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Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health; the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders; the Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers; the Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons; the Independent expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order; the Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity; the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran; the Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy and their family members; the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali; the Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants; the Special Rapporteur on minority issues; the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar; the Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons; the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967; the Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights; the Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy; the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance; the Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief; the Special Rapporteur on the sale and sexual exploitation of children, including child prostitution, child pornography and other child sexual abuse material; the Independent Expert on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity; the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery; the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia; the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Syrian Arab Republic; the Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism; the Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment; the Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children; the Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation & guarantees of non-recurrence; the Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of the unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights; the Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation; and the Working Group on the issue of discrimination against women in law and in practice.

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Abbreviations

African Descent	Working Group of Experts on people of African descent
Albinism	Independent Expert on the enjoyment of human rights by persons with albinism
Arbitrary detention	Working Group on Arbitrary Detention
Belarus	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Belarus
Burundi	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Burundi
Business enterprises	Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises
Cambodia	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia
Central Africa	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic
Côte d'Ivoire	Independent Expert on capacity-building and technical cooperation with Côte d'Ivoire in the field of human rights
Cultural Rights	Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights
Development	Special Rapporteur on the right to development
Disability	Special Rapporteur on the rights of persons with disabilities
Disappearances	Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances
Discrimination against women/ women and girls ¹	Working Group on the issue of discrimination against women in law and in practice/ Working Group on discrimination against women and girls
DPR Korea	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Education	Special Rapporteur on the right to education
Environment	Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment
Eritrea	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea
Extreme poverty	Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights
Food	Special Rapporteur on the right to food
Foreign debt	Independent expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights
Freedom of expression	Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression
Freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association
Freedom of religion	Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief
Haiti	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Haiti
Hazardous substances and wastes ²	Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes
Health	Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health
Human rights defenders	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders
Housing	Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context

¹ Name of the mandate that was "Working Group on the issue of discrimination against women in law and in practice" changed to "Working Group on discrimination against women and girls" following HRC resolution 41/6 OP11.

² Short name of the mandate was changed to "Toxics and human rights" as requested by the mandate holder.

Independence of judges and lawyers	Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers
Indigenous peoples	Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples
Internally displaced persons	Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons
International order	Independent expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order
International Solidarity	Independent Expert on Human Rights and International solidarity
Iran	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran
Leprosy	Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy and their family members
Mali	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali
Mercenaries	Working Group on the use of mercenaries
Migrants	Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants
Minority issues	Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues
Myanmar	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar
OPT	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967
Older persons	Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons
Privacy	Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy
Racism	Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance
Sale of children	Special Rapporteur on the sale and sexual exploitation of children, including child prostitution, child pornography and other child sexual abuse material
Sexual orientation and gender identity	Independent Expert on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity
Slavery	Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery
Somalia	Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia
Summary executions	Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions
Terrorism	Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism
Torture	Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment
Trafficking	Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children
Truth justice, reparation & guarantees on non-recurrence	Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation & guarantees of non-recurrence
Unilateral coercive measures	Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights
Violence against women	Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences
Water and Sanitation	Special Rapporteur on the human right to safe drinking water and sanitation

Other abbreviations

AL	Letter of allegation
JAL	Joint letter of allegation
JUA	Joint urgent appeal
UA	Urgent appeal
OL	Other letter
JOL	Joint other letter

I. Introduction

1. Special procedures are mandated by the Human Rights Council to report to it on their activities (see Appendix).

2. In 2009, the sixteenth annual meeting of special procedures mandate holders decided that a joint communications report would be prepared (cf. A/HRC/12/47, paras 24-26), with this decision being reconfirmed by the seventeenth annual meeting of special procedures in 2010 in order to avoid duplication, rationalize documentation, allow examination of cross cutting issues and ensure that the content of communications and any follow-up would feed into the universal periodic review mechanism more effectively. Mandate holders decided that the report should contain summaries of communications and statistical information (A/HRC/15/44, para. 26-27).

3. The Outcome of the review of the work and functioning of the Human Rights Council calls on the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights to maintain information on special procedures in a comprehensive and easily accessible manner, and encourages the use of modern information technology to reduce the circulation of paper (A/HRC/RES/16/21, Annex, paras. 29 and 60).

