(Association of Law Reform Agencies of Eastern and Southern Africa)

CONFERENCE on "THE ROLE OF LAW REFORM IN DEVELOPMENT"

[Intercontinental Hotel, Balaclava, Mauritius, 29 & 30 June 2017]

PROGRAM

Day 1

Wednesday 28 June 2017

TIME	EVENT
	Arrival of Delegates
19:30 – 22:00	Evening Welcome Reception / Dinner

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Day 2

Thursday 29 June 2017

TIME	EVENT
8:30 – 9:30	Registration of participants
9:30 – 10:00	Opening Ceremony
	Introductory Remarks by Representative LRC MAURITIUS, Mr. Pierre Rosario DOMINGUE, CEO
	Welcome Address by Chair LRC Mauritius, Mr. A. Raouf GULBUL & Chair ALRAESA, Mrs. Rukimirana Vastina NSANZE
10:00 – 10:30	Keynote Address by Attorney-General of Mauritius Hon. Mr. Ravi YERRIGADOO - "Law Reform and Development"
10:30 - 11:00	Tea break
11:00 – 12:00	Session 1: Value & Usefulness of Law Reform Agencies to Legal Policy Development – Chairperson: Ms. Yvonne DAUSAB (Chairperson Namibian Law Reform and Development Commission)
	Representative Commonwealth Secretariat, Mrs. Segametsi MOTHIBATSELA, Legal Advisor, Law and Development Section
	Representative MALAWI Law Commission, Mrs. Eddah CHAVULA, Assistant Chief Law Reform Officer
	"The role of Law Reform Agencies on Legal Policy Development of a Country: A Case of the Law Commission in Malawi"
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 14:45	Session 2: Challenges of Law Reform in Small States – Chairperson: Judge Joel ZOWA (Deputy Chairman Zimbabwe Law Development Commission)
	Representative LRC MAURITIUS, Mr. Pierre Rosario DOMINGUE, CEO Representative LRC ZANZIBAR, Judge Mshibe Ali BAKARI, Chairperson
14:45 – 15:15	Tea break
15:15 – 16:30	Session 3: Constitutional Reform — Chairperson: Mr. A. Raouf GULBUL (Chairperson LRC Mauritius) Representative KENYA LRC, Ms. Doreen Nkatha MUTHAURA, Vice Chairperson "Kenya Experience in Constitutional Reform & Implementation 2010-2016"
16.30 – 18.00	EXCO Meeting
19:30 – 22:00	Dinner

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Day 3

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TIME	EVENT
9:00 – 9:15	Registration of participants
0.15 10.15	Consider A. Business and Consumer Law Reform. Chairman and Mrs. Bullinsing
9:15 – 10:15	Session 4: Business and Consumer Law Reform – Chairperson: Mrs. Rukimirana Vastina NSANZE (Chairperson Uganda Law Reform Commission)
	Representative AGO BOTSWANA, Mrs. Khursheed ROSSENKHAN "Doing business legal reforms: A Botswana perspective"
	Representative AGO MAURITIUS, Mr. Dinay REETOO "Business Law Reform in Mauritius"
10:15 – 10:45	Tea break
10:45 – 11:45	Session 5: Reform related to Gender-based Violence – Chairperson: Mrs. Gertrude Lynn HIWA, SC (Law Commissioner, Malawi Law Commission)
	Representative NAMIBIA LRDC, Ms. Jessica J. GAWACHAB, Senior Legal Officer "Reform of Law on Domestic Violence"
	Representative SOUTH AFRICA LRC , Mr. Tshisamphiri Nelson MATIBE "Reform of Law on Stalking"
11:45 – 12:45	Session 6: Reform of Law of Evidence – Chairperson: Judge Narandran
	KOLLAPEN (Chairperson South African Law Commission)
	DPP MAURITIUS, Mr. Satyajit BOOLELL, SC "Need for Changes to the Law of Evidence"
	ZIMBABWE LDC, Ms. Lungile MASUKU, Chief Law Officer
	"Advancing Justice through Technology: DNA and Electronic Evidence"
	UGANDA LRC, Mrs. Rukimirana Vastina NSANZE, Chairperson "Reform of the Law on Evidence: Uganda's Experience"
12:45 – 13:00	Conference Round-Up
	Mr. Sabir KADEL (Senior Law Reform Officer, LRC Mauritius)
	Closing Ceremony
	Mr. A. Raouf GULBUL (Chairperson LRC Mauritius)
	Mrs. Rukimirana Vastina NSANZE (Chairperson ALRAESA)
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 18.30	Excursion for delegates
19:30 - 22:00	Dinner

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Day 4 Saturday 1 July 2017

Departure of Delegates