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(Fourth Committee)

Agenda item 60

**Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples**

Question of Western Sahara

Requests for hearing*

The Chair of the Fourth Committee received 81 requests to petition the Committee on the question of Western Sahara and 71 were heard as listed below.

<i>Name and title</i>	<i>Organization</i>	<i>Date request received</i>	<i>Meeting/date petitioner heard</i>
Hilt Teuwen	Comité belge de soutien au peuple sahraoui	7 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Hilde Van Regenmortel	Forum Nord-Sud	7 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Annemie Verhees	Zain Atfaak, groupe de solidarité avec le peuple sahraoui	7 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Véronique Van Der Plancke		7 August 2013	Did not address the Committee
Janet Lenz, Executive Director	Not Forgotten International	13 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Brahim Bounab, President	Groupe parlementaire de fraternité et amitié algérie-République arabe sahraouie démocratique	14 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013

* Circulated in accordance with a decision taken by the Committee at its 2nd meeting, on 3 October 2013. The original requests are on file with the Secretariat and are available for review.



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Bettache Abdelhakim, President	Assemblée populaire communal — Alger Centre	14 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Mordjana Abdelouahab, Secretary-General	Commission nationale consultative de promotion et de protection des droits de l'homme	14 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Lamari Mohamed Mahreze, President	Comité national algérien de soutien au peuple sahraoui	14 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Said Ayachi	Fondation nationale algérienne des études stratégiques et sécuritaires	14 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Charles Liebling	Western Sahara Resource Watch	21 August 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Daniel Lacy	Saharawi Voice	21 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Nancy Huff, President	Teach the Children International	26 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Saadi Lies		27 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Gale Sherrill	The Landing Community Church	27 August 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Ziad Al-Jabari		3 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Inés Miranda Navarro	Consejo General de la Abogacía Española	4 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Josefa Milán Padrón	Asociación Canaria de Solidaridad con el Pueblo Saharai	4 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Dolores Travieso Darias, Vice-President	Asociación Canaria de Juristas por la Paz y los Derechos Humanos	4 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Zeghidi Mohammed Lahcene, Vice-President	Association algérienne de la sauvegarde du patrimoine et de l'environnement et du développement des zones sahraouies	9 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013

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Suzanne Scholte, President	Defense Forum Foundation	10 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
José María Gil Garre		13 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Ricardo Sánchez Serra	Observatorio aragonés para el Sáhara Occidental	13 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Antonio López Ortiz, Secretary	Federación Estatal de Instituciones Solidarias con el Pueblo Saharaui	13 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Katlyn Thomas		13 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
António Alberto Neto, President	Partido Democrático Angolano	16 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Maoulanine Saadani	Ocaproce International	16 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Tanya Warburg, Director	Freedom for All	16 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Erik Jensen		16 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Mohammed Razma		16 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Baba Ahl Mayara, President	Ligue des défenseurs des droits de l'homme au Sahara	16 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Jane Bahaijoub, Chair	Family Protection	16 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Anna Maria Stame Cervone	Christian Democratic Women International	17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Brahim Laghzal	Conseil national des droits de l'homme (antenne régional de Laâyoune)	17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Omar Dkhil, President	Commission de législation et des droits de l'homme à la Chambre des conseillers	17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Juan Alvarez-Vita		17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Lahcen Mahraoui	Conseil royal consultatif des affaires sahariennes	17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Abderrahim Benbouaida		17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Andrew M. Rosemarine		17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013

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Sidi Saleh Daha	Agence pour le développement économique et social des provinces du sud	17 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Jaqueline Andrea Hernandez Hernandez, President	Centro de Estudios para la Democracia Popular	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Aidara Abdoullatif, President	Observatory of Criminal Risks in Saharan Africa	18 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Rowaida Mroue, President	International Center for Conflict Resolution	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Fachrul Razi		18 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Jose Alfonso Bouzas Ortiz		18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
David Eriksson		18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Christopher Edwin Braham	International Association for Strategic Studies	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Brahim Ballali		18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Mohammed Salem Cherkaoui, President	Commission régionale du Conseil national des droits de l'homme de Laâyoune Es-Smara	18 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Cheikh Sidi El Mokhtar El Kantaoui	Conseil régional d'Oued Eddahab-Lagouira	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Sydney S. Assor, Chair	Surrey Three Faiths Forum	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Ahmed Nafaa, President	Association citoyenneté et développement humain de Dakhla	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Joëlle Toutain	Association des amis de la République arabe sahraouie démocratique	18 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Christophe Boutin		19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Jeanette Hoorn		19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Daoud Khalili		19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Riad Fekhri		19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013

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M'Hamed Abba, President	Association marocaine pour le développement humain de Boujdour	19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Rachid Tamek, President	Association marocaine du festival d'Assa	19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Khayar Ahmed		19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Taleb Bouya Bossoula, Director	Centre de proximité de Laâyoune	19 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Pierre Legros		20 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Eric Cameron, President	World Action for Refugees	20 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Kounta Sidy El Moctar		23 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Latifa Aït-Baala, Chairwoman	Action internationale femmes	23 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Robin Kahn	United States Citizens for Western Sahara	23 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Kirby Gookin	Western Sahara Human Rights Watch	23 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Aymeric Chauprade		23 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Nadjat Hamdi		23 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Alouat Hamoudi Abdelfatah		24 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Mula Infid Sid Ahmed		24 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Alexandra Kapitanskaya	Strategic Conflict Resolution Group	24 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
David Lippiatt, International Executive Director	WE International	24 September 2013	4th/8 October 2013
Zitouni Tayeb, President	Coordination nationale citoyenne des cités et villes jumelées d'Algérie	24 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Stelios Alifantis		24 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Devin G. Thornburg		25 September 2013	Did not address the Committee

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Bernard Miyet		25 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
M'Barka Bouaida		26 September 2013	Did not address the Committee
Andrea Margelletti, Chair	Centre for International Studies	27 September 2013	5th/9 October 2013
Ahmed Boukhari, Representative	Frente Popular para la Liberación de Saguia el-Hamra y de Río de Oro (Frente Polisario)	27 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
Cynthia Basinet		27 September 2013	6th/10 October 2013
