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Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Reporting by the Secretary-General on “moratorium on the use of the death penalty” pursuant to General Assembly resolution 71/187

I write with regard to resolution 71/187 on “moratorium on the use of the death penalty” adopted by the General Assembly on 19 December 2016. Paragraph 11 of resolution 71/187 requests the Secretary-General “to report to the General Assembly at its seventy-third session on the implementation of the present resolution”.

Accordingly, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights would be grateful to receive relevant information covering developments since 19 December 2016, on the question of the moratorium on the use of the death penalty and other issues as included in resolution 71/187, so as to enable the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its seventy-third session.

Such information, preferably in MS Word format (maximum 1500 words), should be addressed no later than **1 May 2018** to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, United Nations CH 1211 – Geneva 10. Responses or any queries may also be sent electronically to registry@ohchr.org.

Yours sincerely,

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