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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 (Office of the Special Rapporteur on Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Office of the Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women, its Causes and Consequences) and has the honour to acknowledge receipt of the Joint Communication dated 07 July 2014 addressed to H.E. Mr. Ravinatha Aryasinha, Ambassador / Permanent Representative of Sri Lanka to the United Nations in Geneva, by Mr. Juan E. Mendez, Special Rapporteur on Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and Ms. Rashida Manjoo, Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women, its Causes and Consequences, on the alleged victimization of Ms. [REDACTED].

The Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka has the honour to inform the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights that the Joint Urgent Appeal of the two Special Rapporteurs has been transmitted to the Government of Sri Lanka for appropriate action.

The Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka will keep the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights informed of the response of the Government of Sri Lanka.

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 Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Office of the Special Rapporteur on Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Office of the Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women, its Causes and Consequences) the assurances of its highest consideration.



Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)

(Attn: Mr. Juan E. Mendez, Special Rapporteur on Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and Ms. Rashida Manjoo, Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women, its Causes and Consequences)

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