WEBINAR ON ACCESS TO READING MATERIAL FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED PERSONS IN KENYA

Date: Friday, 3rd December 2021
Time: 2.30 to 4.30 PM Nairobi (6.30am Columbia, 11.30am Dublin, 1.30pm Harare)
Format: Virtual Panel

FINAL PROGRAMME

**Moderator:** Prof. Joseph M. Kavulya: Chairperson, Executive Committee, Kenya Libraries and Information services Consortium (KLISC)

**Welcome and Opening Remarks** (10 mins total)
Mr. Edward Sigei, KECOBO
Mr. Dominic Matar, WIPO
Janegrace Kinyanjui, KLISC

**What is the Marrakesh Treaty? Why the Marrakesh Treaty is important for libraries?** (10 mins)
Speaker: Prof. Dick Kawooya, University of South Carolina

**What does Section 26C of Copyright Act state? Who are local authorised entities?** (15 mins)
Mrs. Faith Omondi, KECOBO

**Overview of the Accessible Book Consortium** (15 mins)
Mr. Dominic Matar, WIPO

**Cross-border exchange: positive experience of libraries** (10 mins)
Teresa Hackett, Electronic Information for Libraries (EIFL) (confirmed)

**Regional experience: Zimbabwe** (10 mins)
Rosemary Maturure, Zimbabwe University Libraries Consortium (ZULC)

**Identify any policy or legal gaps** (15 mins)
Elizabeth Oyange, Copyright Specialist, Aga Khan University

**Panel Discussion with speakers / Q&A** (30 mins)

**Closing Remarks** (5 mins) Representative of KECOBO