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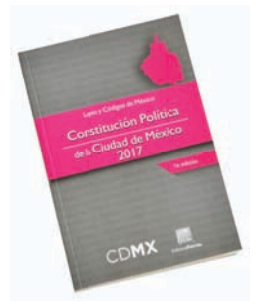
Workshop: The Constituent process in Mexico City and the inclusion of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

Date: **Friday April 28, 2017.**
Time: **15:00 to 16:30.**
Place: **Conference Hall B,
UN Headquarters, New York.**

The new Constitution of Mexico City is the first in the world that includes the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples in order to establish its mandatory implementation.

The inclusion of the Declaration, the prior consultation to the indigenous peoples and the consecration of its rights within the constitutional block, are historic events for Mexico City. This fact taught good practices that could serve as a reference for future occurrences and constitutional reforms.

In this workshop, representatives of the Constituent Assembly of Mexico City will share their experience during the process and the realization of the consultation of the indigenous peoples. There will be dialogues regarding the challenges of implementing the Declaration as a constitutional norm.

**Speakers**

- **Miguel Ángel Mancera Espinosa**, Mayor of Mexico City.
- **Alejandro Encinas Rodríguez**, Former President of the Constituent Assembly of Mexico City.
- **Mardonio Carballo Manuel**, Former Constituent Deputy, Indigenous Representative.
- **Porfirio Muñoz Ledo**, Commissioner for the Political Reform of Mexico City.
- **Rosa Icela Rodríguez Velázquez**, Head of the Agency of Indigenous Affairs of Mexico City.