4. Short summaries of all allegations communicated to the respective State or other entity are made available on the Special Procedures communications website, link to which is included in paragraph 13 of the present report. The communications sent and responses received are also accessible electronically through hyperlinks. Communications are reproduced in the language in which they were sent. Replies received in Arabic, Chinese or Russian are included with translations into English, where available.

5. This website reports all urgent appeals, and letters of allegations sent by special procedures mandate holders between 1 March and 31 May 2021 and replies received until 31 July 2021. Communications sent before 1 March 2021 are reported in previous communications reports submitted to the Council and also made available on the dedicated website

<https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/CommunicationsreportsSP.aspx>

6. As part of this report, the special procedures communications website also includes replies received between 1 May and 31 May 2021 relating to communications sent by special procedures mandate holders before 1 March 2021. Some of these replies supplement information communicated earlier by the respective State.

7. The present report contains urgent appeals sent by the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention and the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances and joint urgent appeals sent by them together with other mandates. It does not contain other types of communications issued by these mandates, which are processed according to their own distinctive procedures, and are reported in the annual reports of these two working groups.

8. The names of some alleged victims have been obscured in order to protect their privacy and prevent further victimization. Names of victims are mentioned only when the individual concerned or their direct family has expressly consented or requested to have his, her or their name in the public report. In the original communications, the full names of the alleged victims were provided to the Government concerned after obtaining their appropriate consent to share. Names of alleged perpetrators have systematically been darkened in State replies to preserve the presumption of innocence.

9. In total 369 communications were sent during this reporting period to 91 countries and other non-State actors to which 160 replies were received from 57 countries and other actors as listed below:

<i>Name of countries</i>	<i>Number of communications sent during this period</i>	<i>Number of communications that received a reply during this period *</i>	<i>Number of substantive replies received during the period**</i>	<i>Number of acknowledgement replies received during this period</i>
Algeria	3	2	2	0
Argentina	2	1	2	0
Australia	2	2	2	0
Bahamas	1	0	0	0
Bahrain	1	1	1	0
Bangladesh	2	0	0	0
Belarus	5	3	3	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1	0	0	0
Botswana	1	0	0	1
Brazil	2	2	3	0
Burundi	1	1	1	0
Cabo Verde	1	0	0	0
Cambodia	5	3	3	0
Canada	1	1	1	0
Central African Republic	1	1	1	0
Chad	1	0	0	0
Chile	4	3	3	2
China	4	3	3	0
Colombia	2	1	2	1
Comoros	1	0	0	0
Costa Rica	1	0	0	0
Cyprus	1	1	1	0
Democratic Republic of the Congo	2	0	0	0
Denmark	2	2	3	0
Egypt	2	1	1	0
El Salvador	1	1	1	0
Eritrea	1	1	1	0
Ethiopia	1	1	1	0
Fiji	1	0	0	0
Finland	1	1	1	0
France	4	1	1	0
Georgia	1	1	1	0
Germany	1	1	1	0
Greece	2	0	0	0
Guatemala	2	2	2	0
Holy See	1	0	0	0
Honduras	2	1	1	0
Hungary	2	2	2	0
India	6	3	4	0

<i>Name of countries</i>	<i>Number of communications sent during this period</i>	<i>Number of communications that received a reply during this period *</i>	<i>Number of substantive replies received during the period**</i>	<i>Number of acknowledgement replies received during this period</i>
Indonesia	2	2	2	0
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	8	5	5	2
Iraq	1	0	0	0
Israel	1	0	0	1
Italy	2	2	2	0
Japan	2	2	2	0
Kenya	1	0	0	0
Lao People's Democratic Republic	2	0	0	0
Latvia	1	1	1	0
Lebanon	3	3	3	0
Madagascar	1	1	1	1
Malawi	2	0	0	0
Malaysia	3	0	0	2
Mali	2	0	0	0
Malta	2	1	1	0
Mauritius	1	1	1	0
Mexico	3	1	1	0
Morocco	2	2	2	0
Mozambique	1	0	0	0
Myanmar	1	0	0	0
Nepal	2	2	2	0
Netherlands	2	1	1	1
Nicaragua	2	0	0	0
Niger	1	1	1	0
Nigeria	2	0	0	0
Other actors	178	51	52	1
Pakistan	3	0	0	0
Peru	3	1	1	0
Philippines	1	0	0	0
Republic of Korea	3	3	3	0
Russian Federation	3	3	3	0
Saudi Arabia	3	3	4	0
South Africa	1	0	0	0
Spain	3	2	2	0
Sudan	2	0	0	0
Sweden	2	1	1	0
Switzerland	2	2	2	0
Syrian Arab Republic	1	1	1	0
Thailand	3	1	1	2
Togo	1	0	0	0

