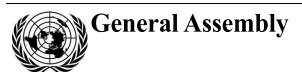
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## Recognizing the role of human rights defenders and the need for their protection

Amend operative paragraph 21 to read:

Underscores the responsibility of transnational corporations and other business enterprises to respect human rights, including the rights of human rights defenders to freedom of expression, peaceful assembly and association, and participation in public affairs, which are essential for the promotion and protection of human rights, including economic, social and cultural rights and the right to development, and underlines the need to ensure accountability and adequate remedies by transnational corporations and other business enterprises;

<sup>\*</sup> On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of African States.



