



PROGRAMME

Deposition of Instrument of ratification of the African Union Convention for the Protection and Assistance of Internally Displaced Persons in Africa

6 March 2020

Small Conference Room 2, Africa Union Headquarters, Addis Ababa Ethiopia

- 10:00-10:15** Welcoming remarks by H.E. Mrs Minata Samate Cessouma, Commissioner for Political Affairs
- 10:15-11: 30** Panel discussion chaired by Bureau Member of the PRC Sub-Committee on Refugees, Returnees and IDPs
1. Promoting Peer-Exchange and Learning on Domestication and Implementation of the Kampala Convention, H.E Ambassador Rebecca Amuge Otengo, Ambassador of Uganda and Chairperson of the PRC Sub-Committee on Refugees, Returnees and IDPs
 2. The role of the Kampala Convention in addressing forced displacement in Africa, Mr Olabisi Dare, Head, Head of Humanitarian Affairs, Refugees and Displaced Persons Division
 3. Mr. Hassan Moalim Khalif, Director of Secretariat of Archives/Special Secretary to the President, Somalia
 4. Mr Johann Siffointe, UNHCR Representative to Somalia
 5. A Representative of the Office of the AU Legal Counsel of the African Union

- 11:30-12:00** Ceremony of deposition of instrument of ratification
- 12:00-12:15 Closing statement by Dr Khabele Matlosa, Director for Political Affairs
- 12:15-13:00** Refreshments