	<p>Recognizes that young people, as the purveyors of historical memory, are critical stakeholders and have an invaluable role to play in the design and implementation of transitional justice mechanisms with a view to the non-recurrence of violations and conflict; [...]; Requests the OHCHR to prepare a report on lessons learned and good practices of transitional justice in the context of sustaining peace and of sustainable development, notably SDG16, informed by prior regional meetings, and to present it to the HRC at its 58th session during an EID; Also requests the OHCHR, in preparing the above-mentioned regional meetings and report, to consult with</p>	<p>Introduced by: Morocco,* Switzerland*</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Oral revisions: Changes in PP14, PP20, PP27, PP28, OP5b, OP6c, OP6d, OP6h, OP9, OP11.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Amendments: A/HRC/51/L.64 (presented by the Russian Federation*): In PP20 “<i>For the role of the International Criminal Court read the role of relevant international judicial institutions</i>” A/HRC/51/L.66 (presented by the Russian Federation*): Changes in PP12, PP15, PP25, OP6a, OP6b, OP6d, and OP6h. Germany: the main sponsors reject the proposed amendment and call for a vote. Voting on Amendment:</p> </div>

	<p><i>Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* Ukraine, Uruguay*</i></p>	<p>States, the SR on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence, other relevant entities of the UN Secretariat, relevant UN agencies, funds and programmes, intergovernmental organizations, NHRIs, NGOs and other relevant stakeholders, including practitioners; Decides to remain seized of the matter.</p>	<p>L.64: <i>Explanation of vote before the vote: Argentina, Luxembourg. Rejected: 22 against, 11 in favor, 13 abstentions.</i></p> <p>L.66: <i>Explanation of vote before the vote: Argentina, Luxembourg. Rejected: 24 against, 2 in favor, 19 abstentions.</i></p> <p>Amendments L.61 and L.65 have been withdrawn. <i>11 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: Czech Republic (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>)</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (1,560,200 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: India (<i>disassociates itself from PP20, joins consensus</i>)</p> <p>Adopted without a vote as orally revised.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (24min18sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.39 Human rights and Indigenous Peoples</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: Mexico, Guatemala*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Australia,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Cyprus,* Denmark,* Ecuador,* Finland, Germany, Greece,* Guatemala,* Iceland,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Mexico, New Zealand,* Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United States</i></p>	<p>Decides that the theme of the annual half-day panel discussion on the rights of Indigenous Peoples, to be held during the 54th session of the HRC, will be the impact of certain development projects on the rights of Indigenous Peoples, in particular the impact on indigenous women, and requests the OHCHR to encourage and facilitate the participation of indigenous women, to make the discussion fully accessible to and inclusive for persons with disabilities and to prepare a summary report on the discussion for submission to the Council prior to its 56th session; [...]; Decides to continue to discuss further steps and measures necessary to enable and to facilitate the participation of Indigenous Peoples’ representatives and institutions in the work of the Council, in particular by taking into consideration the summary report on the discussion and the resulting recommendations of the</p>	<p>Introduced by: Mexico <i>14 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: Paraguay, France, Finland, Bolivia, Ukraine</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (38,700 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: None</p> <p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (15min18sec)</i></p>

		<p>four-day expert workshop to be prepared by the OHCHR and submitted to the Council prior to its 53rd session; [...]; Decides to continue its consideration of this question at a future session, in conformity with its annual programme of work.</p>	
<p>A/HRC/51/L.40 The human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Spain, * Germany <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania, * Andorra, * Austria, * Belgium, * Bosnia and Herzegovina, * Bulgaria, * Chile, * Costa Rica, * Croatia, * Czechia, Denmark, * Ecuador, * Estonia, * Fiji, * Finland, Germany, Greece, * Hungary, * Iceland, * Iraq, * Ireland, * Italy, * Latvia, * Liechtenstein, * Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, * Mexico, Monaco, * Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, * Paraguay, Peru, * Portugal, * Romania, * San Marino, * Slovakia, * Slovenia, * Spain, * Sweden, * Switzerland, * Ukraine, Uruguay*</p>	<p>Decides to extend the mandate of SR on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation for a period of three years, and requests SR to continue to report on an annual basis to the HRC and to submit an annual report to the GA; [...]; Decides to continue the consideration of this matter under the same agenda item at its 57th session.</p>	<p>Introduced by: Spain* <i>18 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: India, Mexico, Bolivia, China PBIs: Yes (914,700 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: Argentina, United States, United Kingdom Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> <p>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (22min24sec)</p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.42 Terrorism and human rights</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Mexico, Egypt* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Egypt, * Mexico</p>	<p>Invites all treaty bodies, special procedure mandate holders, international and regional human rights mechanisms and the UN High Commissioner, within their respective mandates, to pay due attention to the negative impact of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms and on alleged violations of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism and violent extremism conducive to terrorism, and to report regularly to the HRC; Invites the SR on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism to pay attention to the negative effect</p>	<p>Introduced by: Mexico, Egypt* <i>50 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Czechia (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>), India, China PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: United States, Pakistan (<i>on behalf of the OIC</i>) Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> <p>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (18min30sec)</p>

