

### **1996/281. Situation of human rights in Rwanda**

At its 47th plenary meeting, on 24 July 1996, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1996/76 of 23 April 1996,<sup>61</sup> endorsed the Commission's decision to extend for an additional year the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Rwanda, as set out in Commission resolution S-3/1 of 25 May 1994, working in cooperation with the Human Rights Field Operation in Rwanda, and approved the Commission's request to the Special Rapporteur to make recommendations concerning situations in which technical assistance might be appropriate and to report to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session and to the Commission at its fifty-third session.