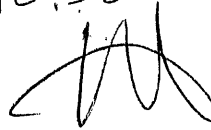


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## Human Rights Situation in Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

The Human Rights Council,

Guided by the Charter of the United Nations, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and relevant international human rights instruments, and relevant international law

Recalling General Assembly resolution 60/251 of 15 March 2006 and recalling further Council resolution 5/1 and 5/2 of 18 June 2007

Reaffirming also Human Rights Council resolution A/HRC/S-15/1 and recalling General Assembly Resolution A/65/265

Taking note of the continued work of the United Nations Secretary General's Special Envoy for Libya, the African Union, the League of Arab States and the European Union

Reaffirming that all States have an obligation to protect the rights to life, liberty and security of the person

Expressing deep concern at the killings of thousands of civilians and the deterioration of the humanitarian situation

1. Unequivocally condemns the continuing deterioration of the human rights situation in Libya since February 2011, including ongoing gross and systematic human rights violations, in particular indiscriminate armed attacks against civilians, extrajudicial killings, enforced disappearances, arbitrary detention, torture and reports of sexual violence against women and children, some of which may also amount to crimes against humanity
2. Expresses deep concern at the ongoing arbitrary detention and killing of civilians, including human rights defenders, migrants and journalists, including foreign journalists
3. Urgently reiterates its call on the Government of Libya made at the Human Rights Council Special Session on 25 February 2011 to immediately cease all violations of human rights, to meet its responsibility to protect its population, to release all those arbitrarily detained, and to ensure unimpeded humanitarian access without discrimination
4. Urges all parties concerned to respect applicable international law, in particular international human rights law and international humanitarian law
5. Also urges the Libyan authorities to take immediate steps to ensure the safety of foreign nationals in Libya, including migrant workers and UN, international and diplomatic staff, as well as the protection of their property
6. Welcomes the report of the Commission of Inquiry as well as their recent visit and urges all parties to ensure the implementation of the recommendations contained therein
7. Urges the Libyan authorities to respect the popular will, aspirations and demands of its people and in this context, reiterates its call for an open, inclusive and meaningful national

dialogue aimed at systemic changes responding to the will of all the Libyan people and at the promotion and protection of their human rights including the creation of credible and accountable mechanisms for the Libyan people

8. Calls upon the Libyan authorities to fully cooperate with the Commission of Inquiry and with all international human rights bodies and mechanisms
9. Recalls the importance of accountability, justice and the need to fight against impunity, and in this regard stresses the need to hold to account those responsible for violations in Libya
10. Takes notes of the steps taken by the Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court
11. Welcomes the statements by the Libyan National Transitional Council of its commitment to upholding international human rights law, and invites them to take further steps to prevent violations and abuses of human rights, including through increased engagement with international human rights organisations
12. Encourages the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights to identify ways to increase its engagement with Libya, including through technical assistance
13. Takes note of the application of the measures foreseen in paragraph 8 of the GA resolution 60/251 and recalls its decision to review the matter as appropriate in light of further developments
14. Decides to extend the mandate of the Commission of Inquiry established in Human Rights Council resolution A/HRC/S-15/1 and requests the Commission of Inquiry to continue its work including through visits and to provide an oral update to the 18<sup>th</sup> session and a final written report to the 19<sup>th</sup> session
15. Requests the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner to continue to provide all administrative, technical and logistical assistance required to enable the Commission of Inquiry to fulfil its mandate
16. Expresses the Human Rights Council's determination to ensure ongoing monitoring of the human rights situation in Libya and decides to remain seized of the matter