### **Human Rights Council**

#### **Seventeenth session**

Geneva, 30 May - 17 June 2011

#### **Bulletin of informal meetings**

#### Held in parallel to the session

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#### Tuesday, 31 May 2011

MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY PERMANENT MISSIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, OHCHR AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

| Time  | Organized by  | Subject of the meeting   | Type of meeting | Room  |
|---|---|--|-----------------|-------|
| 8.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.                          | European Union (EU)   | EU experts on human rights   | Private         | IX    |
| 9.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.<br>3.00 p.m. — 4.00 p.m. | Organizational of Islamic<br>Conference (OIC)                                       | OIC Group meeting  | Private         | XXVII |
| 9.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.                          | Permanent Mission of the<br>Republic of Costa Rica                                  | GRULAC meeting   | Private         | VIII  |
| 8.00 a.m. — 11.00 a.m.                          | African Union (AU)  | AU Group meeting   | Private         | XXII  |
| 10.00 a.m. — 11.00 a.m.                         | Permanent Mission of Sweden   | Mandate of the Special<br>Rapporteur on extrajudicial,<br>summary or arbitrary<br>executions | Private         | XXV   |
| 11.00 a.m. — 12.00 p.m.                         | Permanent Mission of the<br>United Kingdom of Great<br>Britain and Northern Ireland | Human rights in Libya  | Private         | XXV   |
| 11.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.                          | Permanent Mission of Germany  | Informal meetings on the draft resolution on human trafficking                               | Public          | XXII  |
| 11.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.                          | Permanent Mission of the Arab<br>Republic of Egypt                                  | NAM consultations  | Private         | XXVII |

#### **Bulletin of Informal Meetings**

| 11.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m. | Permanent Mission of France | Meeting of co-sponsors of<br>the draft resolution on the<br>renewal of the mandate of<br>extreme poverty and human<br>rights        | Private | VIII |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|---|---------|------|
| 5.00 p.m. — 7.00 p.m.  | Permanent Mission of Norway | Informal consultations on<br>draft resolution on human<br>right and transnational<br>corporations and other<br>business enterprises | Public  | XXV  |

# MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

| Time                  | Organized by   | Subject of the meeting                                    | Type of meeting | Room  |
|-----------------------|--|---|-----------------|-------|
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m. | Human Rights Watch (HRW)   | Human rights in Belarus                                   | Public          | XXVII |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m. | International La Strada<br>Association. Co-sponsors:<br>Permanent Mission of Germany,<br>Permanent Mission of the<br>Philippines, Anti Slavery<br>International              | Access to justice and compensation for trafficked persons | Public          | XXV   |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m. | International Human Rights<br>Association of American<br>Minorities (IHRAAM)   | Rights of persons detained during a conflict              | Public          | XXII  |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m. | Conference of Non-Governmental Organizations in Consultative Relationship with the United Nations (CONGO). Co-sponsors: NGO Committee of Human Rights, Mandat Internationale | The Human Rights Council for newcomers                    | Public          | VIII  |
| 3.00 p.m. — 5.00 p.m. | International Commission of<br>Jurists (ICJ)   | The role of judges and lawyers in time of crisis          | Public          | XXII  |
| 3.00 p.m. — 5.00 p.m. | International Catholic Migration<br>Commission (ICMC)  | Rights of migrants  | Public          | XXV   |

#### Forthcoming Meetings – Wednesday, 1 June 2011

Please note that the information on forthcoming events is indicative and may be subject to changes.

# MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY PERMANENT MISSIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, SPECIALIZED AGENCIES, OHCHR AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

