

## SDG 15: Life on Land

| MANDATE  | REPORT DESCRIPTION   |
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| Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in <b>Cambodia</b>   | Report presented to the 42nd session of the HRC in 2019 on the human rights situation in Cambodia, analysing the Cambodian Sustainable Development Goals in relation to the 2030 SDGs and noting that the authorities have undertaken the relocation to conserve biodiversity and the environment, reducing pollution and so directly promoting the Sustainable Development Goals, in particular SDG 15 ( <a href="#">A/HRC/42/60</a> ).   |
|  | Report presented to the 33rd session of the HRC in 2016 on the situation of human rights in Cambodia, discussing land rights issues and resettlement in the context of sustainable land management under SDG 15 ( <a href="#">A/HRC/33/62</a> ).   |
| Special Rapporteur on the issue of human rights obligations relating to the enjoyment of a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable <b>environment</b> | Report presented to the 34th session of the HRC in 2017 on the human rights obligations relating to the conservation and sustainable use of biological diversity, highlighting States' commitments under SDG 15 in this regard ( <a href="#">A/HRC/34/49</a> ).  |
| Special Rapporteur on the right to <b>food</b>   | Report presented to the 74th session of the UNGA in 2019 on the SDGs as a potentially transformative tool to advance the realization of the right to food, as well as other economic, social and cultural rights, explaining that some SDGs might require trade-offs in between them, in particular between SDGs 3, 12, and 15, which suggest that countries will either invest in better health care or environmental protections and responsible consumption and production, but not all three, and that guaranteeing the right to adequate quality and quantity as part of the right to food requires looking beyond productivism under SDG 2 and recognizing positive links to land and ocean ecosystem health (SDGs 14 and 15) and that the SDG framework promotes a view of gender equality that is too limiting, failing to mention women in certain SDGs, such as SDG 15 ( <a href="#">A/74/164</a> ). |
| Special Rapporteur on the rights to <b>freedom of peaceful assembly and of association</b>   | Report presented to the 73rd session of the UNGA in 2018 on the linkages between the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association and the implementation of the 2030 Agenda, noting that restrictions on civil society organizations pose difficulties to achieving, among others, SDG 15 ( <a href="#">A/73/279</a> ).   |
| Special Rapporteur on the rights of <b>indigenous peoples</b>  | Report presented to the 73rd session of the UNGA in 2018 on indigenous peoples and self-governance, in particular as it relates to achieving the 2030 Agenda, discussing SDG 15's linkage to indigenous peoples' traditional knowledge relating to land and resource management ( <a href="#">A/73/176</a> ).  |
|  | Report presented to the 36th session of the HRC in 2017 on the impacts of climate change and climate finance on indigenous peoples' rights, discussing SDG 15, in particular <b>Targets 15.A and 15.B</b> ( <a href="#">A/HRC/36/46</a> ).   |