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Families of Victims of Police Brutality, Civil Society Groups Write to Ensure Effective Accountability and Follow-up to HRC Resolution 43/1

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10 May 2021

H.E. Michelle Bachelet United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights Palais Wilson 52 rue des Pauis CH-1201 Geneva, Switzerland

Re: The UN Human Rights Councils role to ensure effective accountability and follow-up to HRC Resolution 43/1

Dear High Commissioner,

The families of victims of police violence and undersigned civil society organizations write with regard to the implementation of Human Rights Council resolution (A/HRC/43/1) on the promotion and protection of the human rights and fundamental freedoms of Africans and of people of African descent against systemic racism, excessive use of force and other human rights violations by law enforcement officers.

We appreciate your response to our calls, in particular your affirmation to the Council that the report will reflect and amplify the voices of victims who are people of African descent, their families and communities. We also welcome that the report will examine the root causes that have enabled systemic racism and police violence, including the legacies of enslavement, the transatlantic trade in enslaved Africans, and its context of colonialism. We appreciate the broad outreach to civil society and the organization of several regional and national-level consultations over the past months and your recognition of the indispensable role of civil society in the process of preparing the report.

As you rightly stated in your update to the Council, we cannot let the urgency felt in the Council in June 2020 subside. We share your assessment that the Council can contribute to making this moment a critical turning point in the respect and protection of the human rights of people of African descent.

In light of your update to the Council that the report will recommend an agenda for transformative change to dismantle systemic racism and police brutality against Africans and people of African descent, and to advance accountability and redress for victims, we wish to make the following recommendations and suggestions regarding the Councils role to ensure effective accountability and follow-up. While we appreciate that the call for inputs reflected many of our recommendations, we note that it did not include a specific question on the Councils role in this regard.

The families of victims of police violence and many of our organizations have <u>called</u> on the Council to mandate an independent inquiry into the killings and violent law enforcement responses to protests, including the attacks against protesters and journalists in the United States. The Special Procedures strongly urged the Council to establish a commission of inquiry to investigate systemic racism in law enforcement in the United States and a thematic commission of inquiry or other mechanism empowered to investigate systemic racism in law enforcement globally, especially where it is related to legacies of colonialism and transatlantic slavery.

While we commend the Biden administration for leading a cross-regional joint statement on countering racism and signaling other policy changes to address racial inequities, we believe that a robust international accountability mechanism would further support and complement, not undermine, efforts to dismantle systemic racism in the United States, especially in the context of police violence against people of African descent.

Police in the United States kill nearly 1,000 people every year. The epidemic of police violence has been directly and disproportionately targeted at people of color. Indigenous People and people of African descent experience the highest rates of fatal police shootings, followed by Latinx people. For example, in 2019, Black and Indigenous people were approximately three times more likely than white people to be fatally shot by police. One study found that young unarmed male victims of deadly force by police are 13 times more likely to be Black than white. Stunningly, for young men of color, police use of force is now among the leading causes of death. While there is a dearth of research examining racial disparities in police killings among non-male and nonbinary populations, some data indicates that although women are less likely than men to be killed by police overall, Black women and Indigenous women are more likely to be killed by police than white women. Furthermore, while police killings are higher in high-poverty areas than low-poverty areas for all racial groups, Black people who live in more affluent areas are almost as likely to be killed by police as white people who live in the poorest areas.

Although exact statistics are difficult to find, more often than not, officers are not investigated or prosecuted for the killings of civilians. 98.3 percent of killings by police from 2013- 2020 have not resulted in officers being charged with a crime. Between 2005 and 2015, only 54 officers were charged after police-involved killings, despite the thousands of such incidents that occurred over the same time period. Impunity for police killings in the United States, especially those of people of African descent, continues unabated despite the recent settlement in the George Floyd civil lawsuit and the guilty verdict against Derek Chauvin, the Minneapolis City police officer who murdered him. Furthermore, federalism in the United States, long-standing legal obstacles to achieving justice for police killings, and decentralized police institutions of over 18,000 law enforcement agencies (that are not directly accountable to the federal Executive Branch) make it extremely daunting to end impunity, even for well- intentioned federal Administrations.

