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Advisory Committee	HRC to consider the <u>annual report</u> of the Advisory Committee on its 24th session, held in February 2020.	A/HRC/45/37	25 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>study</u> by the Advisory Committee on implementing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. (<i>See also Sustainable Development Goals</i>)	A/HRC/45/39	25 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Advisory Committee on the importance of a legally binding instrument on the right to development. (<i>See also Development, right to</i>)	A/HRC/45/40	25 Sept.
	HRC to <u>elect</u> seven members of the Advisory Committee	A/HRC/45/59	6 October
African descent, people of	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on systematic racism, violations of international human rights law against Africans and people of African descent by law enforcement agencies, especially those incidents that resulted in the death of George Floyd. (<i>See also Floyd, George, and Racism</i>)	Oral update HRC res. 43/1	30 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent on its activities and missions to Ecuador and Peru. (<i>See also Ecuador, Peru</i>)	A/HRC/45/44	30 Sept.

and Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia)

HRC to consider report of the **High Commissioner** on her activities within the framework of the International Decade for **People of African Descent**. *(See also Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia)*

A/HRC/45/47 30 Sept.

Albania HRC to consider report of **Working Group** on Enforced or Involuntary **Disappearances** following up to its mission report on **Albania**. *(See also Disappearances)*

A/HRC/45/13/ Add.4 21 Sept.

Armenia HRC to consider report of the **UPR Working Group** and adopt its final outcome on **Armenia**.

A/HRC/45/10 28 Sept.

Asia HRC to consider report of the new **Special Rapporteur** on the rights of **indigenous peoples**, José Francisco Cali Tzay, on regional consultation in **Asia**. *(See also Indigenous peoples, rights of)*

A/HRC/45/34/ Add.2 24 Sept.

Brazil HRC to consider report of the new **Special Rapporteur** on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of **hazardous substances and waste**, Marcos A. Orellana, on the mission of his predecessor to **Brazil**. *(See also Toxic waste)*

A/HRC/45/12/ Add.2 18 Sept.

Burundi HRC to consider final report of the **Commission of Inquiry on Burundi**, followed by statement from the country concerned and an interactive discussion.

A/HRC/45/32 22 Sept.

Cambodia	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Cambodia , Rhona Smith, followed by a statement from the country concerned and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	A/HRC/45/51	1 October
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in Cambodia , followed by a statement from the country concerned.	A/HRC/45/56	2 October
Canada	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and waste , Marcos A. Orellana, on the mission of his predecessor to Canada . (<i>See also Toxic waste</i>)	A/HRC/45/12/ Add.1	18 Sept.
Central African Republic	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Central African Republic , Yao Agbetse, followed by a statement from the country concerned and an <u>interactive discussion</u> .	A/HRC/45/65	2 October
China	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons , Claudia Mahler, on the mission of her predecessor to China . (<i>See also Older persons</i>)	A/HRC/45/14/ Add.1	18 Sept.
Complaint procedure	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Working Group on Situations of the complaint procedure on its 25 th session, held in closed meetings in January 2020.	Confidential report	25 Sept. (private meeting)

Congo	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples , José Francisco Cali Tzay, on his predecessor's mission to the Congo . (<i>See also Indigenous peoples, rights of</i>)	A/HRC/45/34/ Add.1	24 Sept.
COVID-19	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on the human rights impact of the COVID-19 pandemic followed by an enhanced <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	Oral update HRC PRST. 43/1	14 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery , Tomoya Obokata, addressing the impact of the coronavirus disease pandemic on contemporary forms of slavery and slavery-like practices. (<i>See also Slavery</i>)	A/HRC/45/8	15 Sept.
	HRC to convene its <u>biennial panel discussion</u> on the right to development with a focus on strengthening international cooperation and solidarity in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic . (<i>See also Development, right to</i>)	Concept note HRC res 42/23	17 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and waste , Marcos A Orellana, addressing duty to prevent exposure to COVID-19 . (<i>See also Toxic waste</i>)	A/HRC/45/12	18 Sept.
Death penalty	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Secretary-General on capital punishment and the	A/HRC/45/20	21 Sept.

implementation of safeguards guaranteeing protection of the rights of those facing the **death penalty**.

