

### 1998/261. Situation of human rights in Myanmar

At its 46th plenary meeting, on 30 July 1998, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1998/63 of 21 April 1998:<sup>39</sup>

(a) Endorsed the decision of the Commission to extend the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Myanmar, as contained in Commission resolution 1992/58 of 3 March 1992,<sup>47</sup> for a further year, and to request the Special Rapporteur to submit an interim report to the General Assembly at its fifty-third session and report to the Commission at its fifty-fifth session, and to keep a gender perspective in mind when seeking and analysing information;

(b) Approved the request of the Commission to the Secretary-General to continue to give all necessary assistance to the Special Rapporteur to enable him to discharge his mandate fully, and to pursue all efforts to ensure that the Special Rapporteur is authorized to visit Myanmar.

<sup>47</sup> See *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1992, Supplement No. 2 (E/1992/22)*, chap. II, sect. A.

<sup>48</sup> *Ibid.*, 1997, *Supplement No. 3 (E/1997/23)*, chap. II, sect. A.

<sup>49</sup> *Ibid.*, 1991, *Supplement No. 2 (E/1991/22)*, chap. II, sect. A.