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EMERGENCY ASSEMBLY ON THE RISE OF GLOBAL RACISM

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Opening remarks from the co-organizers

- **Ambassador Idriss Jazairy**, Executive Director of the Geneva Centre;
- **Mr Jan Lönn, Secretary**, World Against Racism Network.

Keynote speaker

- **HE Refiloe Litjubo**, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Lesotho to UN in Geneva and Chair of the Intergovernmental Working Group for DDPA implementation.

Moderator

- **Ambassador Idriss Jazairy**, Executive Director of the Geneva Centre.

Speakers

- **Dr Ahmed Reid**, Chair of the Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent;
- **Ms Edna Roland**, Chair of the Group of Independent Eminent Experts on the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action;
- **Mr Jan Lönn**, Secretary, World Against Racism Network;
- **Ms Isabel Apawo Phiri**, Deputy Secretary General World Council of Churches (TBC);
- **Dr Barryl Biekman**, Chair, National Forum Civil Society of People of African Descent Netherlands

Video messages

- **HM Dòwoti Désir-Hounon Houna II**, Chair of NGO Committee for the Elimination of Racism, Afrophobia & Colorism –New York;
- **Mr Levi Bautista**, UN Representative, United Methodist Church and President of the Conference of NGOs in Consultative Relationship with the UN (CoNGO).



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