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NATIONAL INTEGRATED STRATEGIES ON VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN

Panel Discussion
organised in cooperation with
the UN SRSG on violence against children and the Permanent Mission of Finland

Geneva, 9 March 2010
Palais des Nations, Room XXI
from 13.00 to 15.00 (sandwiches and refreshments will be served)

Co-chairs:

- Ms Marta SANTOS PAIS, UN Secretary-General's Special Representative on Violence against Children
- Ms Irma ERTMAN, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Finland to the Council of Europe, Thematic Co-ordinator on Children, Council of Europe Committee of Ministers

Programme

13.00   **Words of welcome**

- Mr Hannu HIMANEN, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Finland to the United Nations Office and other international organisations in Geneva

13.05   **The promotion of an integrated approach to violence: the international context**

- Orientations of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child – Mr Lothar Friedrich KRAPPMANN, UN Committee on the Rights of the Child

- Recommendations of the UN Study on Violence against children – Ms Marta SANTOS PAIS, UN Secretary-General's Special Representative on Violence against Children

- Council of Europe Policy Guidelines on Integrated National Strategies for the Protection of Children from Violence - Ms Lioubov SAMOKHINA, Head of the Children's Rights Policies Division a.i., Council of Europe

13.55   **<u>Developing integrated strategies at national level</u>**

- Ms Idália MONIZ, Secretary of State for Disability, Portugal

- Ms Cinzia GRASSI, Co-ordinator of the Committee of the Technical-Scientific Observatory on Pedophilia and Child Pornography, Italy

14.15   **<u>Multi-stakeholder approach to violence against children</u>**

- Involvement of the non-governmental sector - Peter NEWELL, Co-Chair, International NGO Advisory Council for Follow up to the UN Secretary-General's Study on Violence against Children

14.25   **Questions and answers**

14.55   **Concluding remarks by** Ms Marta SANTOS PAIS, UN Secretary-General's Special Representative on Violence against Children