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Interactive dialogues with

Special procedure mandate-holders, Chairpersons of human rights treaty bodies or Chairpersons of Working

Monday, 13 October (am)

 Ms. Dubravka SIMONOVIC, Chairperson of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (oral report)

Wednesday, 15 October (pm)

Ms. Yanghee LEE, Chairperson of the Committee on the Rights of the Child (oral report)

Wednesday, 22 October (pm)

- Ms. Asma JAHANGIR, Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief
- Mr. Martin SCHEININ, Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights while countering terrorism
- Ms. Maria Magdalena SEPULVEDA, Independent Expert on the question of human rights and extreme poverty

Thursday, 23 October (am)

- Mr. Tomas OJEA QUINTANA, Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar
- Mr. Vitit MUNTARBHORN, Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
- Mr. Richard FALK, Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967

Thursday, 23 October (pm)

- Mr. Manfred NOWAK, Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment
- Ms. Raquel ROLNIK, Special Rapporteur on adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living

Friday, 24 October (am)

- Ms. Yakin ERTÜRK, Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences (oral report)
- Ms. Margaret SEKAGGYA, Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders
- Mr. Leandro DESPOUY, Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers

Friday, 24 October (pm)

- Mr. Philip ALSTON, Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions
- Mr. Vernor MUÑOZ VILLALOBOS, Special Rapporteur on the right to education

Monday, 27 October (am)

- Mr. Arjun SENGUPTA, Chairperson of the Working Group on the Right to Development (oral report)
- Mr. Olivier de SCHUTTER, Special Rapporteur on the right to food
- Mr. Cephas LUMINA, Independent expert on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights

Monday, 27 October (pm)

- Mr. Walter KALIN, Representative of the Secretary-General on the human rights of internally displaced persons
- Mr. Anand GROVER, Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health
- Mr. John RUGGIE, Special Representative of the SG on human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises

Monday, 3 November (am)

- H.E. Ms. Najat Al-HAJJAJI, Chairperson of the Durban Review Conference Preparatory Committee
- Ms. Fatimata-Binta Victoire DAH, Chairperson of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (oral report)
- Mr. Githu MUIGAI, Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance

Monday, 3 November (pm)

• Mr. Alexander Ivanovich NIKITIN, Chairperson of the Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination