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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 examination of the fourth periodic report of the United Republic of Tanzania.

As recalled in my letter sent on 2 August 2011, the Committee's concluding observations were transmitted to your Permanent Mission at the end of its 96th session held in July 2009.

During its 100th, 101st, 102nd and 103rd sessions held from October 2010 to October 2011, the Committee noted that such information had not been received, despite of the letters of reminder that were sent to your Permanent Mission on 16 December 2010 and on 10 May 2011.

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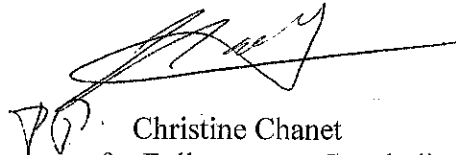
In light thereof and in the spirit of a good understanding and transparency, I sent you an invitation for a meeting during the 103rd session of the Committee (letter sent on 2 August 2010). No reply was received to this invitation either.

I therefore send you this letter, as a second invitation for a meeting. The meeting should be held during the 103rd session of the Committee, which will be held in March 2012 at the UN Headquarter in New York.

I look forward to the Permanent Mission's views regarding a mutually convenient date, time and place for this meeting. In this regard, you are invited to contact Ms. Albane Prophette-Pallasco, (aprophette@ohchr.org, phone: +41 22 91 79719).

The Committee looks forward to pursuing its constructive dialogue with the authorities of Tanzania on the implementation of the Covenant.

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



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