		<p>of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to make recommendations in this regard;</p> <p>Decides to remain seized of this matter.</p>	
<p>Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 3)</p>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Eritrea: on L.8 - Nepal: on L.33 - Indonesia: on L.33 (disassociates itself from OP20, joins consensus) - United States: on the term “right to development”; on rights related to ECOSOC; and on references to “right to legal assistance” <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (6min42sec)</i></p>			

<p>Item 4 – Human rights situations that require the Council’s attention</p>			
<p>A/HRC/51/L.13 Situation of human rights in the Russian Federation</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Luxembourg, Austria, * Belgium, * Bulgaria, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, Denmark, * Estonia, * Finland, France, Germany, Greece, * Ireland, * Italy, * Latvia, * Lithuania, Malta, * Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, * Romania, * Slovakia, * Slovenia, * Spain, * Sweden*</p> <p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania, * Andorra, * Australia, * Austria, * Belgium, * Bulgaria, * Canada, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, Denmark, * Estonia, * Finland, France, Germany, Greece, * Iceland, * Ireland, * Italy, * Japan, Latvia, * Liechtenstein, * Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, * Marshall Islands, Monaco, * Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, * Norway, * Poland, Portugal, * Romania, * San Marino, *</p>	<p>Decides to appoint a Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Russian Federation for a period of one year, and requests the mandate holder to monitor the situation of human rights in the Russian Federation, to collect, examine and assess relevant information from all relevant stakeholders, including Russian civil society both inside and outside the country, taking into account relevant age, gender and disability dimensions, to cooperate with other relevant UN human rights mechanisms, to make recommendations, and to present a comprehensive report to the HRC at its 54th session and to the GA at its 78th session;</p> <p>Calls upon the Russian authorities to cooperate fully with the SR, including by allowing the mandate holder unhindered access to visit the country and to meet freely with relevant stakeholders, including civil society and human rights defenders, and providing the mandate holder with the information necessary to properly fulfil the mandate, and also calls upon the Russian authorities to cooperate fully with all special procedure mandate holders, the treaty bodies and the OHCHR, and to refrain from all forms of intimidation and reprisals against persons and associations for their cooperation with these bodies;</p>	<p>Introduced by: Luxembourg <i>5 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: Czechia, France, Japan, Lithuania, Finland, Poland, Ukraine, Germany, Netherlands</p> <p>Country Concerned: Russian Federation*</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (423,200 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: Venezuela (rejects the draft resolution, (<u>called for a vote</u>), Cuba (<u>called for a vote</u>), China (<u>called for a vote</u>), United States, Argentina, United Kingdom, Mexico, Qatar</p> <p>Adopted with 17 in favor.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;"> <p>For: 17 Argentina, Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Against: 6 Bolivia, China, Cuba, Eritrea, Kazakhstan, Venezuela</p> <p>Abstained: 24 Armenia, Benin, Brazil, Cameroon, Côte d’Ivoire, Gabon, Gambia, Honduras, India,</p> </div>

