

Bulletin of informal meetings

held in parallel to the 4th session of the Human Rights Council

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Wednesday, 28 March 2007

HRC parallel meetings

| Time | Organized by | Subject of the meeting | Type of meeting | Conference Room |
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| 8.30 – 10.00 a.m. | Human Rights Council | Informal meeting on rules of procedure and methods of work | Public | XXIII |
| 1.30 – 3.00 p.m. | Human Rights Council | Informal meeting on review of mandates | Public | XXIII |

Meetings organized by Permanent Missions, intergovernmental organizations, specialized agencies, OHCHR and the Department of Public Information (DPI)

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| 9.00 – 10.00 a.m. | OIC | Open-ended informal meeting on draft resolution L.12 | Public | XXI |
| 10.00 – 11.00 a.m. | Permanent Mission of the Netherlands | Informal consultations on draft resolution L.13 | Public | XXVII |
| 10.00 a.m. – 12.00 noon | Permanent Mission of South Africa | Open consultations on the resolution on the rectification of the status of the CESC | Public | XXI |
| 10.30 – 1.00 p.m. | NAM | NAM meeting on Human Rights Council | Private | XIX |
| 11.00 p.m. – 12.00 noon | Permanent Mission of Germany | Follow-up to the 4 th special session of the Human Rights Council | Public | XXIV |
| 2.00 – 3.00 p.m. | OHCHR – Working Group on Arbitrary Detention | General meeting with NGOs | Public | XXVII |

| NGO events | | | | |
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| Time | Organized by | Suggested title of the meeting | Type of meeting | Conference Room |
| 09.00 – 10.00 a.m. | Conference of Non-governmental Organizations in Consultative relationship with the United Nations (co-sponsored by Human Rights Information and Documentation Systems International) | “On-line information for NGOs: www.hrcouncil.info ” | Public | XII |
| 11.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m. | Jubilee Campaign | “Anti-vilification laws and their chilling effect on religious expression | Public | XXII |
| 12.00 noon – 2.00 p.m. | Interfaith International (co-sponsored by International Federation for the Protection of the Rights of Ethnic, Religious, Linguistic & Other Minorities) | “Towards a confederation of peoples in South-Asia” | Public | E.3056/58 |
| 12.00 noon – 2.00 p.m. | World Organization Against Torture (co-sponsored by International Federation of Human Rights Leagues) | “Worldwide situation of human right defenders – launching of the 2006 annual report of the ‘Observatory for the Protection of Human Rights Defenders’” | Public | XXVII |
| 12.30 – 2.00 p.m. | International Peace Bureau | “Update on the human rights situation in Myanmar” | Public | XII |
| 12.30 – 2.00 p.m. | International Commission of Jurists (co-sponsored by Amnesty International, Centre for Women's Global Leadership, Global Rights, European Region of the International Lesbian and Gay Federation, Human Rights Watch, International Service for Human Rights) | “The Yogyakarta principles in action the application of the Yogyakarta principles on sexual orientation and gender identity to human rights situations around the world” | Public | XXIV |
| 1.00 – 2.00 p.m. | Association of World Citizens | “Crossroads at the edge of the worlds: the trapped sub-saharan transit migrants on Moroccan territory” | Public | XXI |
| 1.00 – 3.00 p.m. | United Nations Watch | “Human rights situation in Darfur” | Public | XIX |
| 1.00 – 3.00 p.m. | Friedrich Ebert Foundation | “Business and human rights – a new approach at the UN?” | Public | XXII |
| 2.00 – 3.00 p.m. | Franciscans International | “Open discussion with Ms. Asma Jahangir, UN Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief” | Public | XXIV |

NGO events (*Cont'd*)

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| 2.00 – 4.00 p.m. | African Commission of Health and Human Rights Promoters (co-sponsored by Inter-african Union for Human Rights, Interfaith International, Movement against Racism and for Friendship among Peoples, North South XXI, Organization of African Trade Union Unity, Rencontre africaine pour la défense des droits de l'homme, Young Doctors Without Borders Tunisia) | “The new human rights actors in Africa” | Public | XXI |
| 2.00 – 4.00 p.m. | Asia Pacific Forum on Women, Law and Development (co-sponsored by Centre for Women's Global Leadership, World Organization Against Torture) | “Negotiating culture: intersections between culture and women’s human rights” | Public | XII |
