INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

A. General

The 65th Ordinary Session of the African Commission on Human and Peoples’ Rights (the Commission) will be held in the Republic of The Gambia at Kairaba Beach Hotel from 21 October - 10 November 2019.


B. Credentials

State delegates and other participants are kindly requested to bring their official credentials, duly signed by the appropriate authorities in their countries or their respective organizations, and hand them to the Commission’s Secretariat prior to registration.

C. Registration and identification badges

Participants are advised to register and obtain identification badges in the main lobby area outside the Conference Hall, prior to the opening of the Session. For identification and security reasons, all participants are requested to wear their badges at all times during the Session.

D. Immigration requirements

Every participant arriving in The Gambia should have a valid Passport and visa. Entry visas can be obtained at any Diplomatic and Consular Mission of the Republic of The Gambia. To obtain visas, participants are advised to check the existence and the location of these Missions with the Ministry of Foreign/External Affairs of their countries.
The Secretariat kindly requests that the preliminary registration form available at the website of the Commission: www.achpr.org, should be completed and returned to the Secretariat by latest by 14 October 2019, to enable it conclude the required logistics with the Host Government and to facilitate the issuance of clearance and visas.

For participants who do not have diplomatic representations of the Republic of The Gambia in their countries, arrangements are being made for visas to be given to them on arrival at Banjul International Airport, upon presentation of their Letters of Invitation to the Session, provided they have submitted their pre-registration forms to the Secretariat by the deadline of 14 October 2019, latest for all categories of participants. Those who fail to do this have to make their own visa arrangements.

E. Health requirement

Participants must ensure that they have taken the necessary vaccinations and that they travel with their Vaccination Cards, as these are required before admission to the country.

F. Health facilities

Participants are kindly advised to obtain International Health Insurance to cover any emergency, or in case they are taken ill during the period of the Session.

Participants are also advised to ensure that the Insurance cover is valid from the time of departure until the time of their return to their final destinations.

G. Weather

Participants are advised to obtain weather updates on The Gambia and travel with appropriate clothing; most times, the weather is quite warm in the months of October and November.

H. Foreign exchange and Banks

Most major convertible currencies and Travellers’ Cheques can be exchanged in The Gambia. The local currency is the Dalasi.

There are a number of international ATMs (with 24 hour access) that accept Visa and ATM cards in The Gambia. They are located at the Banks, some of which are Standard Chartered Bank, ECOBANK, Access Bank, and Guarantee Trust Bank.

Exchange operations could be done at the airport, Bureaux de change, banks or at the hotels. Most Banks are open to the public from Mondays to Thursdays, from 8:00hrs to 16:00hrs, (GMT); and a few on Saturdays from 9:00hrs to 13:00hrs.

Please note that at the banks you will be required to present your Passport/Identity documents during exchange operations.

Travellers Cheques can be cashed in Dalasi.
I. The Secretariat has been able to identify the following Courier Services:

**DHL World Express**  
Mamadi Manjang Highway  
Tel.: 439 6658 / 439 7529

**TNT International Express**  
First Floor, Christ Church Business Complex  
Off Seyerr Jobe Avenue; behind Atlas Petrol Station, Serekunda  
Tel.: +220 4399 119 / 9913 531 / 7709797  
E-mail: roc.tnt@gambianet.gm

J. Mobile-phone Sim Card Providers:

AFRICELL  
COMMIIUM  
GAMCEL  
QCELL

K. Electricity:

The voltage in The Gambia is 220V AC, accessible with three pins normal plug.

L. Documents

Participants are advised to seek *written authorization from the Executive Secretary for the distribution of their documents at the conference area*. Kindly note that no documents will be circulated without the written authorization of the Secretary to the Commission.

You may contact the Secretariat at the following address:

31 Bijilo Annex Layout, Kombo North District, Western Region,  
P. O. Box 673, Banjul, The Gambia  
Tel: (220) 4410505 / 4410506; Fax: (220) 4410504  
*E-mail*: au-banjul@africa-union.org  
*Web* [www.achpr.org](http://www.achpr.org)

