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(a) of the annex to Human Rights Council resolution 5/1**

**Turkey**

**Corrigendum**

**1. Paragraph 32**

For the existing text *substitute*

32. As a party to the First Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, Turkey recognized the power of the relevant committees to accept and examine the complaints lodged by those under its jurisdiction who claim that their rights set forth in the Convention have been violated. Turkey has also made a declaration in accordance with article 22 of the Convention against Torture, hence the Committee against Torture can examine applications against it.

**2. Paragraph 82**

For the existing text *substitute*

82. Furthermore, incitement to religious hatred, public denigration of any group on the basis of its religion or sect, or denigration of religious values are penalized under article 216 of the Turkish Penal Code.

**3. Paragraph 99**

For the existing text *substitute*

99. Relevant parts of the Turkish Civil Code, the Labour Code, the Criminal Code, the Child Protection Law and the Law on Persons with Disabilities have been amended in line with the provisions of the Convention on the Rights of the Child.

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