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Requests addressed to the Advisory Committee stemming from Human Rights Council resolutions and currently under consideration by the Committee National policies and human rights

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The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolution 35/32 of 23 June 2017, in which the Council requested the Advisory Committee to prepare a study that could help States to implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development by integrating human rights into national policies on the basis of a compilation prepared by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, and to present it within its regular reporting cycle to the Council at its forty-fifth session, on the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the adoption of the 2030 Agenda,

Recalling also that, at its nineteenth session, the Advisory Commitee established a drafting group, currently composed of Ion Diaconu (Rapporteur), Karla Hananía de Varela, Ludovic Hennebel, Ajai Malhotra, Kaoru Obata, Mona Omar, Elizabeth Salmón, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh and Changrok Soh (Chair) and Cheikh Tidiane Thiam,

- 1. Welcomes and takes note of the updated outline of the study elaborated by the drafting group;
- 2. *Welcomes* the participation of external experts in the discussion and notes that the discussion has provided valuable input that will assist the drafting group in its task;
- 3. *Notes* that the drafting group and the Advisory Committee held meetings to discuss the topic including the oral reports on the forums on sustainable development by the Rapporteur and a member of the drafting group;
- 4. *Decides* to continue the exchange of views on this subject with external experts and members of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, in order to prepare the study in accordance with resolution 35/32 of the Human Rights Council;

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- 5. *Invites* the members of the drafting group to continue intersessional discussions and their participation in and contribution to regional consultations on the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, and to inform the Advisory Committee at its twenty-third session on their activities related to the preparation of the report to be submitted to the Human Rights Council for adoption at its forty-fifth session;
- 6. Requests the Office of the High Commissioner to inform the Advisory Committee about all documents prepared by United Nations bodies and other international organizations on the different issues concerning the implementation of the 2030 Agenda when they become available.