

International Criminal Court

Public Information and Outreach in Uganda Activity report – January 2009

Overall Objective: To increase understanding of the ICC, its mandate and activities in Uganda amongst diverse constituencies.

| Activity | Date | Place | Summary | Means of |
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| | | | | Verification |
| Consultation | 20 January | Kampala Field | The meeting identified | - Feedback |
| meeting with | | Office, | key areas of partnership | information |
| representatives | | Uganda | in 2009 and dates for | from the |
| of the NGO | | | follow-up meetings were | field |
| Survivor Corps | | | identified. | - Detailed |
| | | | 5 participants | report |
| Consultation | 20 January | Kampala Field | The meeting discussed the | |
| meeting with | | Office, | possibilities of | |
| the NGO, | | Uganda | cooperation between PIDS | |
| Advocacy | | | and the Advocacy Project | |
| Project | | | to provide ICC related | |
| | | | information to Persons | |
| | | | With Disabilities (PWD) | |
| | | | as a unique target group | |
| | | | with special needs. | |
| | | | 5 participants | |
| Meeting with | 21 January | Japanese | Provided updates about | |
| the Deputy | | Embassy in | ICC activities, and | |
| Japanese | | Kampala, | strengthen partnership. | |
| Ambassador to | | Uganda | | |
| Uganda | | | | |
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| Bilateral meeting with the Coordinator of the Ugandan Coalition for the | 21 January | Kampala Field Office, Uganda | Provided updates about ICC activities, discussed the PIDS-Kampala strategy for 2009 and identified possible areas of collaboration in the coming months. |
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| International Criminal Court (UCICC) | | | coming monats. |
| Participation via telephone in a radio talk show | 23 January | Voice of Teso radio station in Soroti district, Teso sub region, north eastern Uganda. | With the commencement of the Thomas Lubanga's trial, the radio programme was conducted with the objective of informing the audience about the nature of the crimes for which he is being tried. During the radio programme, the role of the Court in the world was explained and its profile and visibility were increased. Voice of Teso radio has an approximate audience of 70,000 people. |
| Participation in a one hour live talk show on Radio | 23 January | Vision Voice radio station, Kampala. | With the commencement of the Thomas Lubanga's trial, the radio programme was conducted with the objective of informing the audience about the nature of the crimes for which he is being tried. During the radio programme, the role of |

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| | | | was explained and its | |
| | | | profile and visibility were | |
| | | | increased. | |
| | | | This radio has an | |
| | | | approximate audience of | |
| | | | 9,000 people. | |
| Participation | 26 January | Unity F.M, | With the commencement | - Feedback |
| via telephone | | Lira district, | of the Thomas Lubanga's | information |
| in a radio talk | | Lango sub | trial, the radio programme | from the |
| show | | region, | was conducted with the | field |
| | | northern | objective of informing the | - Detailed |
| | | Uganda | audience about the nature | report |
| | | | of the crimes for which he | 1 |
| | | | is being tried. | |
| | | | During the radio | |
| | | | programme, the role of | |
| | | | the Court in the world | |
| | | | was explained and its | |
| | | | profile and visibility were | |
| | | | increased. | |
| | | | Unity FM radio has an | |
| | | | approximate audience of | |
| | | | 50,000 people. | |
| Participated at | 27 Ionuawa | K. FM Radio | With the commencement | - Feedback |
| a one hour live | 27 January | | | information |
| | | station, | of the Thomas Lubanga's | |
| radio panel | | Kampala | trial, the radio programme | from the |
| discussion | | | was conducted with the | field |
| | | | objective of informing the | - Detailed |
| | | | audience about the nature | report |
| | | | of the crimes for which he | |
| | | | is being tried. | |
| | | | During the radio | |
| | | | programme, the role of | |
| | | | the Court in the world | |
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| | | | increased. | |
| | | | This radio has an | |
| | | | approximate audience of | |
| | | | 11,000 people. | |
| Attended a | 29 January | Refugee Law | Objective: To identify | -Feedback |
| Public | | Project offices, | network opportunities for | information |
| Seminar | | Kampala, | outreach and information | from the |
| organised by | | Uganda. | sharing. | field |
| the Refugee | | | 40 participants | -Detailed |
| Law Project | | | | report |
| and the Faculty | | | | |
| of Law, on | | | | |
| Uganda Peace | | | | |
| Recovery and | | | | |
| Development | | | | |
| Plan | | | | |
| Monthly | 28 – 30 January | PIDS field | Budget planning and | |
| reporting, daily | | office | preparation of means of | |
| media | | | verification. | |
| monitoring and | | | | |
| analyzing of | | | | |
| political trends, | | | | |
| updating contact | | | | |
| data bases, | | | | |
| compilation of | | | | |
| frequently | | | | |
| asked questions, | | | | |
| procurement | | | | |
| and distribution | | | | |
| of Outreach | | | | |
| Report. | | | | |