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Tunisia	2	2	2	0
Turkey	6	6	6	0
Uganda	1	0	0	1
Ukraine	2	1	1	0
United Arab Emirates	2	2	3	0
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7	7	7	0
United States of America	7	1	1	0
Uruguay	1	1	2	0
Uzbekistan	1	0	0	0
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	3	3	3	0
Viet Nam	1	0	0	0
Zambia	2	0	0	0

* Only substantive replies to communications issued during this period are counted here.

** Substantive replies received during this period to any communication ever issued are counted here.

10. During the period, 178 communications were also sent to ‘Other actors’, for e.g. businesses, international bodies, agencies and non-State actors to which 49 replies were received.

11. These communications concerned 284 alleged identified victims of which 214 are male, 69 are female and 1 others.

12. In preparing the statistics included in this report, uniform reporting periods have been used, reflecting all communications sent between 1 March 2021 and 31 May 2021, and responses received in relation to these communications up to 31 July 2021.

II. Statistics on communications and replies by mandate

Mandate	Reporting period: 1 March to 31 May 2021			Reporting period: 1 June 2006 to 31 May 2021		
	Communications sent	replied to by 31 July 2021	response rate#	Communicat ions sent	replied to by 31 July 2021	response rate#
African Descent	5	3	60%	108	61	57%
Albinism	2	0	0%	19	7	37%
Arbitrary Detention (+)	62	35	57%	2209	1270	58%
Belarus*	5	3	60%	34	28	82%
Burundi **	0	0	0%	6	0	0%
Business	203	71	35%	662	294	44%
Cambodia	5	3	60%	72	28	39%
Central African Republic	0	0	0%	2	0	0%
Cultural rights	170	51	30%	329	158	48%
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	1	1	100%	31	20	65%
Development	12	7	58%	121	25	21%
Disability	15	4	27%	173	91	53%
Disappearances (+)	33	19	58%	679	351	52%
Education	13	7	54%	145	93	64%
Environment	12	10	83%	374	169	45%
Eritrea	2	2	100%	12	7	58%
Executions	53	26	49%	2013	1033	51%
Food	12	9	75%	404	202	50%
Foreign debt	0	0	0%	94	30	32%
Freedom of opinion and expression	61	32	53%	3867	2108	55%
Freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	45	25	56%	1670	972	58%
Haiti **	0	0	0%	13	3	23%
Health	25	14	56%	1028	611	59%
Housing	28	16	57%	566	315	56%
Human rights defenders	65	38	59%	4057	2316	57%
Independence of judges and lawyers	20	11	55%	1381	772	56%
Indigenous peoples	29	20	69%	682	376	55%
Internally displaced persons	8	4	50%	127	57	45%
International order	11	6	55%	155	54	35%
International solidarity	13	8	62%	76	35	46%
Islamic Republic of Iran	11	7	64%	239	138	58%
Leprosy	0	0	0%	5	4	80%
Liberia **	0	0	0%	2	0	0%
Mali	2	0	0%	3	0	0%
Mercenaries	8	5	63%	119	56	47%
Migrants	26	19	73%	535	344	64%
Minority issues	186	62	33%	717	384	54%
Myanmar	1	1	100%	163	84	52%
Older persons	4	2	50%	54	20	37%
Palestinian territories occupied since 1967	0	0	0%	82	21	26%
Poverty	24	17	71%	187	127	68%
Privacy	4	2	50%	164	103	63%
Racism	6	5	83%	352	204	58%
Religion or belief	180	60	33%	807	433	54%
Sale of children	11	5	45%	167	80	48%
Sexual orientation and gender identity	6	3	50%	87	51	59%
Slavery	182	58	32%	334	150	45%
Somalia	0	0	0%	27	6	22%
Terrorism	21	15	71%	599	326	54%

