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INTERNATIONAL COVENANT ON CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS  
NEW YORK, 16 DECEMBER 1966

ECUADOR: NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 4 (3) <sup>1</sup>

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 18 September 2024.

(Translation) (Original: Spanish)

Note No. 4-2-126/2024

The Permanent Mission of Ecuador to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Office of Legal Affairs, United Nations Secretariat and, as a follow-up to notes verbales Nos. 4-2-79/2024, 4-2-97/2024 and 4-2-110/2024, by which it informed the Office of Legal Affairs of the entry into force of Executive Decrees Nos. 318, 351 and 377, has the honour to inform it of the issuance and entry into force of Executive Decree No. 392 of 17 September 2024, by means of which the Constitutional President of the Republic, Daniel Noboa Azín, has decreed the inclusion of a single transitional provision in Executive Decree No. 318 of 2 July 2024, as amended by Executive Decree No. 351 of 8 August 2024 and renewed by Executive Decree No. 377 of 30 August 2024, which suspends the right to liberty of movement from 10.00 p.m. on Wednesday, 18 September 2024, until 6.00 a.m. on Thursday, 19 September 2024, in all cantons and parishes of the Provinces of Guayas, Los Ríos, Manabí, Orellana, Santa Elena, El Oro and in the Camilo Ponce Enríquez Canton of Azuay Province.

As established in Executive Decree No. 392, the Government of Ecuador has implemented all necessary measures to ensure public safety and to reduce the level of violence; in view of the fact that electricity service will be suspended nationwide for preventive maintenance, it is deemed necessary to further restrict the liberty of movement in those provinces in which a state of emergency has been declared.

Executive Decree No. 392 entered into force on 17 September 2024 and suspends the liberty of movement only from 10.00 p.m. on Wednesday, 18 September 2024, until 6.00 a.m. on Thursday, 19 September 2024. Consequently, the right established in the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights that has been suspended for the duration of the above time frame under Executive Decree No. 392 is that contained in article 12 of that treaty.

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<sup>1</sup> The text of Executive Decree No. 392 of 17 September 2024 of the Republic of Ecuador is on file with the Secretary-General and is available for consultation.

Pursuant to article 4, paragraph 3, of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the Permanent Mission of Ecuador respectfully requests that the Office of Legal Affairs, United Nations Secretariat, inform the other States parties to the Covenant of the issuance and entry into force of Executive Decree No. 392 and of the right that remains temporarily suspended.

The Permanent Mission of Ecuador to the United Nations takes this opportunity to convey to the Office of Legal Affairs, United Nations Secretariat, the renewed assurances of its highest consideration.

New York, 18 September 2024

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23 September 2024

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of stylized letters 'DN' with a horizontal line underneath.