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**Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights
questions, including alternative approaches for improving the
effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms**

Report of the Secretary-General on the right to development

Note by the Secretariat

1. In resolution 66/155, the General Assembly requested the Secretary-General to submit a report to it at its sixty-seventh session and an interim report to the Human Rights Council on the implementation of resolution 66/155, including efforts undertaken at the national, regional and international levels in the promotion and realization of the right to development.
2. The Human Rights Council, in its resolution 19/34, requested the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to continue to submit to the Council an annual report on its activities, including on inter-agency coordination within the United Nations system with regard to the promotion and realization of the right to development.
3. In accordance with the practice established owing to the timing of the reporting cycle, the consolidated report of the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner on the right to development is submitted to both the Human Rights Council and the General Assembly. Therefore, the report of the Secretary-General on the right to development, submitted to the Assembly pursuant to General Assembly resolution 66/155, is contained in document A/HRC/21/28.

* A/67/50.

