

MALAWI HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION



PUBLIC NOTICE

PRESENTATION OF A COMMUNIQUE BY THE CHILDREN'S REFERENCE GROUP AS PART OF COMMEMORATION OF THE DAY FOR THE AFRICAN CHILD 2022

The Human Rights Commission (the Commission) through its Child Rights Directorate, facilitated the establishment of the Children Reference Group (CRG), a child participation structure aimed at giving children opportunities to contribute to all matters affecting them and to coordinate Child related issues and influence policy on issues affecting children in Malawi.

As part of the commemoration for the Day of the African Child under the theme *"Eliminating Harmful Practices Affecting Children: Progression Policy and Practice since 2013"*, the CRG has come up with a communique to share with duty bearers and the country in general on harmful practices affecting Children in Malawi.

The CRG will disseminate the communique to the media on Thursday, 16th June 2022 at the Malawi Human Rights Commission office in Lilongwe, in the boardroom from 9:30 am.

The Commission would like to invite the following media houses to represent all members of the media at the event.

1. Malawi Broadcasting Corporation (MBC)
2. Zodika Broadcasting Station (ZBS)
3. Times
4. Nation Publications Limited
5. Timveni Radio

The Commemoration is undertaken with funding from Norad through Save the Children.

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