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Subject: Extension of deadline to apply for vacancies of Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali and Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Haiti

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 27 March 2013 regarding the submission of applications for the two vacancies of **Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Mali and Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Haiti** to be appointed by the Human Rights Council at its twenty-third session (27 May to 14 June 2013), the deadline for the submission of applications for the two vacancies has been extended by one week to **Thursday 2nd May 2013 (Midnight, GMT)**.

Information on the selection and appointment of experts and the on-line application procedure, which includes a web-based survey and an application form in Word, are available at the following web page link:
<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/Nominations.aspx>

The Secretariat of the Human Rights Council avails itself of this opportunity to present 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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