Decision adopted by the Committee under article 22 of the Convention, concerning communication No. 894/2018*, **

Communication submitted by: S.B. (represented by counsel, Rêzan Zehrê, Caritas Switzerland)
Alleged victim: The complainant
State party: Switzerland
Date of complaint: 31 October 2018 (initial submission)
Substantive issue: Risk of torture if deported to Turkey

At its meeting on 15 November 2019, the Committee, having been informed by the State party that on 29 May 2019 the complainant had been granted a review of his asylum application and that he was consequently no longer at risk of being returned to Turkey for the duration of the review process, concluded that communication No. 894/2018 had become moot and decided to discontinue its consideration, on the understanding that the complainant could submit a new complaint if he faced a renewed risk of being forcibly returned to Turkey.

* Adopted by the Committee at its sixty-eighth session (11 November – 6 December 2019).
** The following members of the Committee participated in the examination of the communication: Essadia Belmir, Felice Gaer, Abdelwahab Hani, Claude Heller Rouassant, Jens Modvig, Ana Racu, Diego Rodríguez-Pinzón, Sébastien Touzé and Bakhtiyar Tuzmukhamedov.