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Note by the Secretariat on the report of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Sudan

The Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Sudan, Ms. Sima Samar, has been unable to undertake a mission to the Sudan during the reporting period and will not submit a report to the fifth session of the Human Rights Council. The Special Rapporteur requested an invitation to visit the Sudan, however the dates have not yet been confirmed. Pursuant to the Human Rights Council decision S-4/101, the Special Rapporteur participated in the High-Level Mission to assess the human rights situation in Darfur which reported to the Council at its fourth session in this regard. Pursuant to Council resolution 4/8, the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Sudan presided over the United Nations Experts Group on Darfur and will present its report on the human rights situation in Darfur (A/HRC/5/6) to the fifth session of the Council.
