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Furthermore, PSIDS welcomes article 12 commentaries, in which the primary role of the affected State to protect persons under its jurisdiction is asserted. Therefore, it is PSIDS' position that States and entities supporting disaster recovery in affected States should better deal and coordinate disaster recovery and relief operations directly with the affected States rather than through international non-governmental organizations. Accordingly, PSIDS welcomes commentaries to article 13 in which the duty of the affected State to seek external assistance is delineated. However, while these articles establish rights and obligations for the affected State and those who assist it, in article 4(c) an explicit reference is made to intergovernmental organizations and non-governmental organizations as "other assisting actors". PSIDS notes two problems with this issue: On the one hand, it leaves out a reference to other entities or individuals which may fall under other assisting actors which were not contemplated; and on the other hand, the Commission should further clarify the interaction between all actors and the affected State, as well as what the rights and obligations are when providing