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QUESTION OF THE VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL
FREEDOMS IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE
TO COLONIAL AND OTHER DEPENDENT COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES

The situation of human rights in Equatorial Guinea

Canada: revised draft resolution

The Commission on Human Rights,

Keeping in mind the Charter of the United Nations and the Universal
Declaration of Human Rights,

Recalling Economic and Social Council resolution 1235 (XLII), authorizing the
Commission to make a thorough study of situations which reveal a consistent pattern
of violations of human rights,

1. Decides that a Special Rapporteur of the Commission, to be appointed by
the Chairman of the Commission, be entrusted with the task of making a thorough
study of the human rights situation in Equatorial Guinea, based on such information
as he may deem relevant, and to report thereon to the thirty-sixth session of the
Commission;
2. Requests the Secretary-General to render to the Special Rapporteur all the
assistance which he may require in his work;
3. Recommends to the Economic and Social Council to make an appeal to the
Government of Equatorial Guinea to extend its co-operation to the Commission in
connexion with the implementation of this resolution;
4. Decides to consider the report of the Special Rapporteur at its thirty-sixth
session.