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Côte d'Ivoire,\* Iceland,\*\* Italy,\*\* Malta,\*\* Türkiye\*\* and Yemen\*\*: draft resolution

## 52/... Technical assistance and capacity-building to improve human rights in Libya

The Human Rights Council,

Guided by the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations,

*Reaffirming* the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and relevant international human rights treaties,

Confirming the primary responsibility of States to promote and protect human rights,

*Reaffirming* its strong commitment to the sovereignty, independence, unity and territorial integrity of Libya,

*Commending* the continued positive cooperation and constructive engagement of the Libyan authorities with the Independent Fact-Finding Mission on Libya, which allowed the Mission to carry out its mandate in a comprehensive and impartial manner, notably by facilitating recent missions and sharing information about their own investigative and prosecution efforts,

*Commending also* the Government of Tunisia for hosting and facilitating the work of the Fact-Finding Mission,

*Noting with appreciation* all the work done to date by the Fact-Finding Mission, and taking note of its final report and recommendations,<sup>1</sup>

1. *Requests* the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, in close consultation with the Libyan authorities, to provide technical assistance and capacity-building to Libya, with a view to improving further the situation of human rights in Libya, to assist the country in the implementation of its international human rights obligations and commitments, taking into account the work done by the Fact-Finding Mission on Libya, its reports and recommendations, where applicable, and to support Libya to promote and protect human rights, prevent violations thereof and ensure accountability for violations and abuses of human rights, in accordance with a national plan, mainly in the areas of:

(a) Determining the short- and long-term capacity-building needs of Libyan national institutions, so that they may pursue transitional justice and address human rights



<sup>\*</sup> On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of African States.

<sup>\*\*</sup> State not a member of the Human Rights Council.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A/HRC/52/83.

violations, including the possible ways to strengthen the role of civil society and local communities in achieving reconciliation and transitional justice, and promoting human rights;

(b) Strengthening the national transitional justice institutions and further enhancing the capacity of the Libyan judiciary to investigate and prosecute human rights violations and improve accountability;

(c) Further enhancing the capacity and skills of Libyan institutions to monitor, investigate and collect evidence on human rights violations;

2. *Also requests* the Office of the High Commissioner to present to the Human Rights Council at its fifty-fifth session a report on the implementation of the present resolution, to be followed by an interactive dialogue;

3. *Invites* the Office of the High Commissioner to work closely with the Libyan authorities, the United Nations Support Mission in Libya, the African Union and all other relevant regional and international organizations;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to provide the Office of the High Commissioner with the resources necessary for the full implementation of the present resolution;

5. *Decides* to remain seized of the matter.