International Expert Group Meeting

Agenda

Conservation and the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

23-25 January 2019, Nairobi, Kenya

United Nations Office at Nairobi, UN Avenue, Conference Room 3

Division for Inclusive Social Development
Department of Economic and Social Affairs
United Nations
Wednesday 23 January 2019
8:00 Registration

9.00 am – 12.00 noon

Opening Remarks
Mr. Siddharth Chatterjee, UN Resident Coordinator, Kenya (TBC)
Ms. Anne Nuorgam, Vice-chair of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues
Ms. Chandra Roy-Henriksen, Chief, IPDB-SPFII/DISD/UNDESA

1. Introduction: Conservation and the rights of indigenous peoples
Moderator:
Ms. Anne Nuorgam, Member of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Presentation:
Ms. Lucy Mulenkei, Executive Director, Indigenous Info net.
Ms. Myrna Cunningham, The Fund for the Development of Indigenous Peoples of Latin America and the Caribbean (FILAC) & Pawanka Fund Chair

General Discussion

2.00pm – 5.00pm

2. Conservation and its impact on the rights of indigenous peoples
Moderator:
Mr. Brian Keane, Member of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Presentation:
Mr. Goutam Dewan, CHT Forest Committee
Ms. Tumbwebaze Scorah, Batwa Indigenous Human Rights Defender & General Secretary UOBDU
Mr. Paul Kanyinke Sena, Director, The Indigenous Peoples of Africa Co-ordinating Committee
Mr. Joseph Ole Simel, Executive Director, Mainyoito Pastoralists Integrated Development Organization

General Discussion

Thursday 24 January 2019
9.00 am – 12.00 noon
3. Examples of good conservation practices by or with indigenous peoples
Moderator:
Ms. Victoria Tauli-Corpuz, Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

Presentations:
Mr. Yon Fernandez de Larrinoa, Indigenous Peoples Team Leader, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
Ms. Milka Chepkorir, Member of the Sengwer Indigenous peoples
Mr. Daniel Kobei, Executive Director, Ogiek peoples Development Programme

General Discussion

2.00 pm – 5.00 pm
4. Standards and policies for conservation
Moderator:
Mr. Alexey Tsykarev, Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

Presentations:
Ms. Viviana Figueroa, consultant, UN CBD Secretariat
Ms. Gina Cosentino, Senior Social Development Specialist, World Bank
Mr. Mordecai Ogada, Director, Conservation Solutions Afrika

General Discussion

Friday 25 January 2019
9.00 am – 12.00 noon
5. Recommendations including drafting a global set of standards or other measures to realize the rights of indigenous peoples in conservation contexts
Moderator:
Mr. Elifuraha Laltaika, Member of the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

Presentations:
Ms. Agnes Leina, Executive Director and founder of Il'laramatak Community
Mr. Candido Pastor, Regional Director for Indigenous Peoples for South America, Conservation International
Mr. Mali Ole Kaunga, Director IMPACT, Convenor PARAN

2.00 pm – 5.00 pm
Closing Remarks
Ms. Chandra Roy-Henriksen, Chief, IPDB-SPFII, DISD, UNDESA