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Note by the Secretary-General*

In resolution 2002/12, adopted without a vote on 19 April 2002, and approved by the Economic and Social Council in decision 2002/246, of 25 July 2002, the Commission on Human Rights requested the Special Rapporteur to submit an interim report on the human rights situation in Burundi to the General Assembly at its fifty-seventh session. The Special Rapporteur was unable to undertake the sixth mission to Burundi until the end of August 2002 and consequently will limit herself to an oral presentation.

* This note contains the decision of the Special Rapporteur to report orally to the General Assembly.