M. Hotel accommodation

For reservations, you may contact the hotels on the list below directly. Please kindly note that the list is not exhaustive – it is just indicative of the facilities within the immediate catchment area of the Session venue that the Secretariat has been able to identify so far. You may also consult the website of The Gambia Tourism Authority for other options.
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|    | PMB 390 Serrekunda, The Gambia, West Africa  
    | Tel: + 220 446 29 40/1/2  
    | Fax: + 220 446 29 47  
    | General Enquiries: info@kairabahotel.com  
    | Reservations: reservations@kairabahotel.com |
| 2. | **SENEGAMBIA BEACH HOTEL** |
|    | P.O.Box 2373  
    | Serrekunda, The Gambia  
    | Tel: (00220) 4462717 / 4462718 / 4462719  
    | Fax: (+220) 4461839  
    | Email: senegambia@gamtel.com |
| 3. | **LABRANDA CORAL BEACH HOTELS & RESORTS** |
|    | Tel.: +220 4462940 / 7896774  
    | E-mail : leonardo.balduzzi@labranda.com  
    | Website : www.labranda.com |
| 4. | **COCO OCEAN RESORT** |
|    | Coco Ocean Resort and Spa  
    | 1 Bamboo Drive, Kombo Coastal Highway, Bijilo (Main reception switchboard)  
    | Tel: (+ 220) 44 66 500  
    | Fax: (+ 220) 44 66 900  
    | Email: info@cococean.com  
    | Website: www.cococean.com |
| 5. | **NGALA LODGE** |
|    | 64 Atlantic Boulevard, Fajara, The Gambia, West Africa  
    | P.O. Box 4091 Bakau  
    | Tel.: +220 449 404/ 449 7672 / 449 7429  
    | Fax:+220 4495645  
    | Email: info@ngalalodge.com  
    | Website: www.ngalalodge.com |
| 6. | **RED CROCK (OCEAN BAY) HOTEL** |
|    | Ocean Bay Hotel & Resort, Cape Point  
    | P.O. Box 4065, Bakau, The Gambia  
    | Tel no: +220 449 4265 / 449 6218 /449 6471/ 449 4281  
    | 449 5722 / 449 6436 /449 5744, 449 5670  
    | 449 6434/ 449 5875/ 449 5864, 449 6463 / 449 5811  
    | Fax: +220 449 4268  
    | Email: info@oceanbayhotel.com  
    | Website: www.oceanbayhotel.com |
| 7. | **FLOURISH RESORTS** |
|    | Kotu Beach  
    | [www.flourishresorts.com](http://www.flourishresorts.com)  
    | Contact: +220 703 5588 (Moncef Ouzine – G.M) |
| 8. | **SAGE HOTEL** (formally TAFBEL) | P.O.Box 121, Banjul, The Gambia  
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Fax: (00220) 4460515  
E-mail: info@tafgambia.com  
or tafbel@qanet.gm  
Web: www.tafgambia.com |
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| 9. | **TAFBEL ANNEX** | P.O.Box 121, Banjul, The Gambia  
Tel: (+220) 4461024 / 4461035  
Fax: (00220) 4461904  
Email: tafannex@yahoo.co.uk |
| 10. | **PARADISE SUITES HOTEL** | Badala Park Highway  
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P.O.Box 802, Banjul  
Tel: (+220) 4463429 / 4463439  
Fax: (+220) 4463451  
Email: info@paradisesuites.gm |
| 11. | **SUN BEACH HOTEL** | Koffi Annan Street  
Cape Point, Bakau, The Gambia.  
Tel: (+220) 4497190  
Fax: (+220) 4497193  
Email: info@sunbeachhotel.com  
Website: www.sunbeachhotel.com |
| 12. | **BUNGALOW BEACH HOTEL** | P.O. Box 2637  
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Fax: (00220) 4466180  
Email: info@bbhotel.gm |
| 13. | **KOMBO BEACH HOTEL** | P.O.Box 694  
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Email: info@kombobeachhotel.gm |
| 14. | **BADALA PARK HOTEL** | P.M.B 467  
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Fax: (+220) 4460402  
Email: badalaparkhotel@gmail.com |
| 15. | **SUNSET BEACH HOTEL** | Kotu Stream Road  
P.M.B. 541, Serrekunda, The Gambia.  
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Fax: (+220) 4463874  
Email: info@sunsetbeachhotel.com  
Website: www.sunsetbeachhotel.com |
| 16. | **HOLIDAY SUITES** | Kololi, The Gambia  
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www.goldenbeachhotel.gm |
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| 30. | FRIENDSHIP HOSTEL          | Tel: +220 4495830                                                      |  |
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| 34. | LEMON CREEK HOTEL RESORT   | Kombo Airport Highroad, Bijilo  
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| 39  | COCONUT RESIDENCE            |                                              | Tel.: +220 446 3377 / 446 3399  
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E-mail: info@coconutresidence.com |
| 40  | SEA FRONT RESIDENCE          | Seafront Residence                           | Kombo Coastal Road (behind Elton Petrol Station) Bijilo, The Gambia  
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Fax: 449 7931  
E-mail: info@seafront.gm  
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| 41  | TAF Apartments                | Brufut Gardens, The Gambia                   | E-mail: info@tafgambiatours.com  
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| 42  | ADJI'S LODGE                  | Bijilo Resort, Kombo Coastal Road            | Tel no: (+220) 446 0726  
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| 44  | AVALON GARDEN LODGE          |                                              | For reservations: Kimberley Nicol  
Tel: +220 4462022  
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| 45  | CASA CARLA BED AND BREAKFAST | Bijilo Village, Greater Banjul area         | Tel. no: +220 779 5377 / 770 0057 (Jan)  
Email: carlagambia@hotmail.com  
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| 46  | CAPE POINT HOTEL             | Cape St. Mary  
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