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Human rights and unilateral coercive measures

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13/... Human rights and unilateral coercive measures

The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolution 24/14, in which the Council requested the Advisory Committee to prepare a research-based report containing recommendations on mechanism to assess the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights and to promote accountability, and to present a progress report of the requested research-based report to the Council at its twenty-eighth session,

Recalling also that at its twelfth session the Advisory Committee established a drafting group, and designated Mr. Lebedev, Mr. Okafor, Mr. Soofi, Mr. Yigezu (Rapporteur) and Mr. Ziegler (Chairperson) as members of the drafting group,

1. *Takes note* of the draft progress report containing recommendations on mechanism to assess the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights and to promote accountability submitted by the drafting group to the Advisory Committee at its current session;¹

2. *Requests* the drafting group to re-circulate the questionnaire to seek the views and inputs of the various stakeholders that did not respond to the questionnaire, in order to allow for better informed work;

¹ A/HRC/AC/13/CRP.2.



3. *Further requests* the drafting group to finalise its progress report to the Council in the light of the discussion held by the Advisory Committee at its current session after circulating it to all members of the Advisory Committee for approval electronically, and to submit it to the Human Rights Council at its twenty-eighth session.
