



OHCHR Accountability and Remedy Project

Improving accountability and access to remedy in cases of business involvement in human rights abuses

Phase III: Enhancing the effectiveness of non-State-based grievance mechanisms

Meeting Agenda

OHCHR, Palais Wilson Building, Rue des Pâquis 52, 1201 Genève
1st Floor, Room 1-016
29 November 2018

9:00 – 9:30	Welcome and introduction to ARP III <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The Accountability and Remedy Project and its methodology- The ARP III paper on scope
9:30 – 11:00	Work stream 1: Practical steps that mechanisms can take to meet the “effectiveness criteria” of UNGP 31 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Overview of work stream- Discussion on best approach
11:00 – 11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:15 – 12:30	Work stream 2: Understanding the interface between the work of non-State-based grievance mechanisms and the powers and functions of State-based institutions (the “public-private” interface) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Overview of work stream- Discussion on best approach



12:30 – 13:45	<i>Break for Lunch</i>
13:45 – 15:00	Work stream 3: Understanding how companies and other organisations can work together through non-State-based grievance mechanisms to improve the prospects for effective remedy <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Overview of work stream- Discussion on best approach
15:00 – 16:15	Work stream 4: Safeguarding rights-holders, human rights defenders and others from retaliation and intimidation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Overview of work stream- Discussion on best approach
16:15 – 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
16:30 – 17:45	Work stream 5: Meaningful stakeholder involvement in the design and implementation of remedial outcomes <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Overview of work stream- Discussion on best approach
17:45 – 18:00	Way forward and concluding remarks