6 September 2021

Excellencies,

I have the honour to transmit for your attention the addendum to the report of the Consultative Group dated 6 September 2021, with its recommendation of candidates for consideration for the appointment to the unforeseen vacancy of the **Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent, member from Latin American and Caribbean States,** to be filled at the forty-eighth session of the Human Rights Council.

I take this opportunity to recall that, according to paragraph 52 of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1, “on the basis of the recommendations of the Consultative Group and following broad consultations, in particular through the regional coordinators, the President of the Council will identify an appropriate candidate for each vacancy.”

In line with this paragraph, I will be holding broad consultations, based on this addendum, with a view to identifying an appropriate candidate for the above-mentioned vacancy.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Nazhat Shameem KHAN

President of the Human Rights Council

Enclosure

To all Permanent Representatives to the United Nations Office at Geneva