Democratic Republic of the Congo

HRC to consider reports of the **High Commissioner** on the situation of human rights in the **Democratic Republic of the Congo**, and by the team of international experts on the situation in Kasai, followed by a statement from the country concerned and an enhanced interactive dialogue.

A/HRC/45/49 1 October
A/HRC/45/50
HRC res 42/34

Detention

HRC to consider annual report of **Working Group on Arbitrary Detention**, as well as reports on its missions to Greece and Qatar. *(See also Greece and Qatar)*

A/HRC/45/20 18 Sept.

HRC President scheduled to appoint two members of the **Working Group on Arbitrary Detention**, from African States and Latin American and Caribbean States.

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Development, right to

HRC to consider report of the **Special Rapporteur** on the **right to development**, Saad Alfarargi, addressing national-level financing for development practices, and on his mission to Switzerland. *(See also Switzerland)*

A/HRC/45/15 16 Sept.

HRC to convene its biennial panel discussion on the **right to development** with a focus on strengthening international cooperation and solidarity in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic. *(See also COVID-19)*

Concept note HRC res 42/23 17 Sept.

HRC to consider first report by the recently established **Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development**. A/HRC/45/29 17 Sept.

HRC to hear an oral update by the Chairperson of the **Working Group** on the **Right to Development**. A/HRC/45/21 21 Sept.

HRC to consider consolidated report of the **Secretary-General** and the **High Commissioner** on efforts undertaken at the national, regional and international levels in the promotion and realization of the **right to development**. A/HRC/45/17 21 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the **Advisory Committee** on the importance of a legally binding instrument on the **right to development**. *(See also Advisory Committee)* A/HRC/45/40 25 Sept.

Disabilities, rights of persons with HRC President scheduled to appoint mandate holder to **fill vacancy** for post of **Special Rapporteur** on the rights of persons with **disabilities**. Consultative Group report & President's list 6 October

Disappearances HRC to consider report of **Working Group** on Enforced or Involuntary **Disappearances** on the cases it has addressed between May 2019 and May 2020, as well as on its missions to Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan, and follow-up to its missions to Albania and Turkey. *(See also Albania, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Turkey)* A/HRC/45/13 21 Sept.

HRC to consider report of **Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances** addressing **standards and public policies for an effective investigation** of enforced disappearances. A/HRC/45/Add.3 21 Sept.

HRC President scheduled to appoint a member of the **Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances** from the African States. (*Pending renewal of mandate*) Consultative Group report & President's list 6 October

Economic and social rights

HRC to hear annual briefing by **President of the Economic and Social Council**, Amb. Munir Akram (Pakistan), on the High Level Political Forum on sustainable development held last July. (*See also Sustainable Development Goals*) Oral briefing HRC res 37/25 21 Sept.

HRC to consider report of **Advisory Committee** on the negative effects of terrorism on human rights, with a particular focus on **economic, social and cultural rights**. (*See also Advisory Committee*) A/HRC/45/41 25 Sept.

Ecuador

HRC to consider report of the **Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent** on mission to **Ecuador**. (*See also African descent, people of*) A/HRC/45/44/Add.1 30 Sept.

Education

HRC to consider report of **OHCHR** on the implementation of the third phase of the **World Programme for Human Rights Education (2020-2024)**. A/HRC/45/24 HRC res. 42/7 21 Sept.

