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The Permanent Mission of Argentina to the United Nations together with the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Children and Armed Conflict

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## The Commemoration of the International Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflict (19 June)

21 June 2016 3 PM-5 PM

ECOSOC CHAMBER (more information to come)

"The past decade has shown that progress is possible, even in the most difficult and intractable situations. However, we still face serious challenges.

Abducted women, men, girls and boys suffer the most terrible trauma through brutal physical and sexual assault, child and forced marriages and sexual slavery on a massive scale.

The shame and social stigma faced by these women and children should be redirected towards the brutal perpetrators of violence. We must continue to speak up for the women, girls, men and boys whose bodies for too long have been considered the spoils of war"

