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AU SENSITIZATION AND MOTIVATION CAMPAIGN IN UGANDA TO ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATION IN THE ELECTIONS FOR THE ECOSOCC 2ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INVITATION TO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEDIA

What: The Mission of the African Union (AU) Sensitization and Motivation Campaign for the election of the 2nd General Assembly of the AU Economic, Social and Cultural Council (ECOSOCC).

When: 08th September 2014

Where: Hotel Africana, Kampala, Uganda

Time: 9:00 AM

Who: African Union Commission

Objective: The main objective of the AU Campaign in Uganda is to encourage and motivate Ugandan civil society community to register and participate in the continent-wide process of elections into the 2nd ECOSOCC Permanent General Assembly.

Background:

The African Union (AU) Sensitization and Motivation Campaign comes in compliance with Decision EX.CL/849(XXV) of the AU Executive Council, of June 2014 in Malabo, that mandated the Commission to conduct the campaign and to ensure that a new ECOSOCC Assembly is established before the end of the year 2014.

The sensitization meeting with Ugandan CSOs would include an interactive session and presentations on: the history, role and election process of the ECOSOCC; The summit decisions; Application processes, procedures and the future of ECOSOCC as an organ.

Media representatives in Uganda are invited to take part and cover the Campaign.

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