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The Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland presents its compliments to the Special Procedures Branch and has the honour to please request a three week extension for the submission of the response to communication JAL GBR 12/2020 sent by the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders; the Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment; and the Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association.

The response to this communication is near completion, however as the Cayman Islands is a self-governing jurisdiction, separate from the UK with its own government, the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland needs sufficient time to consult with them fully. Therefore the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland would be most grateful for the consideration of an extension.

The Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Special Procedures Branch the assurances of its highest consideration.



Geneva, 4 February 2021

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