




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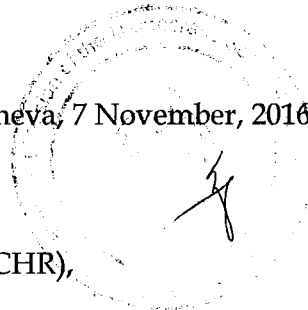
The Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka to the United Nations Office in Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Secretariat of the Committee against Torture (CAT)), and has the honour to refer to the latter's communications dated 15 August 2016, requesting the Government of Sri Lanka to provide written replies to the questions raised in the List of Issues (CAT/C/LKA/Q/5) by the Committee for the consideration of the 5th Periodic Report of Sri Lanka.

The Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka wishes to submit herewith the written response by the Government of Sri Lanka to the questions raised in the List of Issues.

The Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka would appreciate an acknowledgement of receipt of this communication.

The Permanent Mission of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka to the United Nations Office in Geneva and other International Organizations in Switzerland avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the Committee against Torture (CAT) the assurances of its highest consideration. 

Geneva, 7 November, 2016



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