

## PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, GENEVA

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) – Special Procedures Branch and, with reference to the dated 26 February 2018 from Ms. Beatriz Balbin, Chief of the Special Procedures Branch, has the honor to acknowledge receipt of the joint urgent appeal (UA PHL 2/2018) from the following Special Procedures mandate holders, namely:

- 1. Ms. Agnes Callamard, SR on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions;
- 2. Mr. John H. Knox, SR on environment;
- 3. Mr. Michel Forst, SR on human rights defenders;
- 4. Ms. Victoria Lucia Tauli-Corpuz, SR on indigenous peoples; and
- 5. Ms. Dubravka Simonovic, SR on violence against women.

The joint appeal has been transmitted to the capital for consideration.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights – Special Procedures Branch the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 05 March 2018

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Attention: The Special Procedures Branch

