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Subject: Extension of the deadline for applications for four vacancies of mandate holders to be appointed at the 43rd 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 6 September 2019, **the deadline to apply** for the following four posts of the mandate holders to be appointed at the forty-third session of the Council (24 February to 20 March 2019) **has been extended to 27 October 2019 at 12 noon Greenwich Mean Time / GMT**:

1. **Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (EMRIP), member from Arctic** [HRC res. 33/25]
2. **Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia** [HRC res. 39/23]
3. **Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living, and on the right to non-discrimination in this context** [HRC res. 34/9]
4. **Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar** [HRC res. 40/29]

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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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