

Annex III

List of Letters of Appeal by the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa

State	Date of Letter	Issue warranting Letter of Urgent Appeal	State Party Response
1. Guinea	27 November 2019	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H. E. Alpha Condé, President of the Republic of Guinea, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arbitrary detention of seven members of the National Front for the Defence of the Constitution (FNDC) and the sentencing of Messrs. Abdourahamane Sanoh, Ibrahima Diallo, Sékou Koundouno, Mamadou Bailo Barry and Alpha Soumah.	On 5 th December 2019, Guinea sent a response to the Commission.
2. Algeria	29 November 2019	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdelkader Bensalah, former Interim Head of State of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arbitrary arrest of Mr. Abdelouahab Fersaoui and several members of the RAJ.	On 3 rd January 2020, the Algerian Government sent a response to the Commission.
3. Mozambique	2 December 2019	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Filipe Nyusi, President of the Republic of Mozambique, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the assassination of the activist, Dr. Anastácio Matavel, and the restrictions on civic space during the pre-election period.	The State is yet to respond.
4. Egypt	19 December 2019	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding reprisals against a group of lawyers for their involvement in the defence of human rights in Egypt.	The State is yet to respond.

5. Algeria	17 January 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdelmadjid Tebboune, President of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arbitrary arrest and pre-trial detention of Mr. Halim Feddal.	The State is yet to respond.
6. Democratic Republic of Congo	17 January 2020	Joint Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Félix Antoine Tshisekedi Tshilombo, President of the Democratic Republic of Congo, from the Commissioner Rapporteur on the human rights situation in the Democratic Republic of Congo, Chairperson of the Working Group on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights in Africa and the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the crisis situation that prevailed at the University of Kinshasa since 6 January 2020.	The State is yet to respond.
7. Mauritania	21 January 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Mohamed Ould Cheikh El Ghazouani, President of the Islamic Republic of Mauritania, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the prosecution of Mrs. Seniya Haidar Yarahallah.	The State is yet to respond.
8. Tanzania	22 January 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. John Magufuli, President of the United Republic of Tanzania, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arrest and detention of human rights defender Mr. Tito Elia Magoti.	The State is yet to respond.
9. Egypt	23 January 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arbitrary detention of the researcher at the Egyptian Commission for Rights and Freedoms, Mr. Ibrahim Ezz El-Din.	The State is yet to respond.

10. Egypt	23 January 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the ill-treatment and medical neglect of human rights defender Mrs. Aicha Al-Chater.	The State sent a response to the Commission on 6 th August 2020.
11. Cameroon	11 February 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Paul Biya, President of the Republic of Cameroon, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the fire at the headquarters of the Network of Human Rights Defenders in Central Africa (REDHAC).	The State is yet to respond.
12. Uganda	14 February 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the break-in and burglary of the offices of TRIUMPH Uganda.	The State is yet to respond.
13. Nigeria	14 February 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Muhammadu Buhari, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding police harassment and attacks against human rights defender Deji Adeyanju.	The State is yet to respond.
14. Tunisia	9 March 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Kaïs Saïed, President of the Republic of Tunisia, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the death threats and smear campaign against human rights defender Rania Amdouni.	The State is yet to respond.
15. Togo	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Faure Essozimna Gnassingbé Eyadéma, President of the Republic of Togo, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding threats against the Togolese League for Human Rights	The State sent a response to the Commission dated 16 th July 2020.

