

**1995/254. Use of mercenaries as a means of impeding
the exercise of the right of peoples to self-
determination**

At its 52nd plenary meeting, on 25 July 1995, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1995/5 of 17 February 1995,⁶¹ approved the Commission's decision to extend for three years the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the question of the use of mercenaries, and requested the Secretary-General to provide him with all necessary assistance.

⁶¹ Ibid., *Supplement No. 3* and corrigenda (E/1995/23 and Corr.1 and 2), chap. II, sect. A.