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Dear Mayor,
I am writing to express my deep concern about the impunity of the continued Human Rights violations perpetrated by the Chinese government (CCP) and the insistence at every Swiss political level of our representatives to downplay these violations; particularly in
**East Turkestan with**
- the internment of millions of people in camps referred to as "re-education" camps, but which from multiple documents, investigations, reports, and testimonies of survivors and survivors are in effect places of imprisonment where torture and sterilization are often practiced.
<https://www.xinjiangpolicefiles.org/>**In Tibet with**
- The forced boarding school system with education only in Chinese language, part of a sinization that is now publicly referred to as Cultural Genocide.
<https://www.europarl.europa.eu/doceo/document/TA-9-2023-0479_EN.pdf> And also in Tibet 30 km from the border with India, with
- The detention and displacement of people in Dege County, Kardze Prefecture, eastern Tibet, which was ordered to make way for the Yarlung Tsangpo Dam on the Brahmaputra River. Environmentally and geopolitically disturbing project in itself.
<https://www.rfa.org/english/news/tibet/tibet-dam-protest-beatings-02242024224427.html>

Despite public appeals, resolutions, and internationally available documentation, in Switzerland, our political representatives continue to exclude respect for Human Rights from any agreement signed with the Chinese government; citing as a reason the number of Human Rights-violating nations in the world with whom we nonetheless make pacts and agreements and the fact that including such an obligation would isolate us.

 I DEMAND
- that any agreement between Switzerland and other party (public or private) include an obligation for both parties to respect international law or ratified international conventions on human, social or environmental rights.

I ask you as Mayor of the City of -----------,
to review any twinning and cultural or economic exchange with a government, the Chinese, that not only violates Human Rights in the territories it has militarily occupied, but also within its national territory through The Social Credit System and internationally by promoting a dystopian narrative of reality.

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