<i>Mandate</i>	<i>Reporting period: 1 March to 31 May 2021</i>			<i>Reporting period: 1 June 2006 to 31 May 2021</i>		
	<i>Communications sent</i>	<i>replied to by 31 July 2021</i>	<i>response rate#</i>	<i>Communicat ions sent</i>	<i>replied to by 31 July 2021</i>	<i>response rate#</i>
Torture	240	93	39%	3050	1683	55%
Toxics and human rights***	16	12	75%	274	147	54%
Trafficking in persons	186	63	34%	383	179	47%
Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence	9	6	67%	122	73	60%
Unilateral coercive measures	2	1	50%	18	7	39%
Violence against women	22	13	59%	829	464	56%
Water and sanitation	16	10	63%	392	184	47%
Women in law and in practice/ women and girls****	25	15	60%	553	283	51%

- (*) mandate re-established in June 2012, (**) mandate terminated, (***) mandate name changed from 'toxic waste' (****) mandate name changed in September 2020 and therefore for this report both the past and new short names are reflected including all communications issued under the old and new name has been put together.
- (+) These figures do not include communications on standard cases sent to Governments by the Working Group on arbitrary detention and the Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances.
- (#) fractions in percentage are rounded to the nearest whole number.
- Please note: Totals are higher than the actual number of communications sent or replies received in the given period, as many communications are sent jointly by two or more mandate holders.

III. Statistics on communications to trans-national corporations and other businesses

During this reporting period from 1 March – 31 May 2021, the following trans-national corporations and other businesses received communications from the mandate holders. It also contains information on replies received from those businesses including those having sent either a substantive reply or an acknowledgement.

<i>Trans-national corporations and other businesses</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
Abercrombie& Fitch	United States of America	OTH 50/2021	1	0	0
AcBel Polytech Co. Ltd	China	OTH 11/2021	1	0	0
Accor	France	OTH 177/2021	1	1	0
Acer Inc.	China	OTH 51/2021	1	0	1
Acquascutum	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 52/2021	1	0	0
Adidas AG	Germany	OTH 53/2021	1	0	1
Alstom S.A.	France	OTH 54/2021	1	0	1
Amazon.com, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 55/2021	1	0	0
American Eagle Outfitters, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 56/2021	1	0	0
Android (google)	United States of America	OTH 88/2021	1	0	0
Anthropologie	United States of America	OTH 57/2021	1	0	0
Apple Inc.	United States of America	OTH 58/2021	1	0	0
Apple Inc.	United States of America	OTH 87/2021	1	0	0
Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank	China	OTH 24/2021	1	0	1
AsusTek Computer Inc.	China	OTH 59/2021	1	0	0
Avary Holding Co. Ltd	China	OTH 69/2020	1	0	1
BAIC Motor Corporation Limited	China	OTH 60/2021	1	0	0
Banana Republic	United States of America	OTH 62/2021	1	0	0
Bayerische Motoren Werke AG (BMW)	Germany	OTH 63/2021	1	0	1
Boe Technology Group Co., Ltd.	China	OTH 64/2021	1	0	0
Boliden Group	Sweden	OTH 90/2021	1	0	1
Bombardier Inc.	Canada	OTH 65/2021	1	0	1
Brooks Brothers	United States of America	OTH 67/2021	1	0	0
BYD Co Ltd	China	OTH 68/2021	1	0	0
Calvin Klein Inc.	United States of America	OTH 69/2021	1	0	0
Candy	Italy	OTH 70/2021	1	0	0
Carrefour S.A.	France	OTH 71/2021	1	0	0
Carter's, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 72/2021	1	0	0

