

Join us as over 50 countries come together to launch a

Global Alliance to Stop the Trade in Goods used for Torture and Capital Punishment

18 September 2017, UN Headquarters, New York

The Alliance for Torture-Free Trade is an initiative of Argentina, the European Union and Mongolia. So far over 50 countries across the world have committed to the aim of the Alliance - to end the trade in goods used to carry out torture and capital punishment.

Such products include: batons with metal spikes; electric shock belts; grabbers that seize people by the waist or limb while electrocuting them; chemicals used to execute people; and the forced injection systems that go with them.

The Alliance also seeks to control and restrict exports of these products, monitor trade routes and exchange information in order to put an end to this trade.

Come join us!

Day:Monday, 18 September 2017Time:4.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.Venue:UN Secretariat Building, Conference room 2, United Nations, New YorkRegistration:www.torturefreetrade.orgDeadline:13 September 2017

In attendance:

H.E. Jorge Faurie, Foreign Minister of Argentina
H.E. Cecilia Malmström, European Commissioner for Trade
H.E. Tsend Munkh-Orgil, Foreign Minister of Mongolia (TBC)
Salil Shetty, Secretary General of Amnesty International
Marietje Schaake, Member of the European Parliament
Andrew Gilmour, Assistant Secretary-General, OHCHR
Marina Nemat, Author
Ambassador Manuel Schaerer Kanonnikoff
Dr. Michael Crowley, Omega Research Foundation
Heads of State and Government and Ministerial representation

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