El Salvador	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence , Fabián Salvioli, on his mission to El Salvador . (<i>See also Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence</i>)	A/HRC/45/45/ Add.2	16 Sept.
Eritrea	HRC President scheduled to <u>appoint</u> <u>mandate holder</u> to fill vacancy for post of Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea .	Consultative Group report & President's list	6 October
Extremism	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on the negative impact of terrorism on human rights and alleged human rights violations while countering terrorism and violent extremism conducive to terrorism. (<i>See also Terrorism</i>)	A/HRC/45/27	21 Sept.
Floyd, George	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on systematic racism, violations of international human rights law against Africans and people of African descent by law enforcement agencies, especially those incidents that resulted in the death of George Floyd . (<i>See also African descent, people of, and Racism</i>)	Oral update HRC res. 43/1	30 Sept.
Gambia	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence , Fabián Salvioli, on his mission to the Gambia . (<i>See also Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence</i>)	A/HRC/45/45/ Add.3	16 Sept.

Gender equality	HRC to hold <u>annual discussion</u> on the integration of a gender perspective throughout its work and that of its mechanisms along the theme “Gender and diversity: strengthening the intersectional perspective in the work of the Human Rights Council”	Concept note HRC res. 6/30	28 Sept.
Georgia	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on cooperation with Georgia , followed by a statement from the country concerned and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	A/HRC/45/54	2 October
Governance	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Independent Expert on the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order , Livingstone Sewanyana, addressing the interplay of financial institutions’ policies and safeguards with good governance . <i>(See also International order)</i>	A/HRC/45/28	21 Sept.
Greece	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Working Group on Arbitrary Detention , on its mission to Greece . <i>(See also Detention)</i>	A/HRC/45/16/ Add.1	18 Sept.
Grenada	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Grenada .	A/HRC/45/13	28 Sept.
Guinea	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Guinea .	A/HRC/45/5	28 Sept.
Guinea-Bissau	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on	A/HRC/45/11	28 Sept.

Guinea-Bissau.

Guyana	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Guyana .	A/HRC/45/16	28 or 29 Sept.
High Commissioner	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner for Human Rights, Michelle Bachelet, on the activities of her Office and recent human rights developments, followed by a general debate.	Oral update	14 Sept.
Human rights defenders	HRC to hold annual half-day <u>panel discussion</u> on the rights of indigenous peoples on the theme “protection of indigenous human rights defenders ” (<i>See also Indigenous peoples, rights of</i>)	Concept note HRC res. 42/19	23 Sept.
India	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation , Léo Heller, following up to his previous mission report on India . (<i>See also Water and sanitation</i>)	A/HRC/45/10/ Add.3	15 Sept.
Indigenous peoples, rights of	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on activities undertaken by the OHCHR and relevant developments to promote the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples	A/HRC/45/22	21 Sept.
	HRC to hold annual half-day <u>panel discussion</u> on the rights of indigenous peoples on the theme “protection of indigenous human rights defenders” (<i>See also Human rights defenders</i>)	Concept note HRC res. 42/19	23 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the new **Special Rapporteur** on the rights of **indigenous peoples**, José Francisco Cali Tzay, containing reflections by his predecessor on the mandate at the end of her term and some forward-looking recommendations, and on his predecessor's mission to the Congo. (*See also Congo*)

A/HRC/45/34 24 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the new **Special Rapporteur** on the rights of **indigenous peoples**, José Francisco Cali Tzay, on regional consultation in Asia. (*See also Asia*)

A/HRC/45/34/ Add.2 24 Sept.

HRC to consider annual study of the **Expert Mechanism** on the Rights of **Indigenous Peoples** focusing on the **right to land**.

A/HRC/45/38 24 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the **Expert Mechanism** on the Rights of **Indigenous Peoples** focusing on the repatriation of **ceremonial objects, human remains and intangible heritage**.

A/HRC/45/35 24 Sept.

International order

HRC to consider report of **Independent Expert** on the promotion of a democratic and equitable **international order**, Livingstone Sewanyana, addressing the interplay of financial institutions' policies and safeguards with good governance. (*See also Governance*)

A/HRC/45/28 21 Sept.

Kenya

HRC to consider report of the **UPR Working Group** and adopt its final outcome on **Kenya**.

A/HRC/45/9 28 Sept.

