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political, economic, social and cultural rights,  
including the right to development**

## **Written statement\* submitted by Réseau Unité pour le Développement de Mauritanie, a non-governmental organization in special consultative status**

The Secretary-General has received the following written statement which is circulated in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31.

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**Mrs. President,**

On the 17<sup>TH</sup> March 2019 here in Geneva street , Mauritanian activists Sidi Ahmed Achlil and Mohamed fadel ould Kdi both members of Mauritanian Association of Memory and justice were beaten up by Polisario leader and his follwers publically in the street. They were treated savegelly in public with violence until the Geneva police interveen to save the activists and give them the right to access to court.

Polisario violation of human rights passed the borders. Not only Saharawi are victims of polisario officials non legal beahaviours but also Mauritanian were victims of Torture in Tindouf Camps. Fall and sidi Ahmed were ex- detainees, they passed years in jail with no trials just for the fact that they executed their freedom of speech in those Camps sponsored and protected by Algeria. Among many other activist in Tindouf, Human right defenders are vulnerable, they face all kinds of Non moral treatments and obstacles. Their live become impossible under Polisario decepline. We call every one of you to stand up for those human right activist men and women from different Nationalites who stood against polisario violation and indifference to Univeral human Standars.

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