	<p><i>Slovakia, * Slovenia, * Spain, * Sweden, * Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i></p>	<p>Requests the OHCHR to provide the SR with the assistance and all the resources necessary to enable the fulfilment of the mandate.</p>	<p>Indonesia, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Mexico, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan</p> <p>Voting history: New Initiative</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (50min06sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.18 Situation of human rights in the Syrian Arab Republic</p>	<p><i>Submitted by: United Kingdom, France, Germany, Italy, * Jordan, * Kuwait, * Netherlands, Qatar, Türkiye, * United States</i></p> <p><i>Co-sponsors: Albania, * Andorra, * Australia, * Austria, * Belgium, * Bulgaria, * Canada, * Costa Rica, * Croatia, * Cyprus, * Czechia, Denmark, * Estonia, * Finland, France, Georgia, * Germany, Iceland, * Ireland, * Israel, * Italy, * Jordan, * Kuwait, * Latvia, * Liechtenstein, * Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, * Monaco, * Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, * Qatar, Romania, * San Marino, * Slovakia, * Slovenia, * Spain, * Sweden, * Türkiye, * Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i></p>	<p>Welcomes the progress made regarding international accountability and notes the importance of further ongoing proceedings and efforts by States and internationally mandated institutions, including the IIM⁴, to investigate conduct in the Syrian Arab Republic and where possible to prosecute crimes committed there in order to bring the truth to light and perpetrators to justice, recalls the authority of the Security Council to refer the situation in the Syrian Arab Republic to the ICC and welcomes the joint initiative taken by the Netherlands and Canada to hold the Syrian Arab Republic responsible for breaching its obligations under the CAT⁵;</p> <p>Urges all parties to immediately respect and protect the full enjoyment by children of all their human rights, to prevent, and to protect children from, all forms of violence, including SGBV, exploitation, violations and abuses, including the recruitment and use of children in the armed conflict, in contravention of international law, and attacks on schools, and to ensure that children affected by the conflict receive appropriate assistance, [...], strongly condemns the use of schools for military purposes, in contravention of international law, and encourages the COI to continue its investigation and documentation of violations and abuses of the rights of the child;</p> <p>Decides to remain seized of the matter.</p>	<p>Introduced by: United Kingdom <i>10 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: Czechia (<i>on behalf of the EU</i>), France, United States, Qatar</p> <p>Country Concerned: Syrian Arab Republic* (rejects the resolution)</p> <p>PBIs: None</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: Cuba (called for a vote), Venezuela (called for a vote), Argentina, China (<i>supports the request for a vote</i>), Brazil</p> <p>Adopted with 25 votes in favor.</p> <p>For: 25 Argentina, Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Czechia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Honduras, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Against: 6 Armenia, Bolivia, China, Cuba, Eritrea, Venezuela</p> <p>Abstained: 16 Brazil, Cameroon, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan</p>

⁴ International, Impartial and Independent Mechanism to Assist in the Investigation and Prosecution of Persons Responsible for the Most Serious Crimes under International Law Committed in the Syrian Arab Republic since March 2011

⁵ Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

			<p>Voting history: 25-6-15 (HRC50)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (29min06sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.19 Situation of human rights in Ethiopia</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU)</i> <i>Co-sponsors:</i> <i>Albania,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Monaco,* Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia,* Norway,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i></p>	<p>Decides to renew the mandate of the International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia for a further period of one year;</p> <p>Requests the International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia to present an oral briefing to the HRC at its 52nd session, to be followed by an interactive dialogue, and to present a written report to the HRC at its 54th session, to be followed by an interactive dialogue, and to the GA at its 78th session, to be followed by an interactive dialogue;</p> <p>Requests the OHCHR to continue to provide, in consultation with the Government of Ethiopia, advice and technical assistance in order to strengthen the capacity of the Ethiopian Human Rights Commission and the criminal justice system, and transitional justice, including accountability and reconciliation processes in general;</p> <p>Requests the Secretary-General to provide all the resources and expertise, including additional expertise on SGBV, transitional justice and forensics, necessary to enable the Office to provide such administrative, technical and logistical support as is required to implement the provisions of the present resolution;</p> <p>[...] Calls upon all parties to the conflict to grant the International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia and its members unhindered access without delay and to allow them to visit sites, and to meet and speak freely and privately with whomever they wish to meet or speak;</p> <p>Decides to remain seized of the matter.</p>	<p>Introduced by: <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU)</i></p> <p>Oral amendment: <i>(introduced by China)</i> <i>To delete from OP9 expression “decides to renew the mandate of the international commission of Experts for 1 year”</i></p> <p>Czechia: <i>the main sponsors reject the proposed amendment and call for a vote.</i></p> <p>Voting on oral Amendment: <i>Explanation of vote before the vote: United Kingdom, Luxembourg, Germany. Rejected: 21 against, 18 in favor, 8 abstentions.</i></p> <p><i>3 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU), Japan, France, Eritrea, United States, India, Namibia</i></p> <p>Country concerned: Ethiopia* (categorically rejects the draft resolution)</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (3,665,300 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: <i>Somalia (called for a vote), Argentina, Brazil, Venezuela, China</i></p> <p>Adopted with 21 votes in favor.</p> <p>For: 21 <i>Argentina, Armenia, Brazil, Czechia, Finland, France, Germany, Honduras, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Mauritania, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i></p> <p>Against: 19 <i>Benin, Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Côte d’Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, India, Libya, Mauritania, Namibia, Pakistan, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela</i></p>

