# List of situations referred to the Human Rights Council under the complaint procedure since 2006

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The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue its consideration of human rights situation in Cameroon. |
The Human Rights Council decided to keep under review the human rights situation in Cameroon until its twenty-seventh session. |
| Human rights situation in Eritrea | 2012 – 21st session | A/HRC/21/2 – Paragraph 228  
The Human Rights Council decided, in accordance with paragraph 109 (d) of Human Rights Council resolution 5/1, to discontinue reviewing the human rights situation in Eritrea under its confidential complaint procedure in order to take up public consideration of the same in the context of the implementation of Human Rights Council resolution 20/20.  
The Council adopted a confidential resolution on Eritrea and decided to make it public as Human Rights Council resolution 21/1.  
A/HRC/RES/21/1  
The Human Rights Council,  
1. Decides, in accordance with paragraph 109 (d) of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1, to discontinue reviewing the matter under the confidential complaint procedure in order to take up public consideration of the same in the context of the implementation of Council resolution 20/20;  
2. Also decides that the documentation considered by the Human Rights Council under its complaint procedure relating to the situation of human rights in Eritrea should no longer be considered confidential, with the exception of the names or any other identifying information of specific individuals who have not consented, and should therefore be transmitted to the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea;  
3. Invites the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Eritrea to investigate further the allegations contained in the submitted complaints and the circumstances of the individuals mentioned in the submitted communications whose names may be disclosed consistent with provisions of paragraph 2 above, and to report thereon to the Human Rights Council at its twenty-third session and in accordance with its programme of work;  
4. Urges the Government of Eritrea to cooperate fully with the Special Rapporteur, in particular to permit access to visit all parts of the country and to provide the information |

*The reports and resolutions of the Human Rights Council pertaining to the complaint procedure are confidential, unless it is otherwise decided by the Council.*
### Situation considered by the HRC

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| **Human Rights Situation in Iraq** | 2012 – 19th session | A/HRC/19/2 – Paragraph 324  
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue the consideration of one situation regarding Iraq and recommend the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights increase technical cooperation, capacity building, assistance and advisory services to that country.  
[Case no. 114] |
| **Human Rights Situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo** | 2012 – 19th session | A/HRC/19/2 – Paragraph 324  
The Human Rights Council has decided to discontinue the consideration of the situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.  
[Cases no. 80 and 94] |
| **Situation of Religious Minorities in Iraq** | 2012 – 19th session | A/HRC/19/2 – Paragraph 324  
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue the consideration of one situation of human rights in Iraq.  
[Cases no. 35, 75, 95] |
| **Situation of Trade Unions and Human Rights Defenders in Iraq** | 2012 – 20th session | A/HRC/20/2 – Paragraph 212  
The Human Rights Council decided to keep under review the consideration of situation of human rights in Eritrea until its 21st session.  
[Cases no. 185, 186, 188] |
| **Situation of Religious Minorities in Iraq** | 2012 – 20th session | A/HRC/21/2 – Paragraph 229  
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue the consideration of the situation of trade unions and their members and leaders, as well as human rights defenders in the Iraq.  
[Case no. 127] |
| **Situation of Trade Unions and Human Rights Defenders in Iraq** | 2012 – 21st session | A/HRC/20/2 – Paragraph 212  
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[Cases no. 185, 186, 188] |
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| **Human rights situation in Turkmenistan** | 2011 – 18th session | A/HRC/18/2 – Paragraph 210  
The Human Rights Council has decided to discontinue the consideration of the situation of human rights in Turkmenistan.  
[Case no. 77] |
| **Human rights situation in Tajikistan** | 2011 – 18th session | A/HRC/18/2 – Paragraph 210  
The Human Rights Council has decided to discontinue its consideration of the human rights situation in Tajikistan.  
[Case no. 46] |
|                                  | 2011 – 17th session | A/HRC/17/2 – Paragraph 242  
The Human Rights Council decided to keep the human rights situation in Tajikistan under review.  
[Case no. 46] |
|                                  | 2011 – 16th session | A/HRC/16/2 – Paragraph 312  
The Human Rights Council has decided to keep the human rights situation in Tajikistan under review.  
[Case no. 46] |
| **Human rights situation in Guinea** | 2010 – 13th session | A/HRC/13/56 – Paragraph 233  
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue considering the human rights situation in Guinea.  
[Case no. 3089] |
|                                  | 2009 – 12th session | A/HRC/12/50 – Paragraph 201  
The Human Rights Council has decided to keep the human rights situation in Guinea under review.  
[Case no. 3089] |
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue the consideration of the human rights situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo under the complaint procedure established pursuant to Council resolution 5/1. |
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The Human Rights Council has decided to discontinue the consideration of the human rights situation in the Maldives.  
[Case no. 2994] |
| Human rights situation in Turkmenistan ** | 2008 – 9th session | A/HRC/9/28 – Paragraph 177  
The Human Rights Council has decided to keep the human rights situation in Turkmenistan under review.  
[Case no. 2946] |
| Human rights situation in Turkmenistan ** | 2009 – 10th session | A/HRC/10/29 – Paragraph 245  
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue considering the human rights situation in Turkmenistan.  
[Case no. 2946] |
| Human rights situation in Turkmenistan ** | 2008 – 7th session | A/HRC/7/78 – Paragraph 355  
The Human Rights Council has decided to keep the human rights situation in Turkmenistan under review.  
[Case no. 2946] |
The Human Rights Council decided to discontinue the consideration of the human rights situation in Uzbekistan. |
| Human rights situation in the Islamic Republic of Iran ** | 2006 – 2th session | A/HRC/2/9 – Paragraph 132  
The Human Rights Council has examined the human rights situation in Kyrgyzstan under the complaint procedure and has decided to discontinue considering the situation in Kyrgyzstan.  
A/HRC/DEC/2/101  
The Human Rights Council decided, without a vote, to make public the decision it adopted relating to its consideration of the human rights situation in Kyrgyzstan under the procedure established in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 [XLVIII] of 27 May 1970.  
*The Human Rights Council, 1. Encourages the Government to continue these efforts in an effective and timely manner; |

** The Human Rights Council considered these situations under the 1503 confidential procedure, which was subsequently replaced by the new complaint procedure in 2007, in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 5/1 “Institution-building of the United Nations Human Rights Council”.

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<td>2. Decides to discontinue consideration of the matter; 3. Decides also that the present decision should be made public.</td>
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