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Excellency,

In my capacity as Rapporteur for Follow-up on Concluding Observations of the United Nations Committee against Torture, I refer to the examination of the second periodic report of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (CAT/C/MKD/2) on 7 and 8 May 2008. The Committee adopted its concluding observations (CAT/C/MKD/CO/2), in which it requested further comments by the State party in relation to specific concerns listed in paragraphs 6, 8, 13, and 20.

On behalf of the Committee, I thank you for your correspondence of 8 February 2010, however this letter provided comments by your Government on paragraphs 5, 7, 12 and 19 of the concluding observations. It appears that there may have been an issue with the numbering of paragraphs. Accordingly, I am writing to request comments from your Government on paragraphs 6, 8, 13 and 20 of the concluding observations, as was requested for the follow-up procedure. I would be grateful for clarification as to when the requested information may be forthcoming.

The Committee looks forward to pursuing a constructive dialogue it has started with the authorities of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia on the implementation of the Convention. In this context, the Committee seeks your response to this enquiry.

Accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Handwritten signature of Felice D. Gaer in black ink.

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