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## Daily Note of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights

Wednesday, 10 November 2010

### Item 1: Opening Ceremony – public session

Mrs Lucy Asu-Agbor from Cameroon was sworn in as the new Commissioner of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights

Speeches were delivered by:

Commissioner Reine Alapini-Gansou, Chairperson of the African Commission

Mrs Hannah Foster, Chair, NGOs Steering Committee and Executive Director, ACDHRS

Representative of National Human Rights Institutions

H.E. Mrs Julia Dolly Joiner Commissioner for Political Affairs of the African Union Commission

Honorable Judge Gerard Niyungeko, President of the African Court on Human and Peoples' Rights

Representative of AU Member States, Honorable Mrs Salamata Sawadogo, Minister for Promotion of Human Rights in Burkina Faso

Opening Speech by Honorable Edward Gomez, Attorney General and Minister of Justice of the Republic of The Gambia

### Item 4(a) – statements by state delegates

The following State Delegates made statements under this agenda item:

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Republic of Burkina Faso – Mrs Sawadago

Republic of Uganda

Kingdom of Lesotho

Republic of Tunisia

Republic of Zimbabwe

Republic of Egypt

**Item 4(c) - Statements by intergovernmental organizations and international organizations**

Organization of Francophone

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### Item 4(a) – Statements by State Delegates

The following State Delegates made statements under this agenda item:

- Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
- Republic of South Africa
- Republic of The Sudan
- Republic of Senegal

### Item 4(c) - Statements by intergovernmental organizations and international organizations

The following intergovernmental organizations made statements under this agenda item:

- UNAIDS
- UNFPII

### Item 4(d) – statements by National Human Rights Institutions

The following NHRIs made statements under this agenda item:

- Kenya Human Rights Commission
- National Human Rights Commission of Burkina Faso

### Item 4(e) – Statements by Non-Governmental Organizations

The following NGOs made statements under this agenda item:

- Media Foundation for West Africa
- Organization Mondiale Contre la Torture (OMCT)
- Human Rights Development Initiatives

- **Associação Justice, Paz Democracia (AJPD)**
- **East and Horn of Africa Human Rights Defenders Project (EHAHRDP)**
- **Lawyers for Human Rights for Zimbabwe**
- **Nigerian Bar Association**
- **Arid Land Institute, Kenya**
- **Association Africaine de Defense des Droit de L'Homme**
- **Alternative Cameroon**
- **Human Rights Institute of Southern Africa (HURISA)**
- **POWA**
- **International Humanist and Ethical Union, United Kingdom**
- **Collectif des familles des disparu(e)s en Algerie, France**
- **Cairo Institute for Human Rights Studies (CIRHS)**
- **FiDH**
- **Zimbabwe Human Rights NGO Forum**
- **Bajito – Africa**
- **Center for Human Rights**
- **Ogiek**
- **Gracia Michel Foundation**