

### **1996/280. Situation of human rights in Afghanistan**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 24 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1996/75 of 23 April 1996,<sup>61</sup> endorsed the Commission's decision to extend for one year the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan, and approved the Commission's request to the Special Rapporteur to report on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan to the Commission at its fifty-third session and to consider submitting a report to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session.