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¹ Summary report of the Human Rights Council panel discussion on the negative impact of corruption on the enjoyment of human rights (available in all six United Nations languages).
The United Nations Human Rights Council held in March 2013 a panel discussion on the negative impact of corruption on human rights, in accordance with its resolution 21/13.


The report summarizes the panel deliberations, which emphasized the strong link between anti-corruption and human rights as well as the need to increase synergy between efforts to implement the United Nations Convention against Corruption and international human rights conventions.

In this connection, I would like to request your kind assistance in bringing this report to the attention of the fifth session of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption and in circulating it as an official document of the Conference. I thank you for your kind support and wish you a successful conference.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.

[Signed]
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