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**Note by the Secretariat on the report of the independent expert appointed
by the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in Somalia**

Owing to the security situation resulting from the recent conflicts in Somalia, the independent expert, Mr. Ghanim Alnajjar, has been unable to undertake his annual mission to Somalia as planned and is therefore unable to submit a report to the fifth session of the Human Rights Council. It is, however, the intention of the independent expert to provide an oral update on the situation of human rights in Somalia to the Human Rights Council during his interactive dialogue with the Member States.
