**Subject: Extension of the deadline for applications for two vacancies of mandate holders to be appointed at the forty-ninth session of the Human Rights Council (March 2022)**

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 14 October 2021, **the deadline to apply** for the following two posts of the mandate holders to be appointed at the forty-ninth session of the Council (March 2022) **has been extended to 2 December 2021 at 12 noon Geneva time**:

1. **Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Burundi (**[**HRC resolution 48/16**](https://undocs.org/A/HRC/RES/48/16)**)**
2. **Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967 (**[**CHR resolution 1993/2A**](https://www.un.org/unispal/document/auto-insert-180615/)**)**

Individual applications, including a motivation letter, must be submitted and received by **2 December 2021 at 12 noon Geneva time** through the on-line application procedure, which consists of (1) an online survey and (2) an application form in Word format. Updated information on the selection and appointment procedure, as well as the call for applications in the six United Nations official languages, are available at the following web page:

<https://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/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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