We recall that the <u>original draft resolution</u> called on the Council to establish these mechanisms; however, the Council adopted a watered-down resolution due to enormous diplomatic pressure from the United States under the Trump administration and other allied countries.

We urge you to support the calls made by victims families, civil society and Special Procedures by including in the report specific recommendations to the Council in this regard. We also urge you to remind Member States that the transatlantic slave trade and colonialism were grave violations of international law that require States to make reparations proportionate to the harms committed and to ensure that structures in the society that are perpetuating the injustices of the past are transformed. Furthermore, we urge you to call on Member States to adopt a national plan of action to eliminate systemic racism and racial discrimination and to double their efforts and allocation of resources to achieve racial equality including through the adoption of reparations schemes to remedy historic racial injustices.

Please accept our sincerest gratitude and appreciation for the enormous work you do each day as the worlds collective human rights conscience.

Sincerely,

The Families of the Victims of Police Brutality, by year that they lost their loved one:

2021

The Family of **Daunte Wright**, killed by Brooklyn Center, MN Police Kenisha Kinard, son **Daverion Kinard**, killed by Fontana, CA Police Melody S. Cooper, son **Kwamena Appah Fynn Ocran**, killed by Gaithersburg, MD Police

2020

Philonise Floyd & Quincy Mason, brother & father **George Floyd** killed by Minneapolis, MN Police Addie Kitchen, son **Steven DeMarco Taylor** killed by San Leandro, CA Police Adrienne Moore, son **Derick Lamar Powe**, killed by Daphne, AL Police Amy Fizer, daughter **Hannah Renee Fizer** killed by Pettis County, MO Police Cathy Denise Legato, son **Anthony Legato** killed by Pine County, MN Sheriff

Jeannie Williams, son **John Henry Ross II** killed by Harrisonburg City Police, Rockingham County VA Sheriffs, and VA State Police Paula Watson Livingstone, son **Timothy Darryl Sides Jr.** killed by Caldwell County, NC Sheriff

2019

Deborah Sanchez, daughter **Jorden Marie Simms** died in Graham County, AZ Police custody Desiree Lauren, son **Sterling Humbert** killed by Carrollton, TX Police Donna Marie Martin, brother **Andre Cartel Gladen** killed by Portland Oregon, Police Irma Woodard-Duncklee, son **Michael Lee Duncklee** killed by Tucson, AZ Police Joanne Rojas, son **Josiah Pinner** killed by Hillsborough County, FL Sheriff Kim Vaughn, former husband **Mohammad Isaifan** killed by Akron, OH Police Lisa Finch, daughter **Adelina Finch** killed by Wichita, KS Police Roxane Johnson, son **Jamaal K. Byrd** died in Washington, DC Police custody Tammie Atchison Featherstone, nephew **Jimmy Atchison** killed by Atlanta, GA Police Toni Biegert, son **Joseph R. Biegert** killed by Green Bay, WI Police Trena & Quiana Miller, son **TreShun Miller** killed by Arlington, TX Police

2018

Azucena Albrethsen, son **Jacob E. Albrethsen** killed by Orem Police Barbara Okamoto, grandson **Christopher A. Okamoto** killed by Bakersfield, CA Police Bernice Roundtree, son **Charles Roundtree Jr.** killed by San Antonio Police Catherine Young, son **DQuan Young** killed by Washington DC Police Denise Price, son **Jeffrey Price Jr.** killed in collision with Washington, DC Police Iris E. Salazar, daughter **Leslie Salazar** killed by Austin, TX Police Karla Gonsalez, son **Agustin A. Gonsalez** killed by Hayward, CA Police

Lisa Vargas, son Anthony Daniel Vargas killed by Los Angeles County, CA Sheriffs Deputies

Sabrina Passalaqua Courtroul, son Tommy Henley killed by Westminster, CO Police

Tessa Andrews-Biele, son Keaton James Larson killed by Stillwater, MN Police

Tiffany Simpson, son Logan Simpson killed by Bixby, OK Police

Tynesha Renee Tilson, son Shali Vladimir Francis Tilson killed by Rockdale, GA Sheriff

