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HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATIONS THAT REQUIRE THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION

Resolution adopted by the Human Rights Council*

12/20. Aung San Suu Kyi and other political prisoners in Myanmar

The Human Rights Council,

1. *Expresses* grave concern at the recent conviction and sentencing of Daw Aung San Suu Kyi, and calls for her immediate and unconditional release;

2. *Calls upon* the Government of Myanmar:

(*a*) To release all political prisoners immediately and unconditionally, enabling them to participate fully in the 2010 elections;

(*b*) To engage in a genuine process of open dialogue and national reconciliation with the full participation of representatives of all political parties and ethnic groups;

(c) To create, through the above-mentioned and other national measures, the conditions for inclusive, transparent and credible democratic elections, in accordance with international standards.

31st meeting 2 October 2009

[Adopted without a vote.]

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^{*} The resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council will be contained in the report of the Council on its twelfth session (A/HRC/12/50), chap. I.