First Meeting of the Working Group for MBGR of NGOs with EG V(a) – Africa

Wednesday, 4th May 2022 / 12:00 - 13:30 (GMT+2)

Agenda:

- 12:00 12:15 Welcome/Introductions
- 12:15 12:35 Introduction of the WG and its outreach plan
- 12:35 13:15 Questions/discussion/information sharing
- 13:15 13:30 Closure

Discussion points:

- Targeted discussion within different regions was seen very valuable
- General awareness raising work about the 2003 Convention was seen also essential
- Different ways of implementing the capacity building work was highlighted:
- short infographic videos for the NGOs not accredited, to help to understand the steps of the accreditation
- short videos from the experts from ANGOs to talk about the benefits of and reasons behind the accreditation to the NGOs in regional languages
- brief handouts/leaflets about the accrediation system (printable PDFs)
- It was seen very important to continue with the regional meetings to get enough NGOs connected

Second meeting date and time:

June 2, 2022 at 12:00 Central Africa Time (GMT+2)