The Permanent Mission of India to the Office of the United Nations and other International Organisations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and with reference to communication No. Al./G /SO 214 (53-24) G/SO 214 (89-15) IND 17/2011 dated September 15, 2012, signed by Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment and Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences and, has the honour to inform that the matter has been investigated by competent authorities and found that the allegation was baseless and instigated. A separate case FIR No. 105/2011 U/S 153 RPC has been registered to identify the instigator and take appropriate action under the law against him.

The Permanent Mission of India requests that the response of the Government of India be presented in full to the Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment and Special Rapporteur on violence against women.

The Permanent Mission of India to the Office of the United Nations and other International Organisations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights the assurances of its highest consideration.

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