INVITATION

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The Transnational Phenomenon of Female Genital Mutilation

Book Presentation of Mrs. Berhane Ras-Work: “The Unbidden Pain”

UNITED NATIONS, Wagramer Strasse 5, 1400 Vienna
October 7th, 2014, 14:00
Press Room (Ground Floor M Building)
At the Presence of Her Excellency Gillian Murray
Deputy Director, Division for Policy Analysis
(DPA and Chief Public Affairs and Policy Support Branch (PAB)

PROGRAM

“Introduction of the Event”
Etenesh Hadis, UNODC side event coordinator

1 Minute Silence for Barbara Prammer, President of the Austrian Parliament
Vero La Reine for President Prammer

Keynote Speech
BM Gabriele Heinisch-Hosek, Minister of Women and Education in Austria, read by Mag.a Ines Stilling, Department Head of Department IV

“The role of ACTPEW in Prevention of Trafficking of Women and Harmful Traditional Practices”
Lilian Plapan, President of ACTPEW
(African Coalition on Harmful Traditional Practices and for the Empowerment of Women)

“IGAD Women and Children Trafficking for inappropriate labour”
Mulu Haile Tesema, Chair of IGAD/CSO-NGO
(Intergovernmental Authority for Development/Civil Society Organizations – Non Governmental Organization)

“30 years achievement of Mrs. Berhane Ras-Work initiative in Anti-FGM Work”
Dr. Lemlem Sissay Fetene, African Women’s Organisation

Bookpresentation: “The Unbidden Pain”
Berhane Ras-Work, Cofounder and Executive Board Member of ACTPEW
(African Coalition on Harmful Traditional Practices and for the Empowerment of Women)
Member of the UN Human Rights Council

Award Ceremony for DANIDA and NORAD and Women’s Front of Norway

“30 years experience of anti-FGM work in Africa”
Agnete Strom, Women’s Front of Norway

“30 years experience of anti-FGM Work of DANIDA in Africa”
Toni Michelsen, DANIDA

Questions and Answers, Discussion with the audience

Resolution

Moderator:
Michael Platzer, Liaison Officer for the Academic Council on the United Nations System- ACUNS and Chair
Vienna NGO Alliance for Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice,
Chairperson of the UNODC side event