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Subject: Call for applications vacancy of Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in the Sudan to be appointed at the 27th session of the Human Rights Council (8-26 September 2014)

The Secretariat of the Human Rights Council presents its compliments to all Permanent Missions to the United Nations Office at Geneva, international organizations or their offices, national institutions, non-governmental organizations, and other human rights bodies, and has the honour to inform them that Mr. Mashood Baderin, Independent Expert of the situation of human rights in the Sudan (A/HRC/RES/24/28), has decided to resign after his presentation of his next report to the twenty-seventh session of the Human Rights Council for personal reasons. Therefore, the appointment for this mandate will be made by the Council at its twenty-seventh session (scheduled to take place from 8 to 26 September 2014).

Individual applications, including a motivation letter, for the above vacancy should be submitted by **Monday, 28 July 2014 (midnight, GMT)** through the on-line application procedure, which consists of (1) a web-based survey and (2) an application form in Word. Updated information on the selection and appointment of special procedures mandate holders and the on-line application procedure is available at the following web page: <http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx>

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The Secretariat of the Human Rights Council avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all Permanent Missions to the United Nations Office at Geneva, international organizations or their offices, national institutions, non-governmental organizations, and other human rights bodies the assurances of its highest consideration.

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