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Draft Program of Work

Day 1: Tuesday, 21st April 2015

14:00 -14:30	Arrival and Registration		
14:30-15:00	Opening Ceremony Remarks by AUC Commissioner for Social Affairs Opening Speech by Chairperson of the ACERWC Committee		
15:00-15:20	Consultation among Committee Members		Closed Session
15:00-15:20	Tea Break for participants		
15:20-15:50	 Procedural Matters Adoption of the Agenda and the Program of Work. Organization of work 		
15:50-16:35	Brief Presentations by Partners	Partners	
16:35-17:20	Presentation and discussion on the ACCP Project (SIDA Project)	ACCP Program Coordinator	
17:20-18:20	Presentation and discussion on the New ACERWC Website		

Day 2: Wednesday, 22nd April 2015

08:30-10:30	Consideration of State Party Report: Madagascar Report	
10:30-11:00	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:00-12:30	Consideration of State Party Report: Madagascar Report	
12:30-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-16:00	Consideration of State Party Report: Namibia Report	
16:00-16:30	Tea/Coffee Break	
16:30-18:00	Consideration of State Party Report: Namibia Report	

Day 3: Thursday , 23rd April 2015

08:30-10:30	Consideration of State Party Report: Rwanda Report	
10:30-11:00	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:00-12:30	Consideration of State Party Report: Rwanda Report	
12:30-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-16:00	Consideration of State Party Report: Zimbabwe Report	
16:00-16:30	Tea/Coffee Break	
16:30-18:00	Consideration of State Party Report: Zimbabwe Report	_

Day 4: Friday, 24th April 2015

08:30-09:00	Presentation and Adoption of the Guidelines for Reporting by NGOs with Observer Status	
09:00-09:30	Presentation and Adoption of the Training Tool Kit for Member States and CSOs	
09:30-10:00	Presentation on the Children consultations on DAC 2016 and 2017 themes	
10:00-10:30	Adoption of the 2016 theme of the DAC	
10:30-11:00	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:00-11:30	Presentation of the Central African Republic mission Report	
11:30-12:00	Presentation of the Draft General Comment on the Responsibilities of the Child(Article 31)	
12:00-12:15	Presentation of the ACERWC Draft budget 2016	
12:15-12:30	Consideration of Observer status applications	
12:30-12:45	Presentations on the preparations for the commemoration of the 25 th Anniversary of the Charter and the High level Conference on Children and Armed Conflict	
12:45-13:00	Presentation on the activities of the AU Rapporteur on Ending Child Marriage	
13:00-14:30	Lunch	
14:30-14:45	Presentation of Project 2016 African Year of Human Rights	
14:45-16:30	Internal matters	
16:30-17:00	Tea/Coffee Break	
17:00-18:00	Adoption of the report and CLOSING	