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The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, the Mandates of the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery, including its causes and consequences; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants; and the Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children, and would like to refer to the latter's joint communication ref: **AL SAU 7/2021** dated **7 June 2021**.

In this regard and stemming from the Keeness of our government to cooperate with the mechanisms of the Human Rights Council, we would like to inform you that the case presented above needs further examining, thus the need for more time to provide the requested information. Therefore, the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia is kindly requesting a deadline extension of (30) days to provide a substantive reply to the aforementioned communication.

The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, the Mandates of the Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery, including its causes and consequences; the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants; and the Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children the assurance of its highest consecration.



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