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Onderwerp The Government's response to the CPT report concerning the visit to The Netherlands in October 2013

Dear Mr Hüseynov,

With reference to article 10 of the European Convention for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, I have the honour to present the response of the authorities of the Kingdom of The Netherlands to the CPT report on the Committee's visit to the Kingdom of the Netherlands from 16 to 18 October 2013.

The authorities have responded to all recommendations, comments and requests for information made in the CPT report. Please accept my sincere apologies for the delay in submitting our response, and do not hesitate to contact the Government if this response gives rise to any further questions from the Committee.

The authorities of the Kingdom of the Netherlands look forward to continuing their cooperation with the CPT in the future. The authorities will make their response public, once it has been submitted to the CPT.

For the Government of the Netherlands,

State Secretary of Security and Justice and Minister for Migration

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