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Subject: Extension of the deadline for applications for the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967 – to be appointed at the 31st session of the Human Rights Council

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 further to its note verbale dated 4 January 2016, **the deadline for the submission of applications** for the following position has been extended to **11 February 2016 (12 noon Greenwich Mean Time / GMT)**:

Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967

[Commission on Human Rights resolution 1993/2 and Human Rights Council resolution 5/1]

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