| Time  | Organized by  | Subject of the meeting   | Type of meeting | Room   |
|---|---|--|-----------------|--------|
| 8.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.                          | European Union (EU)   | EU experts on human rights   | Private         | IX     |
| 9.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.<br>4.00 p.m. — 5.00 p.m. | Organizational of Islamic<br>Conference (OIC)   | OIC Group meeting  | Private         | XXVII  |
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| 9.00 a.m. — 10.00 a.m.                          | Permanent Mission of the<br>Republic of Costa Rica  | GRULAC meeting   | Private         | VIII   |
| 8.00 a.m. — 11.00 a.m.                          | African Union (AU)  | AU Group meeting   | Private         | XXII   |
| 10.00 a.m. — 11.00 a.m.                         | Permanent Mission of the<br>Slovak Republic and Permanent<br>Mission of the Republic of<br>Slovenia on behalf of a cross-<br>regional group of States | Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the rights of the child       | Private         | XXV    |
| 10.00 a.m. − 12.00 p.m.                         | Permanent Mission of the Arab<br>Republic of Egypt  | NAM consultations  | Private         | IX     |
| 10.00 a.m. — 12.00 p.m.                         | Permanent Mission of Austria  | WEOG meeting   | Public          | VIII   |
| 10.00 a.m. — 12.00 p.m.                         | Permanent Mission of Portugal   | Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the right to education: Follow-up to Human Rights Council resolution 8/4 | Public          | XXVII  |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m.                           | JUSCANZ Group   | JUNCANZ Meeting  | Private         | E-3025 |
| 3.00 p.m. — 5.00 p.m.                           | Permanent Mission of Sweden   | Mandate of the Special<br>Rapporteur on extrajudicial,<br>summary or arbitrary<br>executions                               | Public          | XXV    |
| 4.00 p.m. — 6.00 p.m.                           | Permanent Mission of Australia  | Informal meeting on draft<br>resolution on National<br>Human Rights Institutions   | Private         | IX     |
| 5.00 p.m. — 6.00 p.m.                           | Permanent Mission of the<br>Slovak Republic and Permanent<br>Mission of the Republic of<br>Slovenia on behalf of a cross-<br>regional group of States | Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the rights of the child       | Public          | XXII   |

| 5.00 p.m. — 7.00 p.m. | Permanent Mission of Canada | Informal consultations on the draft resolution on | Public | XXVII |
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|                       |                             | elimination of violence                           |        |       |
|                       |                             | against women                                     |        |       |

## MEETINGS ORGANIZED BY NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

| Time                    | Organized by   | Subject of the meeting  | Type of meeting | Room  |
|-------------------------|--|---|-----------------|-------|
| 10.00 a.m. − 12.00 p.m. | World Organisation Against<br>Torture (OMCT)   | Human rights in Mexico  | Public          | XXVII |
| 11.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.  | Freedom House  | Growing threats to internet freedom                           | Public          | XXII  |
| 12.00 p.m. — 2.00 p.m.  | World Association for the<br>School as an Instrument for<br>Peace (EIP)  | Human rights of children in Cambodia                          | Public          | IX    |
| 12.00 p.m. — 2.00 p.m.  | International Federation for<br>Human Rights' Leagues (FIDH)   | Human rights and business                                     | Public          | VIII  |
| 12.00 p.m. — 2.00 p.m.  | Inter-African Committee on<br>Traditional Practices Affecting<br>the Health of Women and<br>Children (IAC). Co-sponsors:<br>Inter-African Committee,<br>Women's UN Report Network -<br>WUNRN, NGO Committee on<br>the Status of Women - Geneva,<br>No Peace Without Justice,<br>Worldwide Organization for<br>Women - WOW, World YWCA              | Female genital mutilation                                     | Public          | XXVII |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m.   | Anti Slavery International and the UN Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery. Co sponsors: Anti Slavery, the UN Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Anti Slavery International, Children Unit, the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Costa Rica and the Permanent Mission of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay | Protecting young domestic workers from abuse and exploitation | Public          | XXII  |
| 1.00 p.m. — 3.00 p.m.   | Planetary Association for Clean<br>Peace (PACE). Co-sponsor:<br>OHCHR-Independent Expert on<br>Cultural Rights   | Access to Cultural Heritage                                   | Public          | XXV   |

| 2.00 p.m. — 4.00 p.m. | Franciscans International                                      | Access to Remedies  | Public | VIII  |
|-----------------------|--|---|--------|-------|
| 2.00 p.m. — 4.00 p.m. | France-Libertés Fondation<br>Danielle Mitterrand               | Human rights in Western<br>Sahara   | Public | IX    |
| 2.00 p.m. — 4.00 p.m. | Cairo Institute for Human<br>Rights Studies (CIHRS)            | Human rights in Syria:<br>Violations in the context of<br>pro-democracy<br>demonstrations | Public | XXVII |
| 3.00 p.m. — 5.00 p.m. | Asia Pacific Forum on Women,<br>Law and Development<br>(APWLD) | Sexual and reproductive rights  | Public | XXII  |
| 4.00 p.m. — 6.00 p.m. | Nord-Sud XXI - North-South<br>XXI                              | Right to health:WHO&HRC synergies   | Public | VIII  |