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* The annexes to the present report are being circulated in the language of submission only.



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I. Action taken by the Advisory Committee at its twenty-fifth session

25/1. Current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms

The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolution 41/6 of 11 July 2019, in which the Council requested the Advisory Committee to prepare a report, in close cooperation with the Working Group on the issue of discrimination against women in law and in practice and the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, on current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms such as the Advisory Committee, the treaty bodies and the special procedures established by the Council; the report, to be presented to the Council at its forty-seventh session, was to include good practices by States in nominating, electing and appointing candidates to ensure balanced gender representation, in line with the system-wide strategy on gender parity, and recommendations to assist the Council and Member States in that regard,

Recalling also that, in that same resolution, the Human Rights Council also requested the Advisory Committee to seek the views, inputs and meaningful participation of relevant stakeholders in an inclusive manner, including Member States, international and regional organizations, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the special procedures, national human rights institutions, civil society and academic institutions, when preparing the above-mentioned report,

Recalling further that, at its twenty-third session, the Advisory Committee established a drafting group, currently composed of Buhm-Suk Baek, Milena Costas Trascasas, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Ajai Malhotra, Itsuko Nakai, Mona Omar (Chair), Javier Palummo, Elizabeth Salmón (Rapporteur), Patrycja Sasnal and Catherine Van de Heyning,

1. *Takes note* of the draft report submitted by the drafting group to the Advisory Committee at its present session;¹

2. *Notes* that the drafting group and the full Advisory Committee held meetings to discuss the topic during the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth sessions;

3. *Welcomes* the input received from Member States and other stakeholders in response to the questionnaire circulated after the twenty-third session, as well as their participation in the four regional consultations held after the twenty-fourth session;

4. *Notes with appreciation* that there has recently been an increase in the proportion of women appointed to membership in the Advisory Committee;

5. *Adopts* the draft report as a referendum and entrusts the Rapporteur with its finalization, with a view to presenting the report to the Human Rights Council at its forty-seventh session.

*4th meeting
19 February 2021*

[Adopted as orally revised without a vote.]

25/2. New and emerging digital technologies

The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolution 41/11 of 11 July 2019, in which the Council requested the Advisory Committee to prepare a report on the possible impacts, opportunities and challenges of new and emerging digital technologies with regard to the promotion and protection of human rights, including mapping of relevant existing initiatives by the United Nations and recommendations on how human rights opportunities, challenges

¹ A/HRC/AC/25/CRP.1.

and gaps arising from new and emerging digital technologies could be addressed by the Council and its special procedures and subsidiary bodies in a holistic, inclusive and pragmatic manner, and to present the report to the Council at its forty-seventh session,

Recalling also that the Human Rights Council, in that same resolution, also requested the Advisory Committee, when preparing the above-mentioned report, to seek input from and to take into account the relevant work already done by stakeholders, including Member States, international and regional organizations, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the special procedures of the Council, the treaty bodies, other relevant United Nations agencies, funds and programmes within their respective mandates, the Secretary-General's High-level Panel on Digital Cooperation, national human rights institutions, civil society, the private sector, the technical community and academic institutions,

Recalling further that, at its twenty-third session, the Advisory Committee established a drafting group, currently composed of Buhm-Suk Baek, Milena Costas Trascasas, Iurii Alexandrovich Kolesnikov, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Xinsheng Liu, Ajai Malhotra, Mona Omar, Javier Palummo, Elizabeth Salmón (Chair), Dheerujlall Seetulsingh and Catherine Van de Heyning,

1. *Takes note* of the draft report on new and emerging digital technologies and human rights submitted by the drafting group to the Advisory Committee at its present session;²

2. *Decides* to appoint Buhm-Suk Baek as Rapporteur to replace Changrok Soh, who led the drafting of the report on this topic until his term as member of the Advisory Committee ended on 30 September 2020;

3. *Notes* that the drafting group and the full Advisory Committee held meetings to discuss the topic and the different views expressed thereon by Member States and other stakeholders in those meetings;

4. *Requests* the drafting group to finalize its report to the Human Rights Council in the light of the discussion held by the Advisory Committee at its current session, after circulating it to all members of the Advisory Committee for approval electronically, and to submit it to the Council at its forty-seventh session.

*4th meeting
19 February 2021*

[Adopted without a vote.]