Kiribati	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Kiribati .	A/HRC/45/15	28 or 29 Sept.
Kyrgyzstan	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Kyrgyzstan . (<i>See also Disappearances</i>)	A/HRC/45/13/ Add.2	21 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Kyrgyzstan .	A/HRC/45/4	28 Sept.
Lao People's Democratic Republic	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Lao People's Democratic Republic .	A/HRC/45/6	28 Sept.
Lesotho	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Lesotho .	A/HRC/45/8	28 Sept.
Libya	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the recently established Fact-finding Mission on Libya followed by an <u>interactive dialogue</u> with the participation of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Libya, and a statement from the country concerned.	Oral update HRC res 43/39	2 October
Mercenaries	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Working group on the use of mercenaries , highlighting the impact on the protection of the human rights of all migrants of the increased use of private military and security services in immigration and border	A/HRC/45/9	17 Sept.

management, and on its mission to Switzerland. *(See also Migrants, rights of, and Switzerland)*

HRC President scheduled to appoint a member of the **Working Group on the use of mercenaries** as a means of violating human rights from the Asia-Pacific States.

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Mexico

HRC to consider report of the **Special Rapporteur** on the human rights to safe drinking **water and sanitation**, Léo Heller, following up to his previous mission report on **Mexico**. *(See also Water and sanitation)*

A/HRC/45/10/Add.2 15 Sept.

Migrants, rights of

HRC to consider report of the **Working group** on the use of **mercenaries**, highlighting the impact on the protection of the human rights of all **migrants** of the increased use of private military and security services in immigration and border management. *(See also Mercenaries)*

A/HRC/45/9 17 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the **Secretary-General** on the human rights of migrants.

A/HRC/45/30 GA res 74/148 21 Sept.

Mongolia

HRC to consider report of the **Special Rapporteur** on the human rights to safe drinking **water and sanitation**, Léo Heller, following up to his previous mission report on **Mongolia**. *(See also Water and sanitation)*

A/HRC/45/10/Add.4 15 Sept.

Mortality and morbidity

HRC to consider report of the **High Commissioner** on preventable **maternal**

A/HRC/45/19 21 Sept.

mortality and morbidity. (See also *Women's rights*)

Myanmar	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on the situation of human rights of Rohingya Muslims and other minorities in Myanmar and follow up to the implementation of the recommendations made by the Independent International Fact-finding Mission on Myanmar .	A/HRC/45/5	14 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Independent Investigative Mechanism for Myanmar (IIMM) on its activities to date, presented by Nicholas Koumjian, Head of IIMM.	A/HRC/45/60	14 Sept.
	HRC to hear <u>oral progress report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar , Thomas Andrews, followed by the country concerned statement and <u>interactive discussion</u> .	Oral report HRC res 43/26	22 Sept.
National human rights institutions	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Secretary-General on national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights.	A/HRC/45/42	30 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Global Alliance of National Human Rights Institutions in accrediting national institutions in compliance with the Paris Principles.	A/HRC/45/43	30 Sept.
New Zealand	HRC to consider <u>reports</u> of the new Independent Expert on the enjoyment of	A/HRC/45/14/ Add.2	18 Sept.

all human rights by **older persons**, Claudia Mahler, on the mission of her predecessor to **New Zealand**. *(See also Older persons)*

Nicaragua	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on the human rights situation in Nicaragua .	Oral update HRC res. 43/2	14 Sept.
OHCHR	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on the geographical composition of the staff of the OHCHR .	A/HRC/45/4	21 Sept.
Older persons	HRC to consider <u>reports</u> of the new Independent Expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons , Claudia Mahler, addressing the data gap and older persons, and on the missions of her predecessor to China and New Zealand. <i>(See also China and New Zealand)</i>	A/HRC/45/14	18 Sept.
Paraguay	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation , Léo Heller, on his mission to Paraguay . <i>(See also Water and sanitation)</i>	A/HRC/45/10/ Add.1	15 Sept.
Peru	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent on mission to Peru . <i>(See also African descent, people of)</i>	A/HRC/45/44/ Add.2	30 Sept.
Qatar	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Working Group on Arbitrary Detention , on its mission to Qatar . <i>(See also Detention)</i>	A/HRC/45/16/ Add.2	18 Sept.

Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia	HRC to hear <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on systematic racism , violations of international human rights law against Africans and people of African descent by law enforcement agencies, especially those incidents that resulted in the death of George Floyd. <i>(See also African descent, people of, and Floyd, George)</i>	Oral update HRC res. 43/1	30 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent on its activities. <i>(See also African descent, people of)</i>	A/HRC/45/44	30 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on her activities within the framework of the International Decade for People of African Descent . <i>(See also African descent, people of)</i>	A/HRC/45/47	30 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Intergovernmental Working Group on the Effective Implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action (DDPA) on the preparations for the commemoration of the 20 th anniversary of the DDPA discussed during its 17 th session held on December 2019.	A/HRC/45/48	30 Sept.
Reprisals	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Secretary-General with a compilation and analysis of alleged reprisals against those who seek to cooperate or have cooperated with the UN its representatives and mechanisms, followed by an <u>interactive discussion</u> .	A/HRC/45/36	25 Sept.

Slavery	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery , Tomoya Obokata, addressing the impact of the coronavirus disease pandemic on contemporary forms of slavery and slavery-like practices, and on the mission of his predecessor to Togo. <i>(See also COVID-19 and Togo)</i>	A/HRC/45/8	15 Sept.
Somalia	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia , Isha Dyfan, followed by a statement from the country concerned and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	A/HRC/45/52	1 October
South Sudan	HRC to hear an <u>oral update</u> by the Commission on Human Rights in South Sudan , followed by statement from the country concerned and an enhanced <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	Oral update HRC res 43/27	23 Sept.
Special procedures	HRC to consider <u>communications report</u> of the special procedures .	A/HRC/45/3	Multiple dates
Sri Lanka	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence , Fabián Salvioli, on his mission to Sri Lanka . <i>(See also Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence)</i>	A/HRC/45/45/ Add.1	16 Sept.
Sudan	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Sudan , Aristide Nononsi, followed by a	A/HRC/45/53	1 October

statement from the country concerned and an enhanced interactive dialogue.

HRC President scheduled to appoint mandate holder to **fill vacancy** for post of **Independent Expert** on the situation of human rights in the **Sudan**. (*Pending renewal of mandate*)

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Sustainable development

HRC to hear annual briefing by **President of the Economic and Social Council**, Amb. Munir Akram (Pakistan), on the High Level Political Forum on **sustainable development** held last July. (*See also Economic and social rights*)

HRC res 37/25 21 Sept.

HRC to consider study by the **Advisory Committee** on implementing the 2030 Agenda for **Sustainable Development**. (*See also Advisory Committee*)

A/HRC/45/39 25 Sept.

Sweden

HRC to consider report of the **UPR Working Group** and adopt its final outcome on **Sweden**.

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Switzerland

HRC to consider report of the **Special Rapporteur** on the **right to development**, Saad Alfarargi, on his mission to **Switzerland**. (*See also Switzerland*)

A/HRC/45/15/ Add.1 16 Sept.

HRC to consider report of the **Working group** on the use of **mercenaries** on its mission to **Switzerland**. (*See also Mercenaries*)

A/HRC/45/9/ Add.1 17 Sept.