2017

Aaron Heather Nordin, brother Jason Fanning killed by St. Joseph Police

Angelique Negroni-Kearse, husband Andrew Kearse killed by Schenectady Police

Ann Cortez, son Santino Trevino II killed by Los Angeles, CA Police

Annice Evans, son Angel Ramos killed by Vallejo, CA Police

Candance Gipp, brother G. Ryan Gipp Jr. killed by Standing Rock Police Department

Christine Ann Amaro & Marissa Barrera, son & brother Michael Anthony Barrera killed by Woodland, CA Police

Constance Joann McGuire, Tavaris Khalil McGuire killed by Kokomo Police

Cynthia Brown, nephew Kareen Ali Nadir Jones killed by Columbus, OH Police

Denise Fanning, son Jason Fanning killed by St. Joseph, MO Police

Dionne Burney, son KeSharn Burney killed by Harrison, OH Police Task Force

Donna Chisesi, son Jonathan David Victor killed by Baldwin County, AL Sheriffs Office

Gina Torres, son Isaiah Hammett killed by St. Louis City SWAT/ St. Louis, MO Police

James & Kelly Ghaisar, son Bijan Ghaisar killed by Park Police in Northern Virginia

Kathy Scott-Lykes, son Jarvis Lykes killed by Georgia State Troopers

Katrina Johnson, cousin Charleena Lyles killed by Seattle, WA Police

Kimberly Handy-Jones, son Cordale Q. Handy, killed by St. Paul, MN Police

Krystal Wagner, son Shane Allen Jensen killed by Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Lethia Kizer, son Darrion Barnhill, killed by Henderson County, TN Police

Lisa Finch, son Andrew Finch killed by Wichita, KS Police

Marion Jones-Tamba, son Tyler J. Lee killed by Dekalb County Police

Mary Theresa Wynne, son Dominique Tyrell White killed by Topeka, KS Police

Natasha Manning, son Arties Manning III killed by New Orleans, LA Police

Pochya Mifflin, son Cedric Jamal Mifflin killed by Phenix City, AL Police

Rosie Chavez, nephew Jacob Dominguez killed by San Jose Police

Shae Powell, son James Daniel Jill killed by Arapahoe County Sheriff Department

Tiffany Tabares, son **Dillan Tabares** killed by Huntington Beach, CA Police

Valerie Rivera, son Eric Rivera killed by Los Angeles, CA Police Department

Vanessa Moore, son Hayden Stutz killed by Canton, OH Police

2016

Adrienne Hood, son Henry Green killed by Columbus, OH Police

Alice Corley, son Lionel Vincent Gibson Jr. killed by Long Beach, CA Police

Ayanna Johnson, son Darius Wimberly killed by Bent Harbor, MI Police

Cruz Weick, son Sergio Daniel Weick killed by Vista, CA Sheriffs Department

Dalphine Jabril Robinson, son Jabril B. Robinson killed by Clayton County, GA Police

Emily Gonzales, son Jordan Love killed by Corpus Christi, TX Police

Felicia Thomas, son Nicholas Thomas killed by Smyrna, GA Police

Heather Boland, cousin Bodhi Phelps killed by Gresham, OR Police

Irene Kalonji, son Christopher Kalonji killed by Clackamas, OR Sheriffs & Officers

Jacqueline Minifield-Brown, son DLondre Minifield killed by Winchester, VA Police

Kia Villarreal, husband Francisco Villarreal killed by Bakersfield, CA Police

Kim Thomas, son Earl Shaleek Pickney killed by Harrisburg, PA Police

Kristina Murphy, husband Christopher Murphy killed by Woodland, CA Highway Patrol

Laura Marquez, son in law Albert B. Thompson killed by Ceres, CA Police

Lorenza Olivares, son Elias Portillo killed by Dallas, TX Police

Monteria Robinson, son Jamarion Robinson killed by Atlanta, GA Police

Pattie Gonzalez, Lulu & Marissa Valenzuela-Ronquillo, and Marie Confinco, husband and nephew Fermin Vincent Valenzuela killed by Anaheim, CA Police

Rhanda Dormeus, daughter Korryn Gaines killed by Baltimore, MD Police

Sandy Sanchez, son Anthony Nunez killed by San Jose, CA Police

Vicki Timpa, son **Tony Timpa** killed by Dallas, TX Police

2015

Annemarie Grant, brother Thomas Purdy killed by Washoe County Sheriffs & Reno Police

Beverly Smith, son Alonzo Smith, killed by Special Police Officers in Washington, D.C.

