ANNEX 1: Outstanding Country Visit Requests by UN Human Rights Experts and Working Groups

COUNTRY	OUTSTANDING REQUESTS
Algeria	 Independent Expert on the right to safe drinking water and sanitation* (agreed)
	 Special Rapporteur on racism (requested on 27 June 2012)
	• Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances (requested on 25 August 2000, reminders 2006 – 2012)
	• Special Rapporteur on human rights and counter-terrorism (requested in 2006, reminders in 2010 and 2012)
	 Independent Expert on foreign debt (requested on 25 May 2011 and 7 June 2012)
	• Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association (requested on 21 December 2011)
	 Independent Expert on cultural rights (requested in June 2010)
	Working Group on arbitrary detention (requested in 2009)
	 Special Rapporteur on torture (requested in 1997 and 2007)
	Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions (unknown date)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief*(agreed in 2004; date of last letter requesting dates: September 2006)
	 Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances (requested on 19 February 2013)
	 Special Rapporteur on independence of judges and lawyers (requested in 2011, reminder in 2013)
	 Independent Expert on foreign debt (requested on 20 May 2011 and on 21 May 2012)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association (requested in 2011)
	 Independent Expert on the right to safe drinking water and sanitation (requested in 2011)
China	 Special Rapporteur on human rights defenders (requested in 2008, reminder in 2010)
	 Independent Expert on minority issues (requested on 30 July 2009)
	 Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions (requested in 2005, reminder in 2008)
	 Special Rapporteur on adequate housing (requested in 2008)
	• Special Rapporteur on health (requested in 2006)
	• Special Rapporteur on toxic waste (requested in 2005)
	Independent Expert on extreme poverty (requested in 2005)
	• Special Rapporteur on torture*(agreed in 2009, reminder sent in 2013)
	• Special Rapporteur on violence against women (requested on 20 December 2012)
Cuba	• Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association (requested in September 2011)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief (requested in 2006)
	 Special Rapporteur on independence of judges and lawyers (requested in 1995, reminders in 1996 and 1999)
France	 Special Rapporteur on toxic waste in French Polynesia* (agreed in September / October 2011)
	 Special Rapporteur on adequate housing* (agreed)
	• Special Rapporteur on violence against women (requested on 13 June 2013)
	• Working Group on people of African descent (unknown date)
Macedonia	Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty (requested on 18 April 2012)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association* (agreed)
Maldives	• Special Rapporteur on violence against women (requested in 2008)
	• Special Representative of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights defenders (unknown date)
	Special Rapporteur on torture (requested in 2013)
	• Working Group on mercenaries (requested in 2010, reminder on 23 July 2013)
Mexico	• Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders (requested in 2011, reminder in December 2012)
	Special Rapporteur on racism (requested in September 2008)
Morocco	 Special Rapporteur on adequate housing* (agreed)
	 Special Rapporteur on the right to safe drinking water and sanitation* (agreed)
	 Special Rapporteur on health* (agreed)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association (requested in 16 September 2011)
Namibia	Working Group on transnational corporations and other business enterprises (requested on 4 June 2013)
	 Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders (requested in 2011)
Russia	 Representative of the Secretary-General on Internally Displaced Persons* (agreed)
	Working Group on transnational corporations and other business enterprises* (agreed; trip scheduled for September
	21 – Oct 1 2013 has been postponed with no new date scheduled)
	Working Group on people of African descent (requested on 11 January 2013)
	• Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances (requested on 2 November 2006, reminders 2008-2012)
	• Special Rapporteur on freedom of peaceful assembly and of association (requested on 6 September 2011)
	• Special Rapporteur on the right to food (requested on 2 February 2011)
	 Special Rapporteur on human rights the situation of defenders (requested in 2004, reminded in 2011)
	 Special Rapporteur on human rights and counter-terrorism (requested in 2008, reminder in 2010)

	 Special Rapporteur on toxic waste (requested in 2005, reminder in April 2010)
	 Special Rapporteur on torture (requested on 22 December 2010)
	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief (requested in 1998, reminder in January 2009)
	 Special Rapporteur on trafficking (requested in 2009)
	• Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions (requested in 2000, follow-up letters 2003-2005,
	reminder in 2008)
	 Working Group on arbitrary detention (requested in 2008)
	 Special Rapporteur of the right to freedom of opinion and expression (requested in 2002)
Saudi Arabia	 Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders (requested in 2012)
	 Special Rapporteur on torture (requested in 2006, 2007 and 2010)
	• Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief(requested on 29 June 2006, reminder in April 2008 and January
	2009)
	 Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial summary or arbitrary executions (requested in 2005, reminder in 2008)
	 Working Group on arbitrary detention (requested in 2008)
	 Special Rapporteur on trafficking (requested in 2005)
	• Special Rapporteur on freedom of expression and opinion (requested in 2004)
South Africa	 Special Rapporteur on violence against women*(agreed to visit sometime after April 2014)
	Independent Expert on environment (requested on 13 September 2013)
	• Special Rapporteur on racism (requested in 2008, 2010, 2011, and 2012)
	Special Rapporteur extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions (requested in 2008)
South Sudan	Working Group on enforced or involuntary disappearances (requested on 29 August 2011)
	Working Group on discrimination against women in law and in practice (unknown date)
	Special Rapporteur on Internally Displaced Persons (unknown date)
United Kingdom	Special Rapporteur on the right to food* (agreed)
	 Special Rapporteur on violence against women (requested on 16 June 2013)
Uruguay	No outstanding requests
Vietnam	 Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief* (agreed for late August 2014)
	 Special Rapporteur on torture (requested in 2013)
	Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders (requested in 2012)
	Special Rapporteur on migrants (requested in 2012)
	• Special Rapporteur on sale of children (requested in 2011)
	• Special Rapporteur on the right to food (requested in 2008 and 2010)
	 Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions (requested in 2006)
	 Special Rapporteur on the right to freedom of opinion and expression (requested in 2002)

* Indicates country agreed to country visit in principle but has not yet set a date.

+ Information last updated on October 25, 2013 via <u>http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/Pages/CountryvisitsA-E.aspx</u>. Upcoming country visits that have scheduled dates were not included in this list.