



WOMEN, PEACE AND SECURITY (WPS) IN THE GREAT LAKES REGION

High level Meeting for Ministers of Gender on Implementation and Monitoring
of the Women, Peace and Security Commitments in the Great Lakes Region

23 November 2018

Entebbe, Uganda

(PROTEA HOTEL)

AGENDA

Ministerial Meeting

Friday, 23 November 2018

08:00-08:45 Registration

08:45-09:45 Opening Ceremony: Welcome & Opening Remarks

- *Said Djinnit, UN Special Envoy for the Great Lakes Region*
- *Ambassador Zachary Muburi-Muita, Executive Secretary, ICGLR*
- *African Union Representative*
- *Dr. Ahmed Attiat, President, ICGLR Women's Forum*
- *H.E. Madame Ines Bertille Nefer Ingani, Minister for the Promotion of Women and the Integration of Women in Development, Republic of Congo*
- *H.E. Madame Susan Eckey, Ambassador of Norway to Uganda*
- *H.E. Madame Mutuuzo Peace Regis, Minister of State for Gender, Labour and Social Development of the Republic of Uganda (Host)*

09:45-10:00 Overview of Technical Meeting

Rapporteur in Chief: Amb. Liberata Mulamula, Former ICGLR Executive-Secretary, Member African Union FemWise

10:00-10:15 ICGLR Regional Action Plan on UNSCR 1325 (2000)

Presenter: Madame Micheline Ravololonarisoa, WPS Expert, ICGLR Consultant

10:15-10:45 Plenary Discussion & Endorsement of ICGLR Regional Action Plan UNSCR 1325 (2000)

10:45-11:15 Tea Break

11:15-11:30 Experience of economic empowerment of Congolese women

Presenter: H.E. Madame Ines Bertille Nefer Ingani, Minister for the Promotion of Women and the Integration of Women in Development, Republic of Congo

Chair: H.E. Madame Aline Gisèle Pana, Minister for the Advancement of Women, Family and Child Protection of the CAR

11:30-11:45 Access to Justice for Women Victims of Sexual and Gender Based Violence and Women Political Participation and Representation

Presenter: Mr. Claude Kabutare, Executive Secretary, COCAFEM GL

Chair: Mr. Felix Ngendabanyikwa, Permanent Secretary, Minister of Human Rights, Social Affairs and Gender Development of the Republic of Burundi

11:45-12:30 Centres of Excellence for Democracy and Good Governance, Regional Center for Research and Documentation on Women, Gender and Peace building in the Great Lakes Region and Combating SGBVs.

Presenters: Dr. Frank Okuthe-Oyugi, Executive Director, Levy Mwanawasa Regional Centre for Democracy and Good Governance

Madame Lubuma Vitalie, Director General, Regional Center for Research and Documentation on Women, Gender and Peacebuilding in the Great Lakes Region

Mr. Nathan Mwesigye Byamukama, Regional Director, Regional Training Facility on SGBV

Chair: H.E. Madame Chantal Safou Lopusa, Minister of Gender, the Child and the Family of the Democratic Republic of Congo

Group Photo before lunch

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00 Conclusions

Presented by: H.E. Madame Mutuuzo Peace Regis, Minister of State for Gender, Labour and Social Development of the Republic of Uganda

Final remarks & Closing Ceremony

18:00-19:30 Cocktail offered by ICGLR (Protea Hotel)