Diane Guilford Humphreys, son Deven Guilford killed by Eaton County, MI Sheriff Department

Dominic Archibald, son Nathaniel Pickett II killed by San Bernardino County, CA Sheriff

Dorothy Osteen, son Bertrand Davis killed by Dallas, TX Police

Greg & Tammy Dyksma, son Nicholas Dyksma killed by Harris County, GA Deputy

Holly Galbraith Hester, son **Delaney Hester** beaten by Keller, TX Police

Holly Quigley-Papke, son Patrick Wetter killed by Stockton, CA Police

Judy Alderman Edens, son Jason Alderman killed by Bakersfield Police

Kimberly Davis, son Kimoni Davis killed by Hanging Rock, OH Police

LaToya Howell, son Justus Howell killed by Zion, IL Police

Lynn Eagle Feather, son Paul Castaway killed by Denver, CO Police Department

Pamela Fields, cousin Derrick Hunt killed by Long Beach, CA Police

Sarah Fitch, son **Samuel Toshiro Smith** killed by Seattle, WA Police Sharon Irwin, grandson **Tony Terrell Robinson**, killed by Madison, WI Police Sheila Banks, godson **Corey Jones** killed by Palm Beach Gardens, FL Police Officer Stephanie Babb, brother **Captain Brian Avon Babb** killed by Eugene, OR Police Tania Hudson, son **Deaunte Bell** killed by Columbus, OH Police Tina Taylor, son **Christian Taylor** killed by Arlington, TX Police

2014

Cheryl and Deborah Jones, son and nephew **Marquise Jones** killed by San Antonio, TX Police Deanna Joseph, son **Andrew Joseph III** killed by Hillsborough County Sheriff Tampa, FL

Denise Rankin, son DaRon Gaylor Jr. killed by Flint, MI Police

Dorothy Holmes, son Ronald Johnson III killed by Chicago, IL Police

Gina Thayne, nephew Dillon Taylor killed by Salt Lake City Police

Isabelle Padilla, son Joseph Valverde killed by Denver, CO Police

Janet Baker, son Jordan Baker killed by Houston, TX Police

Jindia Blount, brother Juan May killed by Arlington, TX Police

Kathy Roberts Gaynier, son Andrew Gaynier killed by Dallas, TX Police

Laurie Valdez, partner Antonio Guzman Lopez killed by San Jose State, CA Police

Letty DeLarosa, son James DeLarosa killed by Bakersfield, CA Police

Lisa Mays-Parramore, son Kelvin Mays killed by Garland, TX Police

Maria Hamilton, son **Dontre D. Hamilton**, killed by Milwaukee, WI Police

Mary Wilsey, son Keith Vidal killed by Southport, NC Sheriff Department

Michael Brown Sr. & Lezley McSpadden, son Michael Brown Jr. killed by Ferguson, MO Police

Pamela Brooks, son Amir DeMani Brooks killed by Prince Georges County Police

Pamela Fields, nephew Donte Parker killed by San Bernardino County Sheriff

Patricia L. & Richard Perez, grandson Richard Pedro Perez III, killed by Richman, CA Police

Shirley & Sean Harrison, son & brother Jason Harrison killed by Dallas, TX Police Department

Syreeta Myers, son VonDerrit Myers Jr. killed by St. Louis, MO Police

Tressa Sherrod, son John H. Crawford III killed by Beavercreek, OH Police

Vanessa White, son Victor White III killed by Iberia Parish, LA Sheriff Department

Vickie McNeill Williams, son Tinoris Williams killed by Palm Beach County, FL Sheriff Department

