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INVITATION TO THE 63RD ORDINARY SESSION OF THE AFRICAN COMMISSION

Non-governmental Organizations (NGOs) granted Observer Status with the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights are hereby invited to the 63rd Ordinary Session of the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights (the Commission) which is scheduled to start on 24 October 2018 in Banjul, the Republic of The Gambia.

As usual, NGOs are expected to bear the travel and accommodation expenses relating to the participation of their representative(s).

Preliminary Registration Forms are available at the website of the Commission: http://www.achpr.org and should be completed and returned to the Secretariat by 10 October 2018, at the latest.

The Information Note and Draft Agenda of the Public Session will be posted on the website of the Commission in due course.

Participants are advised to obtain their Entry visas at the Diplomatic and Consular Missions of The Republic of The Gambia in their respective countries of residence. For those who do not have Diplomatic and Consular Missions of the Republic of The Gambia in their respective countries of residence, visas can be obtained at the airport on presentation of an invitation letter duly signed by the Secretary to the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights.

Participants are also advised to take the necessary vaccinations, and to travel with their vaccination cards.

NGOs wishing to speak on any of the Agenda Items are strictly required to register with the Secretariat of the Commission in advance, and also deposit 3 copies of the statement they wish to make with the Secretariat. This is a pre-requisite for being granted permission to speak during the Sessions. Please kindly note that only NGOs with Observer Status will be allowed to take the floor before the Commission.

Sincerely,

Dr. Mary Mboreke
Secretary to the Commission