			<p>Abstained: 7 Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Malawi, Malaysia, Nepal, Qatar, Uzbekistan</p> <p>Voting history: 20-14-13 (HRC47)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (47min54sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.23 Situation of human rights in Burundi</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU)</i> <i>Co-sponsors:</i> <i>Albania,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Germany, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Marshall Islands, Monaco,* Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia,* Norway,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</i></p>	<p>Decides to extend the mandate of the SR on the situation of human rights in Burundi for a further period of one year, and requests the SR to present to the HRC, at its 53rd session, an oral update on the situation of human rights in Burundi, and also to submit to the Council, at its 54th session, and to the GA, at its 78th session, a comprehensive report; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU)</i> <i>2 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Côte d'Ivoire (<i>on behalf of the African Group</i>), China (<u>called for a vote</u>) Country concerned: Burundi*(rejects the draft resolution) PBIs: Yes (500,500 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: Venezuela (<u>called for a vote</u>), Somalia (<u>called for a vote</u>) Adopted with 22 votes in favor.</p> <p>For: 22 Argentina, Armenia, Brazil, Czechia, Finland, France, Gambia, Germany, Honduras, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States Against: 12 Bolivia, Cameroon, China, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Libya, Mauritania, Pakistan, Somalia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela Abstained: 13 Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Malawi, Malaysia, Namibia, Nepal, Qatar, Senegal, Sudan, Uzbekistan</p> <p>Voting history: 21-15-11 (HRC48)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (19min00sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.41 Situation of human rights in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> <i>Canada,* Brazil, Chile,* Ecuador,* Guatemala,* Paraguay</i> <i>Co-sponsors:</i> <i>Albania,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,*</i></p>	<p>Requests the High Commissioner to continue to monitor, report on and provide technical cooperation with a view to improving the situation of human rights in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, including through the presentation of oral updates to the HRC at its 52nd and 55th sessions, to be</p>	<p>Introduced by: Paraguay <i>11 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: <i>Czechia (on behalf of the EU)</i>, Japan, United States, Bolivia (<u>called for a</u></p>

	<p><i>Brazil, Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Croatia,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Finland, France, Georgia,* Germany, Greece,* Guatemala,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Israel,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta,* Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Sweden,* United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay*</i></p>	<p>followed by interactive dialogues, and also requests the High Commissioner to submit a comprehensive written report on the situation of human rights in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela containing a detailed assessment of the implementation of the recommendations made in previous reports of the Council at its 53rd and 56th sessions, to be followed by an interactive dialogue;</p> <p>Decides to extend the mandate of the FFM on the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, [...], for a period of two years, with a view to combating impunity and ensuring full accountability for perpetrators and justice for victims, and requests the mission to present an oral update on its work to the HRC during an interactive dialogue at its 52nd and 55th sessions, and to submit a report on its findings to the Council during an interactive dialogue at its 54th and 57th sessions; [...].</p>	<p><u>vote</u>), Cuba (<u>called for a vote</u>), Eritrea, China, Paraguay</p> <p>Country Concerned: Venezuela, raised a Point of Order on vocabulary used by United States</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (1,326,100 USD relating to technical-cooperation; 5,760,100 USD relating to the FFM)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: Argentina, Cuba, United Kingdom, Germany, Mexico, Cuba</p> <p>Adopted with 19 votes in favor.</p> <p>For: 19 Brazil, Czechia, Finland, France, Gambia, Germany, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Marshall Islands, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Poland, Republic of Korea, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Against: 5 Bolivia, China, Cuba, Eritrea, Venezuela</p> <p>Abstained: 23 Argentina, Armenia, Benin, Cameroon, Côte d’Ivoire, Gabon, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Mexico, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan</p> <p>Voting history: 22-3-22 (HRC45)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (49min42sec)</i></p>
<p align="center">Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 4)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cameroon: on L.19 - Brazil: on concerns about the growing politization and polarization of the work of the Council, a comprehensive review of country initiatives needed <p align="right"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (06min06sec)</i></p>			