2013

Chantell Brooks, son Michael Westley killed by Chicago, IL Police

Collette Flanagan, son Clinton Allen killed by Dallas, TX Police

Jenette Munoz, brother Salvador Munoz killed by Dallas, TX Police

Kristine Rose, son Jessie Rose killed by Utica, NY Police

Mary Wills, son Taylor Thompson killed by Escambia County, FL Sheriff

Milca Perez & Gerardo Pineda Sr., son Gerardo Pineda Jr. killed by Dallas, TX Police

Montye A. Benjamin, son Jayvis L. Benjamin killed by Avondale Estate Police, Decatur, GA

Murlene Spinks, son Anthony Skeaton killed in Placer County Jail

Pamela Fields, son **Donte Jordan** killed by Long Beach, CA Police

Royce Eckley, son Marcus Anthony Merritt Sr. killed by Louisiana State Police

Susana Lopez, son **DeAngelo Lopez** killed by Compton, CA Sheriff Department

Tawanda Jones, brother Tyrone West killed by Baltimore, MD Police

Toni Taylor, son Cary Ball Jr. killed by St. Louis, MO Police

Tyann Lavonne Salgardo, son Derek Brown killed by Tennessee State Troopers

Val Greenoak, son Jesse Hamilton killed by Santa Rosa Police Department

Valarie Carey, sister Miriam Carey killed by U.S. Secret Service & Capital Police in Washington D.C.

Virginia Bradford, son Fred Bradford killed by Dallas, TX Police

2012

Amalia Villafane, son Sebastian Gregory shot 6 times by Miami-Dade County, FL Police

Ashley Harper, brother **James Harper** killed by Dallas, TX Police

Cynthia Mitchell, son Mario Romero killed by Vallejo, CA Police

Genevieve A. Huizar, son **Manuel Diaz** killed by Anaheim, CA Police Jeralynn Brown-Blueford, son **Alan Blueford** killed by Oakland, CA Police

Krissy Johnson, father **Inzer Allen Johnson** killed by Rainbow City, AL Police

Lydia and Richard Adams, son Seth Issac Adams killed by Palm Beach, FL Sheriff Department

Martinez Sutton, sister Rekia Boyd killed by off-duty Chicago, IL Detective

Yolanda McNair, daughter Adaisha Miller killed by off-duty Detroit, MI Police

2011

Anita Harris, grandson **Dawntrae TaShawn Williams** killed by Gwinnett City, GA Police Anita Willis, grandson **Kerry Baxter** killed by Oakland, CA Police Bridzette Lane, son **Ralphael Briscoe** killed by Washington DC Police Jean Thaxton, son **Michael Lee Nida II** killed by Downey, CA Police

2000-2010

Alicia Alvarez, son **Johnathan Cuevas** killed by Los Angeles, CA Sheriffs Department, 2010 Dionne Smith, son **James Rivera Jr.** killed by Stockton, CA Police, 2010 Theresa Smith, son **Caesar Cruz** killed by Anaheim, CA Police, 2009 Wanda Johnson, son **Oscar Grant** killed by BART Police in Oakland, CA, 2009

Darlene Cain, son Dale Graham killed by Baltimore, MD Police, 2008

Lola Jones, son Derrick Jones killed by Dallas, TX Police, 2008

Alicia Kirkman, son Angelo Miller killed by Cleveland, OH Police, 2007

Antoinette Washington, son Brandon Washington killed by Dallas, TX Police, 2007

Corie Angle Cline, brother Joe Whitehouse killed by Anaheim, CA Police, 2007

Sandra Lane, nephew Bobby Walker killed by Dallas, TX Police, 2007

Theresa James, partner Jay Martin Murphy Sr. killed by Albuquerque, NM Police, 2007

Verbena Hawkins, son Trinton Hawkins killed by Dallas, TX Police, 2007

Greta Willis, son Kevin L. Cooper killed by Baltimore City police, 2006

Kat Espinosa, son Asa Benjamin Sullivan killed by San Francisco, CA Police, 2006

Patricia Scott, son Raemawn Scott killed by Powder Spring, GA Police, 2003

Deborah Forge, son Keenen L. Forge killed by Dallas, TX Police, 2002

1999-1990

Marion Gray-Hopkins, son Gary Hopkins Jr. killed by Prince George County, MD Police, 1999