<i>Trans-national corporations and other businesses</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
Cerruti 1881	France	OTH 73/2021	1	0	0
Chang'an Automobile (Group) Co., Ltd.	China	OTH 74/2021	1	0	0
Changji Esquel Textile Co. Ltd	China	OTH 12/2021	1	0	0
Charles Tyrwhitt Shirts Limited	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 75/2021	1	0	0
Chhaya Devi Complex Pvt. Ltd	Nepal	OTH 183/2021	1	0	0
Cisco Systems, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 76/2021	1	0	1
Club Med	France	OTH 178/2021	1	0	1
Costco Wholesale Corporation	United States of America	OTH 77/2021	1	0	0
CRRC Corporation Limited	China	OTH 78/2021	1	0	0
Dalibu Group	China	OTH 13/2021	1	0	0
Decathlon S.A	France	OTH 79/2021	1	0	0
Dell	United States of America	OTH 80/2021	1	0	1
Diesel S.p.A.	Italy	OTH 81/2021	1	0	0
DKNY	United States of America	OTH 82/2021	1	0	0
Dongguan Lvzhou Shoes Industry Co. Ltd	China	OTH 37/2021	1	0	0
Dongguan Yidong Electronic Co. Ltd	China	OTH 14/2021	1	0	0
Dorna Sports	Spain	OTH 181/2021	1	0	0
Dress Barn	United States of America	OTH 83/2021	1	0	0
Electrolux AB	Sweden	OTH 84/2021	1	0	0
Ermenegildo Zegna	Italy	OTH 169/2021	1	0	1
Fila Holdings Corp	Republic of Korea	OTH 85/2021	1	0	0
Founder Group	China	OTH 86/2021	1	0	0
Free People	United States of America	OTH 91/2021	1	0	0
Fujian Meike Leisure Sports Goods Co. Ltd	China	OTH 15/2021	1	0	0
GAC Group	China	OTH 92/2021	1	0	0
Gap Inc.	United States of America	OTH 93/2021	1	0	0
General Electric Company	United States of America	OTH 95/2021	1	0	1
General Motors Company	United States of America	OTH 96/2021	1	0	1
Giordano International Limited	China	OTH 97/2021	1	0	0
Goertek Inc.	China	OTH 98/2021	1	0	0
Good-Ark Electronics Co. Ltd	China	OTH 16/2021	1	0	0
Google LLC	United States of America	OTH 99/2021	1	0	0
Greenland Minerals Ltd.	Australia	OTH 189/2021	1	0	1
Guangdong Oppo Mobile Telecommunications Corp., Ltd. (Oppo)	China	OTH 142/2021	1	0	0

<i>Trans-national corporations and other businesses</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Communication</i>	<i>Communications sent during this reporting period</i>	<i>Acknowledgements received</i>	<i>Substantive replies received</i>
Guess	United States of America	OTH 100/2021	1	0	0
Haier Group Corporation	China	OTH 102/2021	1	0	0
Haolangni Health Food Co. Ltd	China	OTH 17/2021	1	0	0
Haoyuanpeng Garment Group	China	OTH 18/2021	1	0	0
Hazzys	Republic of Korea	OTH 103/2021	1	0	0
Hefei Bitland Information Technology Co. Ltd	China	OTH 172/2021	1	0	0
Hefei Fuying Photoelectric Co. Ltd	China	OTH 19/2021	1	0	0
Hefei Meiling Co. Ltd	China	OTH 22/2021	1	0	0
Hennes & Mauritz AB (H&M)	Sweden	OTH 101/2021	1	0	0
Highbroad Advanced Material (Hefei) Co. Ltd	China	OTH 25/2021	1	0	0
Hisense Group	China	OTH 104/2021	1	0	0
Hitachi, Ltd	Japan	OTH 105/2021	1	0	1
Hollister Co.,	United States of America	OTH 106/2021	1	0	0
Hon Hai Precision Industry Co (Foxconn)	China	OTH 89/2021	1	0	1
HTC Corporation	China	OTH 108/2021	1	0	0
Huafu Top Dyed Melange Yarn	China	OTH 26/2021	1	0	0
Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd.	China	OTH 109/2021	1	0	0
Hubei Haixin Protective Products Co. Ltd	China	OTH 27/2021	1	0	0
Hubei Yihong Precision Manufacturing Co. Ltd	China	OTH 28/2021	1	0	0
Hugo Boss AG	Germany	OTH 110/2021	1	0	1
iFlyTek	China	OTH 111/2021	1	0	0
Indonesia Tourism Development Corporation - ITDC	Indonesia	OTH 49/2021	1	0	0
J. C. Penney Company, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 116/2021	1	0	0
J.Crew Group, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 112/2021	1	0	0
Jack & Jones	Denmark	OTH 113/2021	1	0	1
Jaguar	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 114/2021	1	0	0
Japan Display Inc.	Japan	OTH 115/2021	1	0	1
Jiangsu Guotai Guosheng Co. Ltd	China	OTH 29/2021	1	0	0
Jianhua Construction Materials Group	China	OTH 30/2021	1	0	0
Jos. A. Bank	United States of America	OTH 117/2021	1	0	0
Jubilee metals	South Africa	OTH 193/2021	1	0	0
Kohl's Corporation	United States of America	OTH 118/2021	1	0	0
KTK Group	China	OTH 31/2021	1	0	0