<p>Item 6 – Universal Periodic Review</p>			
<p>A/HRC/51/L.10/Rev.1 Strengthening the voluntary funds for</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Argentina, Armenia, Fiji,* Norway,* Pakistan, South Africa*</p>	<p>Decides to convene, at its 52nd session, a high-level panel discussion, [...], focusing on the achievements, good practices and lessons learned by the two voluntary funds</p>	<p>Introduced by: Argentina <i>20 additional co-sponsors</i></p>

<p>the universal periodic review mechanism of the Human Rights Council</p>	<p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Argentina, Armenia, Australia,* Bhutan,* Brazil, Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Cyprus,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Eswatini,* Fiji,* Finland, France, Greece,* Hungary,* Iceland,* India, Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta,* Mexico, Montenegro, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Norway,* Pakistan, Peru,* Poland, Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Somalia, South Africa,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* United States, Uruguay*</p>	<p>during the implementation of their mandates over the past 15 years, and reflecting on further optimization of the use of these funds to facilitate the participation of developing States, particularly LDCs and SIDS, in the fourth cycle of the UPR, [...];</p> <p>Requests the OHCHR to prepare a summary report on the high-level panel discussion on the UPR, and to submit the report to the HRC at its 53rd session;</p> <p>Requests the Secretary-General to further strengthen the regular budget-funded dedicated capacity of the Office to implement the mandates of the two voluntary funds, including by scaling up the dedicated capacity of the UPR Branch in each regional office during the fourth cycle of the UPR;</p> <p>Encourages all States to consider contributing to the Voluntary Fund for Participation in the UPR and the Voluntary Fund for Financial and Technical Assistance in the Implementation of the UPR; [...].</p>	<p>General Comments: Malaysia, Pakistan, Finland, Paraguay, Bolivia, Republic of Korea PBIs: Yes (9,390,800 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content;"> <p>Voting history: New Initiative</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (16min24sec)</i></p>
<p>Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 6)</p> <p style="text-align: left;">- None</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (16min24sec)</i></p>			

<p>Item 8 – Follow-up to and implementation of the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action</p>			
<p>A/HRC/51/L.16/Rev.1 National human rights institutions (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Australia* <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Armenia, Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bosnia and Herzegovina,* Bulgaria,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Czechia, Denmark,* Ecuador,* Estonia,* Fiji,* Finland, Georgia,* Germany, Greece,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Italy,* Latvia,* Liechtenstein,* Lithuania, Luxembourg,</p>	<p>Requests the OHCHR to continue and to strengthen its work with NHRIs, including through technical cooperation, capacity-building activities and advice, urges the High Commissioner to ensure that appropriate arrangements are made and budgetary resources are provided to continue and further extend activities in support of NHRIs, including through increased support for the work of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions and its regional networks, and invites Governments to contribute additional voluntary funds to that end;</p> <p>Requests the Secretary-General to submit to the HRC, at its 57th session, a report on the implementation of the present</p>	<p>Introduced by: Australia Amendments L.48 and L.63 have been withdrawn. <i>(Russian Federation distances itself from PP7, PP21, PP22, PP24, PP25, PP26, PP27, OP8i, OP8j)</i> <i>16 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: United States, Brazil <i>(disassociates itself from PP7)</i>, India <i>(disassociates from all preambular and operative paragraphs that pertain to climate change, namely PP6, PP19,</i></p>

	<p><i>Malta,* Mexico, Montenegro, Nepal, Netherlands, North Macedonia,* Norway,* Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Sweden,* Switzerland,* Ukraine, United Kingdom</i></p>	<p>resolution that includes examples of best practices among NHRIs, prepared in consultation with States, NHRIs and other relevant stakeholders, and a report on the activities of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions in accrediting national institutions in compliance with the Paris Principles.</p>	<p>PP20, PP22, PP23, PP24, OP8i, OP8j), Lithuania, China (<i>disassociates from consensus</i>) PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None <u>Adopted without a vote.</u></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (18min54sec)</i></p>
<p>Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 8)</p> <p style="text-align: left;">- None</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (18min54sec)</i></p>			

