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Excellency,

In my capacity as Special Rapporteur for Follow-up to Concluding Observations of the Human Rights Committee, I have the honour to refer to the follow-up to the examination of the initial report of Bangladesh at the 119th session, held in March 2017.

At the end of that session, the Committee's concluding observations (CCPR/C/BGD/CO/1) were transmitted to your Permanent Mission. You may recall that, in paragraph 34 of the concluding observations, the Committee requested the State party to provide within one year further information on the specific areas of concern identified in paragraphs 14 (early marriage and harmful traditional practices), 20 (extrajudicial killings and enforced disappearances) and 22 (torture and ill-treatment).

A [letter of reminder](#) for the required information was sent to the State party on 18 April 2018. Nonetheless, during its 124th session held in Geneva in July 2018, the Committee noted that the requested information had not been received.

In light thereof and in the spirit of openness and transparency, I should be grateful to meet with you or a representative of your Permanent Mission to discuss the matters set out above. Therefore, I invite you to a meeting on **Tuesday, 30 October 2018, at 9:30 a.m.** at Palais Wilson in Geneva (room 4-083). I would be grateful if you could confirm your availability for this meeting by email to ccpr@ohchr.org.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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