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Kyocera Corporation	Japan	OTH 119/2021	1	0	1
L.L.Bean	United States of America	OTH 120/2021	1	0	0
Lacoste S.A.	France	OTH 121/2021	1	0	0
Land Rover	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 122/2021	1	0	0
Land's End	United States of America	OTH 123/2021	1	0	0
Lenovo Group Limited	China	OTH 124/2021	1	0	0
Levi Strauss & Co.	United States of America	OTH 125/2021	1	0	0
LG Display	Republic of Korea	OTH 127/2021	1	0	1
LG Electronics Inc.	Republic of Korea	OTH 126/2021	1	0	0
Li-Ning Company Limited	China	OTH 70/2020	1	0	0
Lobaye Invest	Central African Republic	OTH 182/2021	1	0	0
Macy's	United States of America	OTH 128/2021	1	0	0
Marks and Spencer Group plc	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 129/2021	1	0	0
Marriot International	United States of America	OTH 184/2021	1	0	1
Meizu Technology Co., Ltd.	China	OTH 130/2021	1	0	0
Mercedes-Benz AG	Germany	OTH 131/2021	1	0	1
MG Motor UK Limited	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	OTH 132/2021	1	0	0
Microsoft Corporation	United States of America	OTH 133/2021	1	0	1
MinebeaMitsumi, Inc.	Japan	OTH 135/2021	1	0	1
Mitsubishi Electric Corporation	Japan	OTH 134/2021	1	0	1
Nanjing Synergy Textiles Co. Ltd	China	OTH 32/2021	1	0	0
Nautica	United States of America	OTH 137/2021	1	0	0
Nike, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 138/2021	1	0	0
Ningbo Aoboer Electric Appliance Co. Ltd	China	OTH 33/2021	1	0	0
Nintendo Co., Ltd.	Japan	OTH 139/2021	1	0	1
Nokia Corporation	Finland	OTH 140/2021	1	0	1
O-Film Technology Co. Ltd	China	OTH 34/2021	1	0	0
Oculus	United States of America	OTH 141/2021	1	0	0
Omeagle LCC	United States of America	OTH 21/2021	1	0	0
Panasonic Corporation	Japan	OTH 143/2021	1	0	1
Paragon	United States of America	OTH 179/2021	1	0	0
Patagonia, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 144/2021	1	0	0

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PPT Exploration and Production Public Company Limited (PTTEP)	Thailand	OTH 9/2021	1	0	1
Protectas	Switzerland	OTH 185/2021	1	0	1
Puma SE	Germany	OTH 145/2021	1	0	1
Qingdao Gaochang Electronic Co. Ltd	China	OTH 35/2021	1	0	0
Qingdao Jifa Huajin Garment Co. Ltd	China	OTH 36/2021	1	0	0
QuanZhou Yilong Textile Co. Ltd	China	OTH 38/2021	1	0	0
Ralph Lauren Corporation	United States of America	OTH 146/2021	1	0	0
Robert Bosch GmbH	Germany	OTH 66/2021	1	0	1
Roewe	China	OTH 39/2021	1	0	0
Ryohin Keikaku Co., Ltd. (Muji)	Japan	OTH 136/2021	1	0	1
SAIC Motor Corporation Limited	China	OTH 147/2021	1	0	0
SAIC-GM-Wuling Automobile (SGMW)	China	OTH 149/2021	1	0	0
Samsung Group	Republic of Korea	OTH 148/2021	1	0	1
Securitas	Switzerland	OTH 186/2021	1	0	1
Shandong Jianhua Zhongxing Glove Co. Ltd	China	OTH 40/2021	1	0	0
Shandong Ruyi Technology Group Co. Ltd	China	OTH 41/2021	1	0	0
Sharp Corporation	Japan	OTH 150/2021	1	0	1
Shimamura Co., Ltd.	Japan	OTH 173/2021	1	0	1
Sichuan Mianyang Jingweida Technology Co. Ltd	China	OTH 42/2021	1	0	0
Siemens AG	Germany	OTH 151/2021	1	0	1
Skechers USA, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 152/2021	1	0	0
SMCP Group	France	OTH 153/2021	1	0	0
Sony Corporation	Japan	OTH 154/2021	1	0	1
Summit Resource International	United States of America	OTH 171/2021	1	0	0
Tanyuan Technology Co. Ltd	China	OTH 43/2021	1	0	0
Target Corporation	United States of America	OTH 155/2021	1	0	0
TDK Corporation	Japan	OTH 156/2021	1	0	1
The Hewlett-Packard Company (HP)	United States of America	OTH 107/2021	1	0	1
The North Face	United States of America	OTH 157/2021	1	0	0
TikTok	China	OTH 20/2021	1	0	1
Tommy Hilfiger	United States of America	OTH 158/2021	1	0	0
Toshiba Corporation	Japan	OTH 159/2021	1	0	1
Tsinghua Tongfang Co., Ltd.	China	OTH 160/2021	1	0	0
Uniqlo Co., Ltd.	Japan	OTH 161/2021	1	0	1

