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## Human Rights Council

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#### Agenda item 9

### **Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related form of intolerance, follow-up and implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action**

#### **Nigeria (on behalf of the African Group): draft resolution**

### **16/... Mandate of the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance**

#### *The Human Rights Council*

*Bearing in mind* paragraph 6 of General Assembly resolution 60/251 of 15 March 2006,

*Reaffirming* the relevant international human rights instruments, in particular the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, proclaimed by the General Assembly in its resolution 2106 (XX) of 20 December 1965,

*Reaffirming also* all previous resolutions and decisions of the General Assembly, the Commission on Human Rights and the Human Rights Council on the elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance, in particular Council resolution 7/34 of 28 March 2008,

*Recalling* Council resolutions 5/1 on institution-building of the United Nations Human Rights Council and 5/2 on the code of conduct for special procedures mandate holders of the Human Rights Council, of 18 June 2007, and stressing that the mandate holder shall discharge his/her duties in accordance with these resolutions and annexes thereto,

1. *Decides* to extend the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance for a further period of three years;

2. *Requests* the Special Rapporteur to submit an annual report to the Human Rights Council and the General Assembly, covering all activities relating to his/her mandate undertaken during the year, bearing in mind the importance of ensuring complementarity and maximizing the benefits of reporting to both bodies;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General and the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to provide the Special Rapporteur with all the human, technical and financial assistance necessary for the effective fulfilment of his/her mandate;

4. *Decides* to remain seized of this priority issue.

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