



AN INVITATION TO THE CONSULTATIVE FORUM WITH CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS (CSOs) DEALING WITH GENDER BASED VIOLENCE

*Hon Ms. Susan Shabangu
Minister in the Presidency*

The Minister in the Presidency Responsible for Women, Hon Ms. Susan Shabangu, cordially invites CSOs dealing with gender based violence to a discussion platform on the 16 Days of Activism Campaign for No Violence Against Women and Children.

This is a United Nations (UN) endorsed awareness raising campaign that takes place every year from **25 November (International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women)** to **10 December (International Human Rights Day)**. The period includes the **International World AIDS Day (01 December)** and the **International Day for Persons with Disabilities (03 December)**.

The purpose of the meeting is to bring together different CSOs dealing with gender based violence to discuss the Campaign as well as how they can work in partnership with the department for optimal impact.

Please note that the Department of Women will not bear the costs for travelling and accommodation of delegates.

The details of the meeting are as follows:

Date: 06 November 2014
Time: 09h00 -17h00
Venue: The Lakes Hotel and Conference Centre,
No1 Country lane, Lakefield Benoni

Kindly confirm your attendance with:

francina.mothobi@women.gov.za or samba.chauke@women.gov.za or
Telephone: 012 359-0174/ 0214 by 16H00 on 4th November 2014
Organisations are kindly requested to send not more than two (2) delegates per organization



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