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Excellency,

In my capacity as Special Rapporteur for Follow-up on Concluding Observations of the Human Rights Committee, I have the honour to refer to the examination of the third periodic report of Estonia at the Committee's 99th session, held in July 2010.

At the end of that session, the Committee's concluding observations were transmitted to your Permanent Mission. You may recall that, in paragraph 18 of the concluding observations, the Committee requested the State party to provide within one year further information on the specific areas of concern identified in paragraphs 5 and 6 of the concluding observations.

On 12 August 2011, follow-up information on the referred paragraphs was received. At its 103rd session held in October 2011, the Committee analysed the information provided and decided that complementary information was necessary on the implementation of the referred recommendations.

On 29 November 2011, I sent you a letter requesting the information in question. During its 107<sup>th</sup> session, the Committee noted that no reply was received. Taking this situation into account, the Committee decided to send a second reminder to the State party, requesting that the above-mentioned additional information be submitted to the Committee.

If the State party wishes the Committee to take into account the follow-up reply at its October session, it should be sent in a Word electronic version to the Secretariat of the Human Rights Committee by **1 August 2013** ([ccpr@ohchr.org](mailto:ccpr@ohchr.org) and Kate Fox: [kfox@ohchr.org](mailto:kfox@ohchr.org)).

The Committee looks forward to pursuing its constructive dialogue with the authorities of Estonia on the implementation of the Covenant.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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