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Status of the international covenants on human rights

**Report by Mr. Hatem Kotrane, independent expert on the question of
a draft optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic,
Social and Cultural Rights**

Corrigendum

Executive summary

Replace the final paragraph with the following text:

“In conclusion, the independent expert recommends that the Commission on Human Rights adopt a resolution in which it confirms the decision contained in its resolution 2002/24, adopted at its fifty-eighth session, and to establish, at its fifty-ninth session, an open-ended working of the Commission mandated to elaborate an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights.”

Paragraph 76 (applies to the English version only)

The paragraph *should read* as follows:

“75. This leads the independent expert on the question of a draft optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights to recommend that the Commission on Human Rights adopt a resolution in which it confirms the decision contained in its resolution 2002/24, adopted at its fifty-eighth session, and to establish, at its fifty-ninth session, an open-ended working of the Commission mandated to elaborate an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights in the light of the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights to the Commission concerning a draft optional protocol, comments by States, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, and the report of the independent expert.”
