

ECOSOC Decision 2004/227

Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism

At its 14th meeting, on 15 June 2004, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 2004/87 of 21 April 2004, endorsed the Commission's decision to designate, from within existing resources, for a period of one year, an independent expert to assist the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights in the fulfilment of the mandate described in paragraphs 8 and 9 of Commission resolution 2004/87 and, taking fully into account the study requested in General Assembly resolution 58/187, as well as the discussions in the Assembly and the views of States thereon, to submit a report, through the High Commissioner, to the Commission at its sixty-first session on ways and means of strengthening the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism.