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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Belarus to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the United Nations Secretariat, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, and in addition to the Mission's note verbale No 214 of 22 February 2011 has the honour to request the Office's further clarifications in view of its response of 16 May 2011 Ref. CEDAW/2011/48th/Belarus, whether the comments by Belarus to the CEDAW concluding observations are *entirely* reflected in the Committee's report to the 66<sup>th</sup> session of the United Nations General Assembly.

If not, the Mission reiterates its now urgent request to release the State Party comments as an official United Nations document in compliance with Article 21 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, which states, *inter alia*, that "Such suggestions and general recommendations shall be included in the report of the Committee *together with comments, if any, from States Parties*".

The Permanent Mission avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 23 May 2011



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