<p>Item 9 – Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related forms of intolerance: follow-up to and implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action</p>			
<p>A/HRC/51/L.28/Rev.1 From rhetoric to reality: a global call for concrete action against racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Côte d’Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States) <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Chile,* Côte d’Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States),* Pakistan</p>	<p>Requests the WG of Experts on People of African Descent to submit a report to the HRC at its 54th session, reviewing the work it has carried out in the 20 years since its establishment and including conclusions and recommendations on how to address more efficiently the human rights concerns of people of African descent; [...]; Decides, [...], that the Group of Independent Eminent Experts will function as an advisory mechanism for the HRC and the GA on the implementation of the DDPA, and will work towards mobilizing global political will for concrete action; Requests the GA to limit the tenure of the Eminent Experts to four years, which may be renewed once, [...]; Requests the Secretary-General to appoint the five Eminent Experts, [...], by the end of 2023; Requests the five regional groups to nominate a candidate for appointment to the Group of Independent Eminent Experts in a timely fashion; [...]; Requests the Group of Independent Eminent Experts to convene its 9th session for five working days, in 2023, and to submit a report thereon to the GA at its 78th session, and in this regard requests the Chair of the Group of Independent Eminent Experts to engage in an interactive dialogue with</p>	<p>Introduced by: Côte d’Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States) 7 additional co-sponsors General Comments: United States (long-standing concerns with elements of the 2001 Durban Conference, 2009 Durban Review Conference, and the DDPA, which they consider to be either antisemitic, or single out the State of Israel) (called for a vote), China, Namibia PBIs: Yes (772,300 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: Czechia (on behalf of the EU), France, Germany, Finland, United Kingdom, Bolivia <u>Adopted with 32 votes in favor.</u></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p>For: 32 Argentina, Armenia, Benin, Bolivia, Brazil, Cameroon, China, Côte d’Ivoire, Cuba, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Libya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Mexico, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Paraguay, Qatar, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Venezuela</p> </div>

		<p>the Assembly under the agenda item entitled “Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance” at that session;</p> <p>Also requests the Group of Independent Eminent Experts to prepare a comprehensive study on the implementation of the DDPA, [...], and to present it to the HRC at its 60th session and to the GA at its 80th session, and in this regard requests the Chair of the Group of Independent Eminent Experts to engage in an interactive dialogue with the Assembly [...]; [...];</p> <p>Requests the OHCHR to submit a report to the HRC at its 53rd session on the progress on the two-year comprehensive communications strategy, inclusive of an outreach programme to raise awareness about and mobilize global public support for racial equality, [...];</p> <p>Also requests the OHCHR to publish an updated version of United against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, containing also the political declaration made by the GA on the occasion of the commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the DDPA, [...];[...];</p>	<p>Against: 9 Czechia, France, Germany, Montenegro, Netherlands, Poland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p> <p>Abstained: 6 Finland, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Republic of Korea</p> <p>Voting history: New Initiative</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (25min54sec)</i></p>
<p align="center">Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 9)</p> <p>- Netherlands: on L.28/Rev.1</p> <p align="right"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (02min26sec)</i></p>			

<p>Item 10 – Technical assistance and capacity-building</p>			
<p>A/HRC/51/L.11 Promoting international cooperation to support national mechanisms for implementation, reporting and follow-up</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Paraguay, Brazil <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Australia,* Belgium,* Brazil, Bulgaria,* Canada,* Chile,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Ecuador,* Fiji,* Georgia,* Hungary,* Ireland,* Italy,* Luxembourg, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,*</p>	<p>Requests the OHCHR to organize a one-day intersessional seminar in 2023 and a one-day intersessional seminar in 2024, both to be held in Geneva, to further consider the experiences and good practices shared during the five online regional consultations relating to the establishment and development of national mechanisms for implementation, reporting and follow-up, [...], and to present to the Council at its 57th session a summary report on the seminars, [...];</p> <p>Also requests the OHCHR to establish and maintain a virtual knowledge hub for national mechanisms, in</p>	<p>Introduced by: Paraguay <i>20 additional co-sponsors</i></p> <p>General Comments: Brazil, Mexico, Luxembourg PBIs: Yes (819,100 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC42)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (10min48sec)</i></p>

