The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and, with reference to the joint communication No. AL KHM 7/2020 dated 11 December 2020 from Special Procedures, has the honour to transmit to the latter herewith the former’s Note No. 2020/12/1089 dated 16 December 2020, offering clarifications on the alleged case of Mr. Osman Kacara.

The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia would greatly appreciate it if the above-said detail could be conveyed to its high destinations.

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

Geneva, 8 February 2021

Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
Geneva
The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and, with reference to the latter’s communication No. WGAD/KHM/2020/CASE/1 dated 24 September 2020, has the honour to transmit to the OHCHR herewith reply from the Ministry of Interior and Cambodian Human Rights Committee with regard to the alleged arbitrary deprivation of liberty of Mr. Osman Karaca as follows:

1- The case of Mr. Osman Karaca was not arbitrary deprivation of liberty, but enforcement of Law on Immigration of the Kingdom of Cambodia as to deportation of foreigners from its territory and definitive ban of re-entry into Cambodia.

2- It is cooperation in criminal matters with other countries in preventing and suppressing transnational crimes.

The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Cambodia would be appreciated if the said information could be conveyed to its high destination.

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

Geneva, 16 December 2020

Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

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