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## Moratorium on the use of the death penalty

Before operative paragraph 1, insert a new operative paragraph reading:

1. *Affirms* the sovereign right of States to determine the legal measures and penalties which are appropriate in their societies, including the death penalty for the most serious crimes, in accordance with international law;

and renumber the subsequent paragraphs accordingly.

