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GENERAL NOTICE No. 35

#### MALAWI HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISION

Public advertisement for nominations of members of the Malawi Human Rights Commission

Under section 4 of the Human Rights Commission Act (Cap. 3:08 of the Laws of Malawi)

This is a public advertisement under section 4 of the Human Rights Commission Act, (Cap. 3:08 of the Laws of Malawi), (the Act), directed to the organizations described in section 131 (10 (c) of the Constitution of the Republic of Malawi, (the Constitution).

The organizations listed below are invited to nominate up to 2 persons who are independent, non-partisan and of high integrity and standing, from within or outside the nominating organization for appointment as a member or members of the Human Rights Commission (the Commission). The nominating organizations should give full names, contact details and curriculum vitae of the person they nominate. The person(s) so nominated should have sound knowledge of human rights in Malawi. Nominations should take into account gender, maturity of the person and readiness to serve the Commission on a full time basis. The Commission is established by the Constitution, accordingly all organizations to which this advert is directed are requested to rise up to their constitutional and civil duty to respond with a sense of seriousness and responsibility.

Nominations in response to this advertisement will result in the filling of vacancies created by the expiry of tenure of office of the existing members of the Commission as prescribed by section 5 (1) and (2) of the Human Rights Commission Act, (Cap. 3:08 of the Laws of Malawi).

All nominations must be submitted within 30 days of the date of the publication of this advert in writing to—

The Executive Secretary, Malawi Human Rights Commission, H.B. House, Off Paul Kagame Road, Private Bag 378, Lilongwe 3, Malawi. Tel.: (+265) 1 750 900/943/954; Fax: (+265) 1 750 943, Email: mhrccom.nominations2015@gmail.com

A list shall finally be published in the Gazette containing the names of the organizations which will have submitted nominations, the names of persons nominated, the names of persons formally appointed by the President, the names of persons put on the reserve list and the resultant membership of the Commission. Persons appointed as members of the Commission shall serve a term of 3 years and shall be eligible for re-appointment, in line with section 5 (1) of the Human Rights Commission Act (Cap. 3:08 of the Laws of Malawi).

Dated this 13th day of April, 2015.

MRS. GERTRUDE LYNN HIWA, SC JUSTICE MRS. TUJILANE CHIZUMILA (RTD)

Law Commissioner Ombudsman

A list of Organizations invited to submit nominations

- 1. Active Youth Initiative for Social Enhancement (AYISE)
- 2. Anglican Council in Malawi
- 3. Association of Progressive Women
- 4. Bahai Faith
- 5. Baptist Mission in Malawi
- 6. Catholic Commission for Justice and Peace in Malawi
- 7. CCAP Blantyre Synod
- 8. CCAP Nkhoma Synod
- 9. CCAP Livingstonia Synod
- 10. Centre for Alternatives for victimized women
- 11. Centre for Development of People (CEDEP)
- 12. Centre for Human Rights and Rehabilitation
- 13. Centre for Youth & Children Affairs
- 14. Centre for Advice, Research and Education on Rights
- 15. Civil Liberties Committee
- 16. Civil Service Trade Union
- 17. Christian Council of Churches in Malawi
- 18. Church of the Nazarene
- 19. Coalition of Women Living with HIV and AIDS (COWLA)
- 20. Consumer's Association of Malawi
- 21. Council for Non-Governmental Organizations (CONGOMA)
- 22. Evangelical Lutheran Development Programme
- 23. Episcopal Conference of Malawi
- 24. Eye of the Child
- 25. Federation of Disability Organizations in Malawi
- 26. Forum for Women Educationalists in Malawi (FAWEMA)
- 27. Forum for Disability Rights
- 28. Gender Coordination Network
- 29. Gender Support Programme
- 30. Human Rights Watch
- 31. Malawi Law Society
- 32. Malawi Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS (MANET)
- 33. Malawi Congress of Trade Union
- 34. Malawi Economic Justice Network (MEJN)
- 35. Malawi Health Equity Network (MEHN)
- 36. Malawi Human Rights Resource Centre
- 37. Malawi Institute of Democratic and Economic Affairs (MIDEA)
- 38. Malawi Union of Seventh-Day Adventist
- 39. Medical Council of Malawi
- 40. Media Institute of Southern Africa-Malawi Chapter (MISA-MALAWI)
- 41. Muslim Association of Malawi
- 42. National Association for People living with HIV and Aids (NAPHAM)

- 43. National Women's Rights and Lobby Group (NWRLG)
- 44. National Youth Council
- 45. Public Affairs Committee (PAC)
- 46. Save the Children Fund-Malawi
- 47. Society for the Advancement of Women
- 48. Teacher's Union of Malawi
- 49. Transparency International-Malawi (TI)
- 50. University of Malawi
- 51. Women and Law in Southern Africa Research Trust (WILSA Malawi)
- 52. Youth Net & Counseling (YONECO)
- 53. Youth Arm Organization
- 54. Action Youth Initiative for Social Enhancement (AYISE)
- 55. Aged Support Society of Malawi (ASSOM)
- 56. Alcohol Alliance
- 57. Assemblies of God Relief and Development Services
- 58. Association of Early Childhood Development
- 59. Association of Malawian Midwives (AMAMI)
- 60. ASUM Relief Services
- 61. Baptist Convention of Malawi
- 62. CCAP-Blantyre Synod Health and Development
- 63. CCAP-Nkhoma Synod (Relief and Development)
- 64. CCAP-Blantyre Livingstonia Synod Development Department
- 65. Centre for Environment Policy and Advocacy
- 66. Centre for Human Rights Education Advice and Assistance (CHREAA)
- 67. Centre for Legal Assistance (CELA)
- 68. Centre for Youth and Children Affairs
- 69. Centre for Youth Empowerment and Civic Education
- 70. Child Rights Advocacy and Paralegal Aid Centre
- 71. Child Rights Information and Advocacy Centre
- 72. CCAP-Blantyre Synod (Relief Development)
- 73. Christian Health Association of Malawi
- 74. Churches Action in Relief and Development
- 75. Civil Rights Advocacy Centre CCAP-Blantyre Synod (Relief and Development
- 76. Citizens for Justice
- 77. Charismatic Relief and Development Organization
- 78. Creative Centre for Community Mobilization
- 79. Disabled Women in Development
- 80. Elderly People Association of Malawi
- 81. Evangelical Association of Malawi
- 82. Evangelical Lutheran Development Services (ELDS)
- 83. Every Child Malawi
- 84. Episcopal Conference of Malawi
- 85. Family Planning Association of Malawi
- 86. Foundation for Children's Rights
- 87. Girls Empowerment Network
- 88. Health and Rights Education Programme (Check Profile)
- 89. Institute for Policy Interaction

- 90. LANDNET
- 91. Malawi Electoral Support Network
- 92. Malawi Girl Guides Association
- 93. Malawi Human Rights Youth Network
- 94. Network of Journalists Living with HIV Association
- 95. Paralegal Advisory Services
- 96. Quadria Muslim Association of Malawi
- 97. Rights Institute for Social Empowerment
- 98. Theatre for a Change
- 99. Prison Fellowship Malawi
- 100. SOS Children's Village of Malawi Trust
- 101. Water and Environment Sanitation Network
- 102. Women's Legal Resources Centre

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