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16. Burundi	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Pierre Nkurunziza, President of the Republic of Burundi, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the judicial harassment against twelve Burundian human rights defenders in exile.	The State is yet to respond.
17. Egypt	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding threats and harassment against family members of human rights defender Mr. Ahmed Said	The State is yet to respond.
18. Egypt	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the arrest and ill-treatment of human rights defender Patrick George Zaki.	The State is yet to respond.
19. Egypt	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the prolonged pre-trial detention of human rights defender Mr. Ibrahim Metwally Hegazy.	The State is yet to respond.
20. Egypt	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdel Fattah Al-Sissi, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the detention of human rights defender Ramy Kamel.	The State sent a response on 9 th September 2020

21. Tunisia	30 May 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Kaïs Saïed, President of the Republic of Tunisia, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the increasing intimidation and surveillance of human rights defender Mr. Badr Baabou.	The State is yet to respond.
22. Uganda	1 June 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding forced evictions, arbitrary arrests, judicial harassment, violent attacks and intimidation against Ugandan property rights defenders.	The State is yet to respond.
23. Uganda	1 June 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Yoweri Kaguta Museveni, President of the Republic of Uganda, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding acts of intimidation and threats against Mr. Jealousy Mugisha and Mr. Fred Mwesigwa.	The State is yet to respond.
24. Zimbabwe	17 July 2020	Joint Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Emmerson Mnangagwa, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe, from the Commissioner Rapporteur on the human rights situation in the Republic of Zimbabwe, Chairperson of the Committee for the Prevention of Torture in Africa, Special Rapporteur on Prisons, Conditions of Detention and Policing in Africa, Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Women in Africa and Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the human rights situation in the Republic of Zimbabwe.	The State is yet to respond.
25. Democratic Republic of Congo	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Félix Antoine Tshisekedi Tshilombo, President of the Democratic Republic of Congo, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the murder of human	The State is yet to respond.

		rights defender Frédéric-Marcus Kambale during a peaceful demonstration.	
26. Mauritania	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Mohamed Ould Cheikh El Ghazouani, President of the Islamic Republic of Mauritania, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and focal point on reprisals in Africa, regarding the arrest of fourteen human rights defenders.	The State is yet to respond.
27. Chad	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Idriss Déby Itno, President of the Republic of Chad, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the fears for the safety of human rights defender Dingamnayal Versinis.	The State is yet to respond.
28. Tunisia	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Kaïs Saïed, President of the Republic of Tunisia, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the violent assault on the transgender human rights defender Fritta by the Police.	The State is yet to respond.
29. Tunisia	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Kaïs Saïed, President of the Republic of Tunisia, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the defamation campaign against human rights defender Mrs. Fatma Moatemri.	The State is yet to respond.
30. Cameroon	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Paul Biya, President of the Republic of Cameroon, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the continuing attacks on human rights defender Elvis Brown Luma Mukuna.	The State is yet to respond.
31. Cameroon	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Paul Biya, President of the Republic of Cameroon, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the enforced disappearance and allegations of torture	The State is yet to respond.

		and murder of Samuel AJIEKAH ABUWE, known as Samuel WAZIZI.	
32. Guinea	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Alpha Condé, President of the Republic of Guinea, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding arbitrary arrests, judicial harassment and acts of intimidation against human rights defenders and members of the National Front for the Defence of the Constitution (FNDC).	The State sent a response on 2 nd September 2020
33. Algeria	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Abdelmadjid Tebboune, President of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the judicial harassment of human rights defender Anouar Rahmani.	The State sent a response on 24 th September 2020
34. Côte d'Ivoire	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Alassane Dramane Ouattara, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the sentencing of human rights defender Mr. Konan Yao Hubert to five years in prison.	The State is yet to respond.
35. Côte d'Ivoire	4 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Alassane Dramane Ouattara, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding the burglary of the office of the Human Rights Observatory of Côte d'Ivoire (OIDH).	The State is yet to respond.
36. Togo	6 August 2020	Letter of Urgent Appeal to H.E. Faure Essozimna Gnassingbé Eyadéma, President of the Republic of Togo, from the Special Rapporteur on Human Rights Defenders and Focal Point on Reprisals in Africa, regarding concerns about cases of human rights violations related to the measures	The State is yet to respond.

		adopted by the Government in response to the Covid-19 pandemic.	
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