	<i>Romania,* Slovenia,* Spain,* Türkiye * Uruguay*</i>	collaboration with States and relevant stakeholders, in order to share good practices and to facilitate the exchange of experiences; [...].	
A/HRC/51/L.15/Rev.1 Enhancement of technical cooperation and capacity-building in the field of human rights	<i>Submitted by: Thailand,* Brazil, Honduras, Indonesia, Morocco,* Norway,* Qatar, Singapore,* Türkiye*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Argentina, Australia,* Brazil, Canada,* Chile,* Ecuador,* Fiji,* Honduras, Iceland,* Indonesia, Italy,* Luxembourg, Malaysia, Montenegro, Morocco,* Nepal, Norway,* Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,* Qatar, Singapore,* Somalia, Spain,* Thailand,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, Uruguay,* Yemen*</i>	Decides, [...], to hold, before the 53rd session of the Council, a half-day intersessional meeting on the theme “ Technical cooperation and capacity-building in the Human Rights Council: taking stock of the past for a better discharge of this mission in the future ”, in order to allow States, relevant United Nations agencies, funds and programmes, international organizations, NHRIs, civil society organizations and other stakeholders to identify and reflect on the achievements made and obstacles faced, and to share best practices and experiences in this regard; [...]; Also requests the High Commissioner to present a report to the HRC at its 53rd session, recommending the way forward to improve technical cooperation and capacity-building in the field of human rights, taking into account the outcomes of the discussions held during the intersessional meeting, to be followed by an EID ; [...].	Introduced by: Thailand* <i>16 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: United States, Luxembourg PBIs: Yes (114,900 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote. Voting history: Consensus (HRC42) <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (7min42sec)</i>
A/HRC/51/L.24/Rev.1 Technical assistance and capacity-building to address the human rights implications of the nuclear legacy in the Marshall Islands	<i>Submitted by: Fiji,* Marshall Islands, Nauru,* Samoa,* Vanuatu*</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Australia,* Fiji,* Marshall Islands, Nauru,* New Zealand,* Samoa,* Vanuatu*</i>	Requests the OHCHR to cooperate with the Government of the Marshall Islands in the field of human rights and to provide technical assistance and capacity-building to the National Nuclear Commission of the Marshall Islands in advancing its national strategy for nuclear justice and determining its technical assistance and capacity-building needs to pursue transitional justice in its efforts to address the nuclear legacy; Also requests the OHCHR to prepare a report on addressing the challenges and barriers to the full realization and enjoyment of the human rights of the people of the Marshall Islands, stemming from the State’s nuclear legacy, to be submitted to the HRC at its 57th session , to be followed by an EID , with the participation of the National Nuclear Commission of the Marshall Islands; Further requests the OHCHR, [...], to seek the views of the Government of the Marshall Islands and its National Nuclear Commission, Member States, relevant UN mandate	Introduced by: Fiji* <i>9 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Marshall Islands, Germany, India, China PBIs: Yes (902,300 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: Unites States (<i>disassociates from consensus on OP9, OP11, PP12, PP13, PP17</i>), Pakistan, United Kingdom (<i>disassociates from OP4, OP5, OP11</i>) Adopted without a vote. Voting history: New Initiative <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (21min30sec)</i>

		holders, relevant UN agencies, funds and programmes, NGOs and other relevant stakeholders, including civil society and affected communities;	
<p>A/HRC/51/L.34 Assistance technique et renforcement des capacités dans le domaine des droits de l'homme en République démocratique du Congo (as orally revised)</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States) <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States), Iceland,* Norway,* Türkiye:*</p>	<p>Decides to renew, for one year, the mandate of the team of international experts in the Democratic Republic of Congo, and requests the team to provide the necessary technical support to the Government in its implementation of the national strategy on transitional justice; Requests the team of international experts to submit its final report to the Council, in the framework of an EID, at its 54th session, and to present it with an oral update at its 52nd session; [...]; Also requests the High Commissioner to provide the Government of the DRC with technical assistance to support the process under way to develop the transitional justice machinery in the country through the establishment of a national commission on transitional justice and reconciliation; Further requests the High Commissioner to make available, to the Government of the DRC, experts in transitional justice who will be responsible for providing technical assistance in the strategic drafting and adoption of methodological tools necessary for the operation of the reparations fund and the provincial truth and reconciliation commissions, in line with international norms and instruments; Requests the High Commissioner to present the Council with an oral update on the situation of human rights in the DRC, in the framework of an EID, at its 52nd session; Also requests the High Commissioner to prepare a comprehensive report on the situation of human rights in the DRC and to submit it to the Council, in the framework of an EID, at its 54th session; [...].</p>	<p>Introduced by: Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States) Oral revisions: PP14, OP2, OP19, OP51 <i>8 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: None Country Concerned: Democratic Republic of Congo* PBIs: Yes (4,424,200 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: United States Adopted without a vote. Voting history: Consensus (HRC48) <i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (11min24sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.35/Rev.1 Assistance technique et renforcement des</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States)</p>	<p>Decides to renew, for one year, the mandate of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic, [...];</p>	<p>Introduced by: Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the African Group) <i>7 additional co-sponsors</i></p>

