12TH EXTRA-ORDINARY SESSION OF THE AFRICAN COMMISSION ON HUMAN AND PEOPLES’ RIGHT

ALGIERS, ALGERIA

30 JULY TO 4 AUGUST 2012

AGENDA

Monday 30 July

SESSION 1: Opening of the Session & Adoption of the Agenda:

09:00 -09:10 Welcoming remarks by the Chairperson of the African Commission

09:10-09:30 Consideration and adoption of the draft Agenda

SESSION 2: Report of the AU Summit

09:30-10:00 Presentation of the Report of the AU Summit

SESSION 3: Report of the Pre-Mission to Cote D’Ivoire
10:00-11:00 - Presentation of the Pre-Mission Report to Cote D’Ivoire in preparation for the 52nd Ordinary Session of the African Commission

- Report of the 25th Anniversary
- MOU between ICTR and the African Commission

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee/Tea Break

SESSION 4:

11:15-13:30 - Mission to the Sahrawi Arab Democratic Republic
- Solemn Declaration on Mali by the AU Summit

13:30 – 15:00 Lunch

SESSION 5: Audit of Communications:

15:00-16:00 Presentation - Audit of Communications

SESSION 6: Working Group on Communications’ Report:

16:00-16:30 Consideration of the Report of the Working Group

16:30 – 16:45 Coffee/Tea Break
SESSION 7: Report of the Working Group on Communications cont’- Seizure of Communications:

16:45-17:00 Report on Seizure of Communications:

i. Mr. Edouard Nathanaël ETONDE EKOTO v Cameroon;
ii. Mr. Jean Marie ATANGANA MEBARA v Cameroon;
iii. The indigenous peoples of the Lower Omo (represented by Survival International Charitable Trust) v Ethiopia;
iv. Sudan v South Sudan;
v. Sudanese Civilians in South Kordofan and Blue Nile (represented by the Enough Project) v Sudan;
vi. Saadi Gadaffi and Naima Oun (represented by International Human Rights Commission) v Libya.


Tuesday 31 August 2012

SESSION 8: Consideration of Communications on Admissibility:

09:00-11:00 Presentation of Communication 337/07-Kevin Ngumne v Cameroon- By Commissioner ...

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee/Tea Break

11:15-13:30 Presentation of Communication 368/09- Abdelhadi Ali Radi and others v Sudan- By Commissioner
13:30 – 15:00 Lunch

15:00-16:30 Presentation of Communication 379/09- Monim Elgak, Osman Hummeida and Amir Suliman v Sudan - By Commissioner...

16:30 – 16:45 Coffee/Tea Break

SESSION 9: Follow up on the implementation of Provisional Measures (Rule 98(4))

16:45-17:00 Follow-up on Provisional Measures for:

i. Communication 402/11- Sudan Democracy First Group, INTERIGHTS & HRW v Sudan

ii. Communication 411/12- Mr. Saif Al-Islam Gaddafi (represented by Mishana Hosseinioun) v Libya

iii. Communication 413/12- David Mendes (represented by the Centre for Human Rights) v Angola

End of Day Two

Wednesday 1 August 2012

SESSION 10: Presentation of a Communication on Review

09:00-10:30 – Presentation of Communication 384/09- Kevin Ngumne v Cameroon - By Commissioner...
SESSION 11:  Consideration of a Communication on Merits

10:30-11:00  Communication 301/05-IHRDA v Ethiopia

11:00 - 11:15  Coffee/Tea Break

11:15-13:30  Communication 301 cont’

13:30-15:00  Lunch

SESSION 12:  Presentation and adoption of Promotion/Special Mechanism Mission Reports

15:00:16:30  Report of the Promotion Mission to the Central African Republic (CAR)

16:30 - 16:45  Coffee/Tea Break

16:45-17:00  CAR Report cont’

End of Day Three

Thursday 2 August 2012

SESSION 13:  Presentation and adoption of Promotion/Special Mechanism Mission Reports cont’

09:00-11:00  Report of the Promotion Mission to the Mauritania
11:00 - 11:15  Coffee/Tea Break

SESSION 14:  Presentation - Analysis of Article 56 (5) of the African Charter

11:15:13:30  Discussion on the Analysis of Article 56(5)

13:30 - 15:00  Lunch

SESSION 15:  Consideration of Concluding Observations

15:00-16:00  Concluding Observation of Sudan

16:00-16:30  Concluding Observation of Angola

16:30 – 16:45  Coffee/Tea Break

16:45-17:00  Concluding Observation of Angola cont’

End of Day Four

Friday 3 August 2012

SESSION 16:  Discussion on the Manual for the Rights of Indigenous Peoples/communities

09:00– 11:00  Discussion-Manual on the protection and promotion of indigenous peoples’ rights/communities through the African human rights system
11:00 – 11:15 Coffee/Tea Break

SESSION 17: Proposal for technical support by North-South XXI

11:15-12:30 Presentation of the proposal for technical support by North-South XXI for the study on climate change and human rights in Africa

SESSION 18: Implementation of the African Commission’s recommendations on the Endorois Case


13:30-15:00 Lunch

SESSION 19: Adoption of Reports

15:00-15:15 Discussion on a proposal to adopt the pending 49th, 50th and 51st Ordinary Session Reports by online circulation due to time constraints (to clear the backlog of Session Reports).

15:15:16:30 Adoption of the 12th EOS Report

16:30 – 16:45 Coffee/Tea Break

16:45-17:00 Adoption of 12th EOS Report cont’

End of Day five
Saturday 4 August 2012

SESSION 20: Adoption of the Final Communiqué of the 12th EOS

09:00-11:00 Consideration and adoption of the Final Communiqué of the 12th EOS

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee/Tea Break

SESSION 21: 11:15-12:30 A.O.B

    - Mechanism on Transitional Justice
    - Agenda of the 52nd Ordinary Session

SESSION 22: Closing

12:30-13:30 Conclusions and closing of the 12th EOS

End of Session

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