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Beyond UNEP's 50th Anniversary: Attaining the SDGs A Symposium in conjunction with the 5th UN Environment Assembly & UNEP@50 "Honoring the Memory of Prof. Charles Okidi Odidi"

15 February 2022

VIA ZOOM: 8 am (UN HQ), 2 pm (UN Geneva), 4 pm (UN Nairobi)

Register to attend online at the University of Nairobi: <u>https://bit.ly/3GbYSkV</u>

16:00 (Nairobi) – Opening: Prof. Stephen Kiama, Vice Chancellor, University of Nairobi {invited} H.E. Luisa Fragoso, Chair, Ambassador of Portugal to the Republic of Kenya and Permanent Representative to UNEP

H.E. Selma Malika Haddadi, Vice Chair, Ambassador of Algeria to the Republic of Kenya and Permanent Representative to UNEP

H.E. Erasmo Roberto Martínez, Vice Chair, Ambassador of Mexico to the Republic of Kenya and Permanent Representative to UNEP

H.E. Ado Lohmus, Vice Chair, Permanent Representative of Estonia to the UNEP **H.E. Saqlain Syedah,** Rapporteur, Ambassador of Pakistan to the Republic of Kenya and Permanent Representative to the UNEP

H.E. Silvio José Albuquerque e Silva, Ambassador of Brazil in Kenya and Permanent Representative to UNEP

16:30 – International Cooperation: Building Blocks for Attaining the SDGs

Moderator: **Prof. Collins Odote**, Director CASELAP and Associate Dean, Faculty of Law University of Nairobi

Concepts in the SDGs, **Prof. Nicholas A, Robinson**, Executive Governor ICEL Principles of Cooperation, **Prof. Chikosa Banda**, University of Malawi Peace with Nature, **Prof. Montserrat Abad Castelos**, Universidad Carlos III Madrid Human Rights, **Prof. David R. Boyd**, Special Rapporteur on human rights and the environment

Tipping Points – Plastic waste, **Prof. Nilufer Oral**, National University of Singapore, member of the United Nations International Law Commission Environmental Rule of Law, **Justice Antonio Herman Benjamin**, STJ Brazil

17:45 – Closing: Prof. Christina Voigt, Chair, IUCN World Commission on Environmental Law 18:00 – Thanks: Hon. Justice Samson Okongo, Presiding Judge of the Land & Environment Court of Kenya, member Governing Council of the Global Judicial Institute for the Environment (GJIE)

SAVE THE DATE: Symposium Continues 15 March 2022 "ASSESSING UNEA 5 - THE NEXT STEPS FORWARD"