

Annex III

Biographical data form of candidates to human rights treaty bodies

Name and First Name: Yigezu, Imeru Tamerat

Date and Place of Birth: 15 November, 1958, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Working Languages: English

Current Position/function

Managing Director, Multi-Talent Consultancy Plc since 2006

Member, Advisory Committee of the United Nations Human Rights Council
(2012-to date)

Chairperson/Rapporteur, Working Group on Communications of the Human Rights Council Complaints Procedure, August 2015-to date

Main Professional Activities

Consultant in the field of environmental governance; land rights; climate change, child rights, international law, water rights and governance; negotiation skills

Associate Professor (part time), International law, Human Rights law, International Environmental Law, Law Faculty, Addis Ababa University (2006-2017)

Member of the International Board, Plan International (2016-to date)

Educational Background

LLM (Merit) International law, School of Oriental and African Studies (1991/92)

LLB (Chancellor's Medal), Law Faculty, Addis Ababa University (1983-1987)

Other Main Activities relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

As member and Chair of the Working Group on Communications of the Human Rights Council, he was responsible for initial screening of complaints submitted to the body and to deal with complaints alleged against human rights violations and fundamental freedoms

List most recent publications in the field

As a rapporteur of the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee produced two reports, namely:

“Study on the Implementation of the Principles and Guidelines for the Elimination of Discrimination Against Persons Affected by Leprosy and their Family Members”, A/HRC/35/38, OHCHR, 4 May, 2017.

“Progress Report containing recommendations on mechanisms to assess the negative impacts of unilateral coercive measures on the enjoyment of human rights”, A/HRC/28/74, OHCHR, 10 February, 2015.