BUREAU DU PRÉSIDENT

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

25 June 2021

Excellencies,

I have the honour to transmit for your attention the addendum 2 to the report of the Consultative Group dated 25 June 2021, with its recommendation of candidates for consideration for the appointment to the following two, out of seven, vacancies, to be filled at the forty-seventh session of the Human Rights Council:

- 1. Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences
- 2. Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, member from Western European and other States

I take this opportunity to recall that, according to paragraph 52 of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1, "on the basis of the recommendations of the Consultative Group and following broad consultations, in particular through the regional coordinators, the President of the Council will identify an appropriate candidate for each vacancy."

In line with this paragraph, I will be holding broad consultations, based on this addendum, with a view to identifying appropriate candidates for the above-mentioned vacancies.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Nazhat Shameem KHAN

President of the Human Rights Council

Enclosure

To all Permanent Representatives to the United Nations Office at Geneva