<p>capacités dans le domaine des droits de l'homme en République centrafricaine</p>	<p><i>Co-sponsors:</i> Côte d'Ivoire (on behalf of the Group of African States), Iceland,* Türkiye*</p>	<p>Requests the IE to pay particular attention to violations of human rights and IHL alleged to have been committed by all parties to the conflict; [...];</p> <p>Decides to convene, at its 52nd session, a high-level dialogue to enable it to assess human rights developments on the ground, placing special emphasis on the situation of children; [...];</p> <p>Further requests the IE to work closely with the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict;</p> <p>Requests the IE to provide an oral update on his report on technical assistance and capacity-building in the field of human rights in the Central African Republic to the HRC at its 53rd session and to submit a written report to the Council at its 54th session, and to the 78th session of the GA;</p> <p>Requests the High Commissioner to continue to provide the Independent Expert with all the technical, financial and human resources necessary to enable him to carry out fully his mandate; [...].</p>	<p>General Comments: France Country Concerned: Central African Republic* PBIs: Yes (483,400 USD) Explanation of vote before the vote: United States Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC45)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (10min48sec)</i></p>
<p>A/HRC/51/L.36 Assistance to Somalia in the field of human rights</p>	<p><i>Submitted by:</i> United Kingdom, Somalia <i>Co-sponsors:</i> Albania,* Australia,* Austria,* Belgium,* Bulgaria,* Canada,* Costa Rica,* Croatia,* Cyprus,* Denmark,* Estonia,* France, Germany, Greece,* Iceland,* Ireland,* Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway,* Romania,* Slovakia,* Slovenia,* Somalia, Sweden,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States</p>	<p>Decides to renew the mandate of Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia, [...], for a period of one year to assess, monitor and report on the situation of human rights in Somalia with a view to making recommendations on technical assistance and capacity-building in the field of human rights; [...];</p> <p>Also requests the IE to report to the HRC at its 54th session and to the GA at its 78th session;</p> <p>Further requests the IE to provide an update to the HRC in her report on progress on the implementation of the benchmarks and indicators in the transition plan to inform future action by the Council; [...].</p> <p>Decides to remain actively seized of the matter.</p>	<p>Introduced by: United Kingdom <i>12 additional co-sponsors</i> General Comments: Czechia (on behalf of the EU) Country Concerned: Somalia PBIs: None Explanation of vote before the vote: None Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC48)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (6min12sec)</i></p>

<p>A/HRC/51/L.38 Technical assistance and capacity-building for Yemen in the field of human rights <i>(as orally revised)</i></p>	<p><i>Submitted by: State of Palestine (on behalf of the Group of Arab States)</i> <i>Co-sponsors: Albania,* Argentina, Australia,* Brazil, Canada,* Chile,* Ecuador,* Fiji,* Honduras, Iceland,* Indonesia, Italy,* Luxembourg, Malaysia, Montenegro, Morocco,* Nepal, Norway,* Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru,* Portugal,* Qatar, Singapore,* Somalia, Spain,* Thailand,* Türkiye,* Ukraine, Uruguay,* Yemen*</i></p>	<p>Requests the High Commissioner to present a written report on the implementation of technical assistance as stipulated in the present resolution, to the HRC at its 54th session.</p>	<p>Introduced by: State of Palestine <i>(on behalf of the Group of Arab States)</i></p> <p>Oral revision: in PP6</p> <p><i>1 additional co-sponsor</i></p> <p>General Comments on the draft text as orally revised: China, United States, United Kingdom</p> <p>Country Concerned: Yemen*</p> <p>PBIs: Yes (301,100 USD)</p> <p>Explanation of vote before the vote: Czechia <i>(on behalf of the EU)</i></p> <p>Adopted without a vote.</p> <p>Voting history: Consensus (HRC48)</p> <p><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (16min30sec)</i></p>
<p>Explanations of vote and General comments after the vote (Item 10)</p>			
<p>- None</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Link to the meeting on UN WebTV (16min30sec)</i></p>			