ECOSOC Chamber, UNHQ, New York
6 October 2016 (10 AM – 1 PM)

Opening Session
(10:00 – 10:35)

Video
“No Donuts for You: Fake Age Limits Targets Ageism”, Disrupt Ageing, AARP

Welcome
Ms. Janet Sigal, Chair of the NGO Committee on Ageing in New York
Ms. Nélida Quintero and Ms. Susanne Bleiberg-Seperson, Co-Chairs, UNIDOP Programme Subcommittee, NGO Committee on Ageing in New York

Message from
H.E. Mr. Peter Thomson, President of the 71st session of the General Assembly

Remarks by
H.E. Mr. Martín García Moritán, Permanent Representative of Argentina to the United Nations
Ms. Daniela Bas, Director, Division for Social Policy and Development, UNDESA

Keynote Address
(10:35 – 10:45)
Ms. Ashton Applewhite, Author of “This Chair Rocks: A Manifesto against Ageism”

Panel Discussion: Take a Stand against Ageism
(10:45 – 12:50)

Video Message
Dr. David Nabarro, Special Adviser on 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Moderator
Ms. Edith M. Lederer, Chief Correspondent at the UN for the Associated Press

Panelists
H.E. Mr. Burhan Gafoor, Permanent Representative of Singapore to the United Nations
Ms. Alana Officer, Senior Health Adviser, Ageing and Life Course, WHO, Geneva
Mr. Necodimus Chipfupa, Regional Director, Southern Africa, HelpAge International

Interactive dialogue

Closing Session
(12:50 – 1:00)

Remarks by
Mr. Mateo Estrémé, Deputy Permanent Representative of Permanent Mission of Argentina and Chair of the General Assembly’s Open-ended Working Group on Ageing