

National Transitional Justice Working Group Third Quarterly Meeting Report Holiday Inn, Harare 31 October 2019

Background

Every quarter, the NTJWG convenes to deliberate on the activities implemented in the previous quarter and map the way forward for the next quarter. In this regard, the NTJWG met again on 31 October, 2019 to reflect on the issues arising and review the implementation of the new strategic plan.

On the 29th of August 2019, NTJWG convened an all stakeholders conference which adopted the 2019 – 2022 strategy. A number of processes have since been initiated in implementation of the strategy and it was then proposed that NTJWG meet on the 31st of October to review progress and plan for the next steps.

Objectives of the NTJWG ordinary meeting

The NTJWG ordinary meeting had the following objectives:

- To review the implementation of the NTJWG Strategy
- Welcome new members of the NTJWG
- Review reports from Secretariat and thematic leaders

Methodology

The NTJWG convened its meeting with its eight members from Bulawayo and Harare, including four Forum Secretariat staff members and discuss the work done by the Working Group and other upcoming activities/events.

Participation matrix

DATE	VENUE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
31/10/19	HOLIDAY INN	6	6	12

Outcomes of the NTJWG ordinary meeting

The NTJWG ordinary meeting had the following outcomes:

- The new members of the NTJWG were introduced to the rest of the NTJWG members and they
 presented the reports of the thematic committees they lead. The new members of the NTJWG
 are:
 - Dr Frances Lovemore the thematic leader on reparations and rehabilitation;
 - Abigail Matsvayi the thematic leader on gender;
 - Wellington Nkau the leader of the survivors thematic group
 - Otto Saki who although not a new member has a new portfolio as the chairperson of the International Advisory Board.
- 2. The NTJWG managed to evaluate activities done in the 2nd quarter; and
- 3. The NTJWG discussed strategies, opportunities, challenges and dynamics in the national reconciliation process and funding for 2019.