



**PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS TO THE UNITED NATIONS
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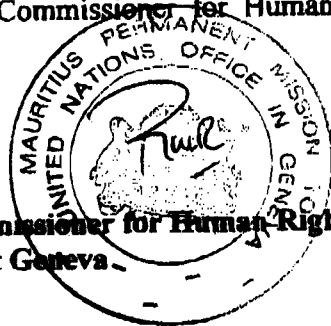
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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Mauritius to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and with reference to the latter's Note Verbale (Ref. IW/MK/SW/is) dated 4 June 2008, has the honour to submit hereunder the comments of the Government of the Republic of Mauritius on Human Rights Council resolution 7/9 entitled "*Human rights of persons with disabilities*":

Mauritius signed the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities in September 2007 and is committed to upholding and applying its provisions. The Government of Mauritius has come up with a Policy Paper and Plan of Action on Disability which contains a series of measures relating to health, education, training, employment, human rights, sports, leisure, transport, communication and accessibility. In this context, an Implementation and Monitoring Committee has been set up to work on the implementation of the recommendations of the Action Plan and eventual ratification of the Convention.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Mauritius to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights the assurances of its highest consideration.



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