25/3. Negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights

The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolution 34/8 of 23 March 2017, in which the Council requested the Advisory Committee to conduct a study and prepare a report on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms, with a particular focus on economic, social and cultural rights, including as a result of diverting foreign direct investment, reducing capital inflows, destroying infrastructure, limiting foreign trade, disturbing financial markets, negatively affecting certain economic sectors and impeding economic growth, and to recommend actions to be taken by Governments, United Nations human rights mechanisms, regional and international organizations and civil society organizations in that regard, and to present the report to the Council at its thirty-ninth session, to be discussed during the interactive dialogue,

Recalling also that, at its nineteenth session, the Advisory Committee established a drafting group, currently composed of Buhm-Suk Baek, Lazhari Bouzid, Alessio Bruni (Chair), Milena Costas Trascasas, Iurii Alexandrovich Kolesnikov, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Xinsheng Liu, Ajai Malhotra, Mona Omar (Rapporteur), Elizabeth Salmón and Patrycja Sasnal,

² A/HRC/AC/25/CRP.2.

Noting that, at its thirty-eighth and forty-second sessions, the Human Rights Council decided to extend the time for the Advisory Committee to complete the study and submit the report thereon to the Council at its forty-second and, subsequently, at its forty-fifth sessions,

Noting also that, at its twenty-fourth session, the Advisory Committee took note of the progress made by the drafting group in drafting the report on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms and requested the drafting group to continue its work with a view to finalizing the report in the intersessional period, if possible, for submission to the Human Rights Council at its forty-fifth session,

Noting further that, given the highly specific and complex character of the mandate and that the preparation of the report required further thorough discussion, the Advisory Committee then decided to hold further discussions on the draft report at its twenty-fifth session, with a view to finalizing the report for submission to the Human Rights Council at its forty-fifth session,

Recalling that the twenty-fifth session of the Advisory Committee, initially scheduled to be held from 17 to 21 August 2020, was postponed owing to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic and was eventually held from 15 to 19 February 2021,

1. *Notes* that, in the light of the postponement of the twenty-fifth session of the Advisory Committee to February 2021, the report on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms could not be submitted to the Human Rights Council at its forty-fifth session;

2. *Also notes* that the drafting group and the full Advisory Committee held meetings during its twenty-fifth session to discuss the topic and the different views expressed thereon by Member States and other stakeholders;

3. *Reaffirms* the highly specific and complex character of the mandate and that the preparation of the report requires further thorough discussions by the Advisory Committee;

4. *Requests* the drafting group to continue its work in the intersessional period with a view to finalizing the report on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms for submission to the Human Rights Council at its forty-eighth session;

5. *Recommends* that the Human Rights Council extend the time scheduled for completion of the report, and that it request the Advisory Committee to submit it to the Council at its forty-eighth session;

6. *Also recommends* that the Human Rights Council consider adopting the following decision:

The Human Rights Council,

Taking note of the recommendation of the Advisory Committee relating to its mandate on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms, with a particular focus on economic, social and cultural rights, including as a result of diverting foreign direct investment, reducing capital inflows, destroying infrastructure, limiting foreign trade, disturbing financial markets, negatively affecting certain economic sectors and impeding economic growth, pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 34/8 of 23 March 2017,

Requests the Advisory Committee to submit to the Human Rights Council at its forty-eighth session, to be held from 13 September to 1 October 2021, the report on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms.

*4th meeting
19 February 2021*

[Adopted as orally revised without a vote.]

25/4. Situation regarding racial equality in the world

The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee,

Recalling General Assembly resolutions 72/157 of 19 December 2017 and 73/262 of 22 December 2018, in which the Assembly requested the Human Rights Council to continue to pay attention to the situation regarding racial equality in the world, and in that regard requested the Council, through the Advisory Committee, to prepare a study on appropriate ways and means of assessing the situation, while identifying possible gaps and overlaps,

Recalling also General Assembly resolution 74/137 of 18 December 2019, in which the Assembly welcomed the efforts undertaken by the Human Rights Council, through its Advisory Committee, in preparing a study on appropriate ways and means of assessing the situation regarding racial equality, while identifying possible gaps and overlaps,

Recalling further General Assembly resolution 75/237 of 31 December 2020, in which the Assembly requested the Human Rights Council to consider, at its forty-sixth session, the question of developing a multi-year programme of activities to provide for the renewed and strengthened outreach activities needed to inform and mobilize the global public in support of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action and to strengthen awareness of the contribution that they have made in the struggle against racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance, in consultation with Member States, national human rights institutions, relevant civil society organizations and United Nations agencies, funds and programmes, and welcomed the efforts undertaken by the Council, through its Advisory Committee, in preparing a study on appropriate ways and means of assessing the situation regarding racial equality, while identifying possible gaps and overlaps,

Bearing in mind that 2021 marks the twentieth anniversary of the adoption of the Durban Declaration and Plan of Action,

