

**Meeting of the Liaison Officers Network for Consular Protection**

**Regional Consultation Group on Migration (RCGM)**

**Hotel Park Inn, Rooms Blue A&B (Second floor)**

**San José, Costa Rica**

# 25 June, 2013

***AGENDA***

07:30 – 08:30 Registration of participants

08:30 – 08:45 Meeting begins. Approval of the agenda and establishment of the Drafting Committee.

08:45 – 09:45 Reports by Member Countries on recent efforts related to consular protection ***[Lead by: all delegations (5 minutes per delegation)].***

09:45 – 10:00 Briefing on the Memorandum of Understanding for the Establishment of the Consular Protection and Humanitarian Assistance Network of Central America and the Dominican Republic, in Mexico and possibly in other countries of North America **[Lead: all delegations of the countries involved]**

* *Previous to the last meeting of the RCGM held in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic in November, 2011, interested countries held a meeting on the subject and agreed to consider the views expressed by the delegations. Furthermore, in the report of the Meeting of the Liaison Officer Network for Consular Protection on November 16, 2011, the participant countries recognized the advances and expressed their willingness to reach consensus and sign the final version of the document.*
* *During the last meeting of this Network, held in Panama, December 2012, signatory countries expressed that the internal procedures for the approval and ratification of this document are almost finished, in order to submit the document to the SICA’s General Secretariat. El Salvador recently informed that the document has been delivered to the said organization.*

10:00 – 10:20 Update on the “Guide for Secretariats and Ministries of Foreign Affairs of Central America and Mexico to Address Trafficking in Persons.” ***[Lead: Costa Rica/IOM]***

* *During the last meeting of this Network, held in Panama, December 2012, as proposed by El Salvador and Nicaragua, Member Countries asked the TS to distribute again the Guide for their comments.*

10:20 – 10:30 Assistance Protocol for Shipwrecked

*Presentation by Dr. Angel Velásquez, Consul of Ecuador in Costa Rica.* ***(Space requested by the PPT)***

10:30 – 10:45 Proposal by El Salvador on follow-up mechanisms to the agreements made by this Liaison Officers Network. ***[Lead: TS]***

* *During the previous meeting of this Network, El Salvador presented its proposal, which was sent by the TS to Member Countries for their comments and inputs.*

10:45 – 11:00 Presentation/Dialogue with the RNCOM ***[Lead: RNCOM]***

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee Break

11:15 – 11:30 Best practices on the reinsertion of repatriated migrants. ***[Lead: IOM]***

* *During the previous meeting of this Network, delegations requested IOM to make a presentation regarding best practices for the reinsertion of repatriated migrant in the region.*

11:30 – 11:45 Briefing on preparations for the High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development and the Development Agenda Post 2015. **[Lead: IOM]**

11:45 – 11:50 Proposals of new activities ***[Lead: All delegations]***

11:50 – 13:00 Preparation of the report of the meeting for the RCGM ***[Lead: PPT].***