



**United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.**

**Regional information meeting on the UNESCO 2003 Convention  
for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage  
Nairobi, 22-24 November 2004**

# **Agenda & Timetable**

***Monday 22 November 2004***

- 9:00 A.M.                    **REGISTRATION**
- 10:00 A.M.                    **OPENING CEREMONY**  
(M.C. *MR. SILVERSE ANAMI*, DIRECTOR OF CULTURE, KENYA)
- WELCOME - *DR. PAUL B. VITTA*, DIRECTOR, UNESCO NAIROBI OFFICE
- INTRODUCTION TO THE MEETING - *MR. RIEKS SMEETS & MR. GUIDO CARDUCCI*,  
DIVISION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE, UNESCO
- CULTURAL PERFORMANCE BY "*CHECHE*"
- OPENING SPEECH - *MR. WELLINGTON GODO*, PERMANENT SECRETARY,  
MINISTRY OF GENDER, SPORTS, CULTURE & SOCIAL SERVICES
- 10:50 A.M.                    **BREAK**
- 11:15 A.M-1:00 P.M.        **CONSTITUTION OF THE BUREAU**  
**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**  
**INTRODUCTION OF THE PARTICIPANTS**
- SAFEGUARDING THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**  
**PRESENTER: *MR. RIEKS SMEETS*, CHIEF, INTANGIBLE HERITAGE SECTION,  
UNESCO**
- **BRIEF HISTORY OF THE UNESCO CONVENTION OF 2003**
  - **THE DEFINITION OF INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**
  - **DOMAINS OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**
- DEBATE**

1:00 P.M.

**LUNCH**

2:30 P.M.

**SAFEGUARDING THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE (CONTINUED)**

*MR. RIEKS SMEETS*

- THE PROGRAMME OF THE PROCLAMATION OF THE MASTERPIECES OF THE ORAL AND INTANGIBLE HERITAGE OF HUMANITY FOR THE 2003 CONVENTION
- THE LINK BETWEEN THE INTANGIBLE AND TANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE
- SAFEGUARDING AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL: INVENTORIES; ROLE OF COMMUNITIES

DEBATE

4:00 P.M.

**BREAK**

4:20 P.M.

**EXPERT CONTRIBUTION**

*MR. FENSON MWAPE*

- THE IMPORTANCE OF THE SAFEGUARDING OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE

DEBATE

5:30 P.M.

**CLOSE**

6.00 P.M.

**COCKTAIL**

***Tuesday 23 November 2004***

9:00 A.M.                   **THE STATE OF PROTECTION OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE IN THE REGION**

NATIONAL REPORTS (10 MINUTES PER COUNTRY)

10:45 A.M.               **BREAK**

11:05 A.M.               NATIONAL REPORTS (10 MINUTES PER COUNTRY)

12:30 P.M.               **LUNCH**

2:00 P.M.                NATIONAL REPORTS (10 MINUTES PER COUNTRY)

3.00 P.M.                **LEGAL ASPECTS OF THE 2003 CONVENTION FOR THE SAFEGUARDING OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**

PRESENTER: *MR. GUIDO CARDUCCI*, CHIEF OF THE INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS SECTION, UNESCO

- CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE CONVENTION FOR THE SAFEGUARDING OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE
- NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SAFEGUARDING OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE
- INSTITUTIONS AND LISTS OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE IN THE CONVENTION OF 2003

3:30 P.M.                **BREAK**

3.50 P.M.                **RESUME SESSION**

- THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE 2003 CONVENTION AND OTHER LEGAL INSTRUMENTS OF UNESCO:
- WHY AND HOW TO RATIFY THE 2003 CONVENTION?

DEBATE

5.00 P.M.                **CLOSE**

6.00 P.M.                **TRANSPORT LEAVES HILTON NAIROBI**

7.00 P.M.                **DINNER RECEPTION - SAFARI PARK HOTEL**  
 HOSTED BY *HON. GEORGE OCHILO AYACKO*, MINISTER OF GENDER, SPORTS, CULTURE & SOCIAL SERVICES, GOVERNMENT OF KENYA

**Wednesday 24 November 2004** (\*Time to be confirmed)

- 09:00 A.M.           **FINAL DEBATE**
- 10.40 A.M.\*       **BREAK**
- 11:00 A.M.       **PRESS CONFERENCE**
- 11:00 A.M.\*       **PRESENTATION OF THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS**
- 11.30 A.M.\*       **ADOPTION OF THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS**
- 12:00 P.M.       **CLOSING CEREMONY**  
(M.C. *Mrs. MONICA KILONZO*, SECRETARY-GENERAL  
KENYA NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR UNESCO)
- CLOSING SPEECH - *HON. GEORGE OCHILO AYACKO*, MINISTER OF GENDER,  
SPORTS, CULTURE & SOCIAL SERVICES, GOVERNMENT OF KENYA
- VOTE OF THANKS - *MR. LUPWISHI MBUYAMBA*, REGIONAL CULTURE ADVISER  
FOR AFRICA, CHIEF, UNESCO MAPUTO OFFICE
- 12:30 P.M.       **LUNCH**