Syrian Arab Republic	HRC to consider updated <u>written report</u> by the International Independent Commission of Inquiry on human rights situation in the Syrian Arab Republic covering recent developments in the country, followed by a statement by the country concerned and an <u>interactive discussion</u> .	A/HRC/45/31	22 Sept.
Tajikistan	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances on its mission to Tajikistan . (<i>See also Disappearances</i>)	A/HRC/45/13/ Add.1	21 Sept.
Terrorism	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on the negative impact of terrorism on human rights and alleged human rights violations while countering terrorism and violent extremism conducive to terrorism. (<i>See also Extremism</i>)	A/HRC/45/27	21 Sept.
Togo	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of slavery , Tomoya Obokata, on the mission of his predecessor to Togo . (<i>See also Slavery</i>)	A/HRC/45/8/ Add.1	15 Sept.
Toxic waste	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the implications for human rights of the environmentally sound management and disposal of hazardous substances and waste , Marcos A Orellana, addressing duty to prevent exposure to COVID-19, and on the missions of his predecessor to Brazil and Canada. (<i>See also Brazil, Canada and COVID-19</i>)	A/HRC/45/12	18 Sept.

Truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence , Fabián Salvioli, on the memorialization processes in the context of serious violations of human rights and international humanitarian law, the fifth pillar of transitional justice, and on his missions to El Salvador, the Gambia and Sri Lanka. <i>(See also El Salvador, Gambia and Sri Lanka)</i>	A/HRC/45/45	16 Sept.
Turkey	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances following up to its mission report on Turkey . <i>(See also Disappearances)</i>	A/HRC/45/13/ Add.4	21 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the UPR Working Group and adopt its final outcome on Turkey .	A/HRC/45/14	28 or 29 Sept.
Ukraine	HRC to hear <u>oral presentation</u> of the High Commissioner on the situation of human rights in Ukraine , followed by a statement from the country concerned and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	Oral presentation HRC res 41/25	30 Sept.
Unilateral coercive measures	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the new Special Rapporteur on the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures (UCMs) on the enjoyment of human rights, Alena Douhan, spelling out her priorities and a road map for her approach to the mandate.	A/HRC/45/7	21 Sept.

Universal Periodic Review	HRC to consider and adopt the <u>final outcome of the review</u> of 12 countries reviewed during the UPR Working Group's 35th session (20-31 January 2020) (<i>See also respective countries</i>)	Multiple reports	28 & 29 Sept.
Venezuela	HRC to hear an <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on the human rights situation in Venezuela (<i>item 2</i>).	Oral update HRC res. 42/4	14 Sept.
	HRC to hear an <u>oral update</u> by the High Commissioner on the human rights situation in Venezuela (<i>item 4</i>).	Oral update HRC res 42/25	23 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Independent International Fact-finding Mission on Venezuela , presentation of report followed by the country concerned statement and <u>interactive discussion</u> .	A/HRC/45/33 HRC res 42/25	23 Sept.
Water and sanitation	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation , Léo Heller, reflecting on progress since the right to water and sanitation was explicitly recognized as a human right 10 years ago, and on his mission to Paraguay, as well as on a follow-up to his missions to India, Mexico and Mongolia. (<i>See also India, Mexico, Mongolia and Paraguay</i>)	A/HRC/45/10	15 Sept.
	HRC President scheduled to <u>appoint mandate holder</u> to fill vacancy for post of Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation .	Consultative Group report & President's list	6 October

Women's rights	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on preventable maternal mortality and morbidity . <i>(See also Mortality and morbidity)</i>	A/HRC/45/19	21 Sept.
	HRC President scheduled to <u>appoint a member</u> of the Working Group on discrimination against women and girls from Latin American and Caribbean States.	Consultative Group report & President's list	6 October
Yemen	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the Group of Eminent International and Regional Experts on Yemen , followed by the country concerned statement and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	A/HRC/45/6	29 Sept.
	HRC to consider <u>report</u> of the High Commissioner on the human rights situation in Yemen , followed by the country concerned statement and an <u>interactive dialogue</u> .	A/HRC/45/57	2 October

**Please note that the dates may change slightly subject to the programme.*







This A-Z provides a list of themes and countries to be addressed during the upcoming 45th session of the Human Rights Council according to the programme of work.

Please note that additional issues (thematic and country situations) can be raised during general debates scheduled to take place throughout the session.

All documents listed below are available on the HRC45 documents page.



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