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Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

Note by the Secretariat

1. In its resolution 48/141, the General Assembly created the post of United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and requested the High Commissioner to report annually to the Commission on Human Rights and, through the Economic and Social Council, to the Assembly.

2. Pursuant to that request, an overview of the work of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights from 1 December 2016 to 30 November 2017 is contained in document A/HRC/37/3. The Secretariat has the honour to refer the General Assembly to that report, which will be complemented by the oral statement of the High Commissioner to the Third Committee under the item.