Dorothy Copp Elliot, mother Archie Artie Elliot III, killed by District Heights and Prince Georges County, MD Police. 1993

Vicki & Sara Mokuria, father Tesfaie Mokuria killed by Dallas, TX Police, 1992

Centro de Derechos de Mujeres

Centro de Estudios Legales y Sociales (CELS)

Check the Sheriff Coalition

Chicago Anti-Eviction Campaign

Church of the Brethren, Office of Peacebuilding and Policy

Church World Service

Citizens for Global Solutions Minnesota

Coalition of African Lesbians

Coalition Togolaise des Dfenseurs des Droits Humains (CTDDH)

Coalizo Negra por Direitos, Brazil

Comisin Ecumnica de Derechos Humanos

Commission Indpendante des Droits de l'Homme en Afrique du Nord

Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative (CHRI)

Communist Party USA

Conectas Direitos Humanos

Congregation of Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd, US Provinces

Contra Nocendi International

Coordination des Associations et des Particuliers pour la Libert de Conscience

Cornell Center on the Death Penalty Worldwide

Cornell Gender Justice Clinic

Cossart-Daly Law, A.P.C.

Defending Rights & Dissent

Dejusticia

Drug Policy Alliance

East Side Jews

Egyptian Initiative for Personal Rights

EHD Advisory

Empathy Surplus Project Foundation

Empowered at Dusk Women's Association

Empowering Pacific Islander Communities (EPIC)

Equal Justice Society

Equality Now

European Network Against Racism

Eyes Right Veterans Foundation

Families United 4 Justice Network

Family Action Network Movement

First Defense Legal Aid

Four Freedoms Forum

Friends of Human Rights

Future Coalition

The GAP Gyrlz and GAP Gyz Consortium of Human Rights Defenders

GATE - Trans, Gender Diverse and Intersex Advocacy in Action

Geneva for Human Rights - Global Training

Global Health Justice Partnership of Yale Law and Public Health Schools, Yale University

Global Human Rights Clinic, University of Chicago Law School

Global Justice Center

Global Justice Clinic, NYU Law School

Global Network of Movement Lawyers

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Global Studies Association of North America

The Global Union & GU- GHCF

GoodWorks: North Alabama Harm Reduction

Grassroots Alliance for Justice

Grata Fund

Green Amendments for The Generations

Harm Reduction International

Harriets Wildest Dreams

Hawai'i Institute for Human Rights

HEAL Trafficking

Heartland Alliance International

Hill District Consensus Group

Horn Afrik News Agency for Human Rights (HANAHR)

Human Rights Advocates

Human Rights and Gender Justice Clinic, CUNY Law School

Human Rights Bahamas

Human Rights Campaign

Human Rights Clinic, University of Miami School of Law

Human Rights Education Associates (HREA)

Human Rights Educators USA

Human Rights Institute, San Jose State University

Human Rights Law Centre

Human Rights Law Network

Human Rights Litigation and Advocacy Clinic at the University of Minnesota Law School

Human Rights Watch Humanitaire Plus

Hungarian Civil Liberties Union

Implementation Team of the International Decade for People of African Descent-Spain

Indian Law Resource Center

Institute for Human Rights and Development in Africa

Institute on Inequalities in Global Health, University of Southern California (USC)

International Action Network for Gender Equity & Law (IANGEL)

International Center for Advocates Against Discrimination (ICAAD)

International Centre for Ethnic Studies

International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH)

International Human Rights Association of American Minorities (IHRAAM- UN/NGO)

International Human Rights Clinic, Harvard Law School

International Human Rights Clinic, USC Gould School of Law

International Indigenous Youth Council

International Institute on Race, Equality and Human Rights

International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association (ILGA World)

International Movement Against All Forms of Discrimination and Racism (IMADR)

International Organization for the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (EAFORD)

International Service for Human Rights

International Women's Rights Action Watch Asia Pacific (IWRAW Asia Pacific)

