

## **ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO CAMEROON-Addendum**

### **DENMARK**

- Denmark notes with concern the continuous problems for indigenous peoples (Pygmies) in Cameroon. What is preventing the Government from fully living up to international standards for protecting indigenous peoples?
- Which measures have been taken by the Government to prevent the use of torture by the police and the armed forces - and to investigate reported cases of torture as for instance the incidents involving torture in the aftermath of the social unrest in February 2008? Is it being considered to establish an independent body to investigate alleged cases of torture and to ratify OPCAT?

### **GERMANY**

- What is the current situation regarding the sale and trafficking of children in Cameroon? What measures is the government of Cameroon taking to prevent children from being exploited and are there any programmes to reunite children with their families?
- How can the Cameroonian Government better address and fight the issue of torture? Why doesn't the Cameroonian Government establish an independent mechanism to investigate reports of torture and to bring to justice the persons responsible?

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