## Civil Society Organizations Working Group on Land Reform (CSO-WGLR)

C/O - DESK FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the Republic of Namibia (DfSD-ELCRN)

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Dear civil society organizations and land activist,

Re: Invitation to 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Civil Society Organizations Working Group on Land Reform (CSO-WGLR).

Date, Time and Venue: - Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> February 2022 from 9h00-12h00 - ELCRN Conference Room, 10 Church Street in Ausspannplatz (refreshments available).

We are pleased to invite you to the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Civil Society Organizations Working Group on Land Reform (CSO-Working Group on Land Reform). The main agenda items will be to agree on priorities activities for the Plan of Action for 2022 and prepare civil society organizations inputs to the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of the High-Level Committee in March 2022.

## Proposed agenda for the 1st meeting

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- 1. Welcoming and introductory remarks (Secretariat)
- 2. Update on Urban Land Reform and presentation of priority activities for 2022(NHAG, NUST, SDFN).
- Update on Commercial & Communal Land Reform and presentation of priority activities for 2022 (LAC, NDT, //Naosan /Aes, NRWA, CSO members on HLC)
- 4. CSOs proposals for restructuring of High-Level Committee and Thematic Working Groups (CSO members on HLC)
- 5. Way forward, immediate steps and closure: (Secretariat)

Please confirm your participation by sending an SMS or WhatsApp message to Yolande Sabatta (0816803210) and Josephine Nghishoono (0814471410) and Ndamona Shimanda (0814885639).

With the kindest regards,

IM Uhuru Dempers: Convener: Civil Society Organizations Working Group on Land Reform (CSO-WGLR).

The Civil Society Organizations Working Group on Land Reform, currently consists of the Namibia National Farmers Union (NNFU); Council of Churches in Namibia (CCN); National Union of Namibian Workers (NUNW); National Youth Council (NYC); Namibia Housing Action Group (NHAG); Shack Dwellers Federation of Namibia (SDFN); //Naosan /Aes (Movement of Landless People); Trade Union Congress of Namibia (TUCNA); Namibia Rural Women's Assembly (NRWA); Namibia Development Trust (NDT); Legal Assistance Centre (LAC), Women's Solidarity(WS) and the Rural Peoples Institute for Social Empowerment – (RISE-Namibia). Desk for Social Development of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the Republic of Namibia –(DfSD-ELCRN) currently serves as the Secretariat, convening the CSO-WGLR and coordinating and implementing project activities and programs.