International Youth and Student Movement for the United Nations (ISMUN)

International-Lawyers.Org Irish Council for Civil Liberties JLS International Law Project

Jump at the Sun Consultants, LLC

Justice Revival

Juvenile Law Center

Karapatan

Kent State Truth Tribunal

Lawyers' Rights Watch Canada

The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights

League of Women Voters of the United States

Legal Resources Centre

Leitner Center for International Law and Justice at Fordham Law School

Lesbian and Gay Federation in Germany (LSVD)

Liberty

Love Not Blood Campaign

Many Voices

Me Too Survivors March International

Medical Whistleblower Advocacy Network

Migrant and Immigrant Community Action Project

Milwaukee County Human Rights Commission

Minneapolis Commission on Civil Rights

Minority Rights Group International (MRG)

Monitoring Committee on Attacks on Lawyers, International Association of People's Lawyers

Most Influential People of African Descent (MIPAD)

Mothers Against Police Brutality (MAPB)

Namibia Diverse Women's Association

National Advocacy Center of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd

National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression

National Birth Equity Collaborative

National Black Agenda Consortium

National Coalition of Blacks for Reparations in America (N'Cobra)

National Council of the Churches of Christ in the USA

National Council on Independent Living

National Equality Action Team (NEAT)

National Health Care for the Homeless Council

National Homelessness Law Center

National Working Positive Coalition

New Afrikan People's Organization/Malcolm X Grassroots Movement

New Future Foundation, Inc.

North River Law PLLC

Office of HBCU Development & International Cooperation, Inc

OneAmerica OutRight Action International

Parable of the Sower Intentional Community Cooperative

Parity Partnership for Justice

Passionist Solidarity Network Pax Christi USA

Phoenix Transition Program

Physicians for a National Health Program, NY Metro Chapter

Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance

Planet Ally

Pretrial Justice Institute

Progressive Doctors

Promise Institute for Human Rights, UCLA Law

Promoting Empowerment Through Awareness for Lesbian/Bisexual Women (PETAL)

Public Advocacy for Kids (PAK)

Public Justice Center

Rede Nacional de Mes e Familiares de Vtimas do Terrorismo do Estado

REDRESS

Robert F. Kennedy Human Rights

Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference

San Francisco Bay Physicians for Social Responsibility

Santa Clara Law - International Human Rights Clinic

Seattle/King County Coalition on Homelessness

SEIU Healthcare IL

The Sex Workers Project of the Urban Justice Center

Shirkat Gah - Women's Resource Centre

SISTA Fire

Sisters Health & Wellness Collective

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues

South Austin Coalition

Southern Anti-Racism Network

Southern Poverty Law Center

Southwest Native Cultures

StoptheDrugWar.org

Strategies for Development

Swaziland Migrant Mineworkers Association (SWAMMIWA)

The Taifa Group

Talking Drum Incorporated

Te Rau Ora

Thurgood Marshall Civil Rights Center at Howard University School of Law

Tools4Democracy!

TRANScending Barriers Atlanta

The TransLatin@ Coalition

Trinity United Church of Christ

The TRY CENTER, Inc

The Ubuntu Centre

Uneafro Brasil

UNESCO Inclusive Policy Lab- People of African Descent and the SDGs E-Team

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Montgomery

United Belize Advocacy Movement

United Nations Association of the USA

United Nations Association, Northern New Jersey Chapter

Universal Human Rights Defenders Coalition

University Network for Human Rights

Urgent Action Fund for Women's Human Rights

US Human Rights Cities Alliance

US Human Rights Network

Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence

Washington Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs

Waves Ahead Corp, Puerto Rico

The Well Project

Westside Justice Center

WITNESS

Women Human Rights Defender, Middle East and North Africa Coalition (WHRD-MENA)

Women's International League for Peace and Freedom

Womens All Points Bulletin (WAPB)

Woodhull Freedom Foundation World Against Racism Network (WARN) World Council of Churches World Organisation Against Torture (OMCT) World Without Genocide at Mitchell Hamline School of Law Yemeni Institute for Strategic Affairs

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