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Urban Outfitters, Inc.	United States of America	OTH 162/2021	1	0	0
Victoria's Secret	United States of America	OTH 163/2021	1	0	1
Victory City International Holding Ltd	China	OTH 44/2021	1	0	0
Vinci	France	OTH 180/2021	1	0	1
Vivo Communication Technology Co. Ltd. (Vivo)	China	OTH 164/2021	1	0	0
Volkswagen Group	Germany	OTH 165/2021	1	0	1
Walmart Inc.	United States of America	OTH 166/2021	1	0	0
Xiaomi Corporation	China	OTH 167/2021	1	0	0
Yecheng county Xiaoxiang Textile Co. Ltd	China	OTH 45/2021	1	0	0
Youngor Group Co. Ltd	China	OTH 46/2021	1	0	0
Youngor Textile Holdings Co. Ltd	China	OTH 47/2021	1	0	0
Zara SA	Spain	OTH 168/2021	1	0	1
Zhaoxing Outdoor Gears Co. Ltd	China	OTH 48/2021	1	0	0
Zhejiang Geely Holding Group Co., Ltd,	China	OTH 94/2021	1	0	0
ZTE Corporation	China	OTH 170/2021	1	0	1

IV. Communications sent and replies received

Communications sent between 1 March and 31 May 2021 and their replies received until 31 July 2021. Also all replies received during this period to communications sent before 1 March 2021

13. All communications and their replies are available through Special Procedures communications website at the link:

<https://spcommreports.ohchr.org>

Appendix

Mandates of special procedures *(until 31 July 2021)*

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Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context	43/14
Working Group of Experts on people of African descent	45/24
Independent Expert on the enjoyment of human rights of persons with albinism	46/12
Working Group on Arbitrary Detention	42/22
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Belarus	47/19
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia	42/37
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Central African Republic	45/35
Independent Expert on capacity-building and technical cooperation with Côte d'Ivoire (Mandate formally closed by HRC President Statement PRST 35/1)	26/32
Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights	46/9
Independent expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order	45/4
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	43/25
Special Rapporteur on the rights of persons with disabilities	44/10
Special Rapporteur on right to development	42/23
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea	47/2
Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances	45/3
Independent expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights	43/10
Special Rapporteur on the right to education	44/3
Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment	46/7
Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights	44/13
Special Rapporteur on the right to food	40/7
Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression	43/4
Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association	41/12
Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief	40/10
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Haiti (Mandate formally closed by HRC President Statement : PRST 34/1)	PRST 25/1
Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health	42/16

<i>Mandate title</i>	<i>Human Rights Council resolution</i>
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders	43/16
Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers	44/8
Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples	42/20
Special Rapporteur on the human rights of internally displaced persons	41/15
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran	43/24
Special Rapporteur on the elimination of discrimination against persons affected by leprosy and their family members	44/6
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali	43/38
Working Group on the use of mercenaries	42/9
Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants	43/6
Special Rapporteur on minority issues	43/8
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar	43/26
Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons	42/12
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967	5/1
Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy	46/16
Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation & guarantees of non-recurrence	45/10
Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance	43/36
Special Rapporteur on the sale and sexual exploitation of children, including child prostitution, child pornography and other child sexual abuse material	43/22
Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery	42/10
Independent Expert on protection against violence and discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity	41/18
Independent Expert on human rights and international solidarity	44/11
Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia	45/27
Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions	44/5
Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Syrian Arab Republic	S-18/1
Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism	40/16
Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment	43/20
Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and wastes	45/17
Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children	44/4
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Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences	41/17
Working Group on the issue of discrimination against women in law and in practice	41/6
Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation	42/5
