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PROGRAMME

Working languages: English and French

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE THE ROLE OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN TACKLING SEXUAL VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN

Rome, 29 - 30 November 2012
International Conference Hall
P.le della Farnesina, 1
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Rome, Italy

Thursday, 29 November 2012

08.00 - 09.00 Registration

09.00 - Opening Session: Welcome addresses

Giulio Terzi di Sant'Agata, Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs

Elsa Fornero, Italian Minister of Labour, Social Policies and Equal Opportunities

Philippe Boillat, Director General, Directorate General of Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe

Song "Stop the silence", live performance by Aleksandra Kovač

10.00 - Plenary Session: The Lanzarote Convention and the role of International Cooperation in tackling sexual violence against children

Chairperson: Elisabetta Belloni, Director General for Development Cooperation, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Eric Ruelle, Chairperson of the Lanzarote Committee

Bassima Hakkaoui, Minister of Solidarity, Family, Women and Social Development, Morocco

Patrizia De Rose, Head of Equal Opportunities Department, Italian Presidency of the Council of Ministers

Caterina Chinnici, Head of Juvenile Justice Department, Italian Ministry of Justice

Eugenio Selvaggi, Head of Justice Affairs Department, Italian Ministry of Justice

11.00 Coffee break

11.30 - Plenary Session: Good practices showcase

Video presented by the Italian Development Cooperation

Chairperson: Pier Francesco Zazo, Head of the Central Technical Unit – Directorate General for Development Cooperation, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Panel 1 - Projects in Europe

Michele Palma, Director General of the International Affairs and Social Intervention Office - Equal Opportunities Department, Italian Presidency of the Council of Ministers

Marco Scarpati, President of ECPAT Italy

Raffaele Salinari, President of Terre des Hommes, Italy and **Carmen Di Marino**, Studio PAUL HASTINGS

Cristiana De Paoli, Save the Children

Panel 2 - Regional Programmes

Carla Varela, Former Child Protection Programme Officer - UNICEF Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean (TACRO)

Silvia Isabel Rosales Bolaños, Magistrate, Central American Court of Justice, Nicaragua

Bruno Maltoni, Project Coordinator, International Organization for Migration (IOM), Phnom Penh

Bun Eng Chou, Chair, National Committee against Human Trafficking, Sexual Exploitation in Women and Children, Cambodia

Giorgio Stefano Manzi, Scientific Investigations Division of the Carabinieri, Criminal Analysis Unit, Italy

Panel 3 - Mediterranean Projects

Céline Sursock, Communication and External Relations Manager, Himaya – *pour l'innocence en danger*, Lebanon

Luca Portacolone, Coordinator, MoSAIC – MoSA Initiative Child Centered, Lebanon, Italian Cooperation

Teresa Albano, Counter-Trafficking Focal Point, Coordinator of the SALEM Project, Coordinating Office for the Mediterranean and Liaison Mission in Italy and Malta, International Organization for Migration (IOM), Rome

Azza El Ashmawey, General Director NCCM Technical Office, Head of the NCCM Anti Human Trafficking Unit, Egypt

Panel 4 - African Projects

Vittoria Luda di Cortemiglia, Programme Coordinator, Emerging Crimes Unit, United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI)

Josiah Emerole, National Agency for Prohibition of Traffic in Persons (NAPTIP), Nigeria

Niokhobaye Diouf, Director, Ministry of Women, Family, Social Development and Women's Entrepreneurship, Senegal

Sandro De Luca, CISP – Area Manager - Africa

13.30 - 14.45 Buffet

15.00 - Plenary Session: Introduction to the Working Groups by Raffaella Pregliasco, Istituto degli Innocenti (Florence)

15.30 - 17.30: Working Groups (coffee available in the Working Groups)

Working Group 1 (Bilingual) - Justice and human dignity: international agreements to enhance protection of children victims of sexual exploitation and sexual abuse and to effectively prosecute offenders

Speaker: Anna Pagotto, Legislation and International Affairs Office, Criminal Justice Department, Italian Ministry of Justice

Facilitator: Carmen Di Marino, Studio PAUL HASTINGS

Working Group 2 (English only) - Human Rights: strategic approaches in preventing and combating sexual exploitation and sexual abuse of children through development cooperation programmes

Speaker: Chiara Venier, Social Policies Expert, Central Technical Unit - Directorate General for Development Cooperation, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Facilitator: Bruno Maltoni, Project Coordinator, International Organization for Migration (IOM), Phnom Penh

Working Group 3 (Bilingual) - Promoting Communication and Education Policies and Strategies through international cooperation to raise awareness on the right of children to be protected against sexual violence

Speaker: Cristiana De Paoli, Save the Children

Facilitator: Stefano Scialotti, International video-maker and communication expert

Friday, 30 November 2012

09.00 - 10.30: Working Groups (*continued*)

10.30 Coffee break

10.45 - 13.30 Plenary Session: Working Groups results, discussion and conclusions

Chairperson: Gioia Scappucci, Secretary to the Lanzarote Committee, Children's Rights Division, Council of Europe

Presentation of the Working Group results by a Rapporteur for each Working Group

12.15 Presentation of the Conference Conclusions by **Donata Bianchi**, Istituto degli Innocenti (Florence)

12.45 Closing remarks

Regína Jensdóttir, Head of the Children's Rights Division and Coordinator of the Programme "Building a Europe for and with Children", Council of Europe

Elisabetta Belloni, Director General for Development Cooperation, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

13.30 Buffet and departure of participants