Recalling that, at its twenty-first session, the Advisory Committee established a drafting group, currently composed of Buhm-Suk Baek, Milena Costas Trascasas (Rapporteur), Iurii Alexandrovich Kolesnikov, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Ajai Malhotra, Itsuko Nakai, Mona Omar, Elizabeth Salmón, Patrycja Sasnal, Dheerujall Seetulsingh (Chair) and Catherine Van de Heyning,

1. *Notes* that the drafting group designated Ms. Costas Trascasas to act as Rapporteur following the resignation from the Advisory Committee of the previous Rapporteur, Ludovic Hennebel, in July 2020;

2. *Also notes* that, owing to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, the Advisory Committee was unable to hold its twenty-fifth session from 17 to 21 August 2020;

3. *Takes note* of the fact that the draft preliminary outline of the study submitted by the drafting group to the Advisory Committee at its twenty-fifth session, eventually held from 15 to 19 February 2021, underwent important structural and substantive changes that require further thorough discussions;³

4. *Notes* that the drafting group and the full Advisory Committee held meetings to discuss the topic;

5. *Requests* the drafting group to finalize its study on the situation regarding racial equality in the world in the light of the discussion held by the Advisory Committee at its twenty-fifth session and after circulating it by email to all members of the Advisory Committee for approval;

6. *Decides* to submit the final study on the situation regarding racial equality in the world to the Human Rights Council at its forty-eighth session and to request the Council to bring it to the attention of the General Assembly at its seventy-sixth session.

*4th meeting
19 February 2021*

[Adopted without a vote.]

³ A/HRC/AC/25/CRP.3.

II. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

A. Opening and duration of the session

1. The Human Rights Council Advisory Committee, established pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1 of 18 June 2007, held its twenty-fifth session from 15 to 19 February 2021 at the United Nations Office at Geneva and using the Interprefy and Webex platforms. The Chair of the twenty-fourth session, Lazhari Bouzid, opened the session.
2. At the 1st meeting, on 15 February 2021, the President of the Human Rights Council, Nazhat Shameem Khan, made an opening statement.
3. At the same meeting, the Chief of the Human Rights Council Branch of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) made a statement on behalf of the Secretary-General.
4. Also at the same meeting, participants observed a minute of silence for the victims of human rights violations around the world.

B. Composition of the Advisory Committee

5. The membership of the Advisory Committee is as follows:⁴ Ibrahim Abdulaziz Alsheddi (Saudi Arabia, 2021); Buhm-Suk Baek (Republic of Korea, 2023); Nadia Amal Bernoussi (Morocco, 2023); Lazhari Bouzid (Algeria, 2022); Alessio Bruni (Italy, 2021); Milena Costas Trascasas (Spain, 2022); Iurii Alexandrovich Kolesnikov (Russian Federation, 2022); José Augusto Lindgren Alves (Brazil, 2021); Xinsheng Liu (China, 2022); Ajai Malhotra (India, 2023); Itsuko Nakai (Japan, 2022); Mona Omar (Egypt, 2022); Javier Palummo (Uruguay, 2022); Elizabeth Salmón (Peru, 2023); Patrycja Sasnal (Poland, 2023); Dheerujall Seetulsingh (Mauritius, 2023); Cheikh Tidiane Thiam (Senegal, 2021); and Catherine Van de Heyning (Belgium, 2023).

C. Attendance

6. The session was attended by members of the Advisory Committee and observers for States Members of the United Nations, as well as an intergovernmental organization and non-governmental organizations.
7. All members of the Advisory Committee participated in the session.

D. Meetings

8. At its twenty-fifth session, the Advisory Committee held 4 plenary meetings and 11 closed meetings. The drafting groups held private meetings on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights, the situation regarding racial equality in the world, current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms, and new and emerging digital technologies and human rights.

E. Election of officers

9. In accordance with rule 103 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and rule 5 of the rules of procedure of the Advisory Committee, the following officers were elected by acclamation at the 1st meeting of the twenty-fifth session, held on 15 February 2021:

⁴ Terms of office expire on 30 September of the year in parentheses.

Chair: Ajai Malhotra
Vice-Chairs: Nadia Amal Bernoussi
Patrycja Sasnal
Alessio Bruni
Rapporteur: Javier Palummo

F. Adoption of the agenda

10. At its 1st meeting, on 15 February 2021, the Advisory Committee adopted its agenda (A/HRC/AC/25/1/Rev.1). For the list of documents issued for the twenty-fifth session, see annex I.

G. Organization of work

11. Also at its 1st meeting, the Advisory Committee adopted the draft programme of work prepared by the secretariat.

III. Requests addressed to the Advisory Committee stemming from Human Rights Council resolutions and currently under consideration

A. Situation regarding racial equality in the world

12. At its 2nd meeting, on 16 February 2021, the Advisory Committee held, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 72/157 and 73/262, a discussion on the situation regarding racial equality in the world and on appropriate ways and means of assessing the situation, while identifying possible gaps and overlaps. During the ensuing discussion, statements were made by members of the Advisory Committee, representatives of observer States, a representative of an intergovernmental organization and a representative of a non-governmental organization (see annex II).

13. At the 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, the Chair of the drafting group on the situation regarding racial equality in the world, Mr. Seetulsingh, introduced a draft text (A/HRC/AC/25/L.4). The draft text was adopted without a vote (for the text as adopted, see sect. I, action 25/4, above).

B. Current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms

14. At its 2nd meeting, on 16 February 2021, the Advisory Committee held, pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 41/6, a discussion on the current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms. During the ensuing discussion, statements were made by members of the Advisory Committee, representatives of observer States, a representative of an intergovernmental organization and representatives of non-governmental organizations (see annex II).

15. At its 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, the Chair of the drafting group on current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms, Ms. Omar, introduced a draft text (A/HRC/AC/25/L.1) and Mr. Malhotra introduced an oral revision to its third preambular paragraph. The draft text as orally revised was adopted without a vote (for the text as adopted, see sect. I, action 25/1, above).

C. New and emerging digital technologies

16. At its 3rd meeting, on 17 February 2021, the Advisory Committee held, pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 41/11, a discussion on new and emerging digital

technologies and human rights. In that context, the former Rapporteur of the drafting group on new and emerging technologies and human rights, Mr. Soh, participated as a panellist and briefly presented the report. During the ensuing discussion, statements were made by members of the Committee, representatives of observer States, a representative of an intergovernmental organization, and representatives of non-governmental organizations (see annex II).

17. At its 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, the Rapporteur of the drafting group on new and emerging digital technologies, Ms. Salmón, introduced a draft text (A/HRC/AC/25/L.2). The draft text was adopted without a vote (for the text as adopted, see sect. I, action 25/2, above).

D. Negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights

18. At its 3rd meeting, on 17 February 2021, the Advisory Committee held, pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 34/8, a discussion on the negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights. During the ensuing discussion, statements were made by a member of the Advisory Committee, representatives of observer States and representatives of non-governmental organizations (see annex II).

19. At its 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, the Chair of the drafting group on negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights, Mr. Bruni, introduced a draft text (A/HRC/AC/25/L.3) and introduced an oral revision to its sixth preambular paragraph. The draft text as orally revised was adopted without a vote (for the text as adopted, see sect. I, action 25/3, above).

IV. Implementation of sections III and IV of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1 of 18 June 2007, and of section III of the annex to Council resolution 16/21 of 25 March 2011

A. Agenda and annual programme of work, including new priorities

20. On 18 February 2021, in a closed meeting, the Advisory Committee held a discussion on new priorities and potential research proposals it could make to the Human Rights Council.

21. On 19 February 2021, also in a closed meeting, the Advisory Committee decided that the Chair would send a letter to the President of the Human Rights Council on behalf of the Advisory Committee setting out new research proposals.

B. Appointment of members of the Working Group on Communications

22. In accordance with paragraphs 91 to 93 of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1, the Advisory Committee is to appoint five of its members, one from each regional group, with due consideration to gender balance, to constitute the Working Group on Communications. In the event of a vacancy, the Advisory Committee should appoint an independent and highly qualified expert from the same regional group. Since there is a need for independent expertise and continuity with regard to the examination and assessment of communications received, the independent and highly qualified experts of the Working Group are appointed for three years. Their mandate is renewable only once.

23. The members of the Working Group on Communications were last appointed by the Advisory Committee at its seventeenth, twenty-first and twenty-third sessions (A/HRC/AC/17/2, para. 26; A/HRC/AC/21/2, paras. 22–24; and A/HRC/AC/23/2, paras. 25–27).

24. In view of the fact that the terms of two members, Mr. Soh (Asia-Pacific Group) and Mr. Diaconu (Eastern European Group), expired on 30 September 2020, and that another member, Mr. Hennebel (Western European and other States Group) resigned on 3 August 2020, the Advisory Committee took note, at its 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, of the appointment, in the intersessional period through silence procedure, of Mr. Alsheddi, Mr.

Kolesnikov and Mr. Bruni as new members of the Working Group to replace the three outgoing members.

V. Report of the Advisory Committee on its twenty-fifth session

25. At the 4th meeting, on 19 February 2021, the Rapporteur of the Advisory Committee presented the draft report on the twenty-fifth session. The Advisory Committee adopted the draft report ad referendum and decided to entrust the Rapporteur with its finalization.

26. At the same meeting, the Rapporteur made closing remarks. The Chair made final remarks and declared the twenty-fifth session of the Advisory Committee closed.

Annex I

Documents issued for the twenty-fifth session of the Advisory Committee

Documents issued in the general series

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	
A/HRC/AC/25/1/Rev.1	2	Provisional agenda and annotations
A/HRC/AC/25/2	5	Report of the Advisory Committee on its twenty-fifth session

Documents issued in the limited series (actions)

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	
A/HRC/AC/25/L.1	3 (f)	Current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms
A/HRC/AC/25/L.2	3 (g)	New and emerging digital technologies and human rights
A/HRC/AC/25/L.3	3 (d)	Negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights
A/HRC/AC/25/L.4	3 (e)	Situation regarding racial equality in the world

Documents issued in the non-governmental organizations series

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>	
A/HRC/AC/25/NGO/1	3 (g)	Exposé écrit présenté par La Manif Pour Tous, organisation non-gouvernementale dotée du statut consultatif spécial

Annex II

List of speakers

<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Meeting and date</i>	<i>Speakers</i>
1. Election of officers	1st meeting 15 February 2021	Members: Xinsheng Liu, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh, Iurii Alexandrovich Kolesnikov, Milena Costas Trascasas, Nadia Amal Bernoussi, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Mona Omar
2. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work	1st meeting 15 February 2021	Member: José Augusto Lindgren Alves Observer States: Cameroon (on behalf of the African Group), Algeria (video statement), Uruguay
3. Requests addressed to the Advisory Committee stemming from Human Rights Council resolutions and currently under consideration by the Committee		
(e) Situation regarding racial equality in the world	2nd meeting 16 February 2021	Members: Milena Costas Trascasas (Rapporteur), Nadia Amal Bernoussi, José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Mona Omar, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh, Lazhari Bouzid, Javier Palummo Observer States: Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), India (video statement), Russian Federation (video statement), South Africa Intergovernmental organization: European Union Non-governmental organization: Africans in America for Restitution and Repatriation (video statement)
(f) Current levels of representation of women in human rights organs and mechanisms	2nd meeting 16 February 2021	Members: Elizabeth Salmón (Rapporteur), Nadia Amal Bernoussi, Lazhari Bouzid, Milena Costas Trascasas Observer States: Cameroon, India (video statement), Burkina Faso, Panama, Russian Federation (video statement), Peru (video statement), Switzerland (video statement), Mexico Intergovernmental organization: European Union Non-governmental organizations: International Federation on Ageing, GQUAL Campaign

<i>Agenda item</i>	<i>Meeting and date</i>	<i>Speakers</i>
(g) New and emerging digital technologies and human rights	3rd meeting 17 February 2021	<p>Panellist: Changrok Soh</p> <p>Members: José Augusto Lindgren Alves, Catherine Van de Heyning, Javier Palummo, Nadia Amal Bernoussi, Lazhari Bouzid, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh, Xinsheng Liu</p> <p>Observer States: Cameroon (on behalf of the African Group), Republic of Korea (on behalf of the core group of sponsors of resolution 41/11) (video statement), India (video statement), Panama, Russian Federation (video statement), China</p> <p>Intergovernmental organization: European Union</p> <p>Non-governmental organizations: New Humanity, Institute for NGO Research, La manif pour tous (video statement)</p>
	4th meeting 19 February 2021	Observer State: Tunisia
(d) Negative effects of terrorism on the enjoyment of human rights	3rd meeting 17 February 2021	<p>Member: Alessio Bruni</p> <p>Observer States: Cameroon (on behalf of the African Group), Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) (video statement), India, Egypt (video statement), Algeria (video statement), Panama, Mexico, Jordan, China</p> <p>Non-governmental organizations: International Commission of Jurists and Article 19: International Centre against Censorship (joint statement), Institute for NGO Research</p>
	4th meeting 19 February 2021	Observer State: Tunisia
4. Implementation of sections III and IV of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1 and of section III of the annex to Council resolution 16/21	4th meeting 19 February 2021	Members: Mona Omar, Elizabeth Salmón, Alessio Bruni, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh
5. Report of the Advisory Committee on its twenty-fifth session	4th meeting 19 February 2021	Members: Javier Palummo, Patrycja Sasnal, Dheerujlall Seetulsingh, Alessio Bruni, Ibrahim Abdulaziz Alsheddi, Lazhari Bouzid, Mona Omar, José Augusto Lindgren Alves