







## Agenda

## **Briefing on the CCM for delegations of East Africa States:**

## Universalization of the CCM – Challenges Ahead and Lessons Learnt: An African Perspective Monday April 29<sup>th</sup> 1-3pm

**Moderator:** Ms. Tiyamike Banda, CCM Coordinator for Universalization. Counsellor (focal point for Disarmament and WHO) Malawi Permanent Mission to the UN and other International Organizations in Geneva.

Welcoming remarks 12 CCM MSP Presidency, H.E. Ambassador Francisca Mendez, Mexico.

Introductory remarks and objectives of the Briefing, CCM Coordinator for Universalization, Malawi.

Overview of the Convention on Cluster Munitions: key CCM provisions and update on the status regarding joining the CCM (contribution from the CCM ISU).

Exchange of ideas on how to best overcome obstacles to the ratification/accession and the practical implementation of the Convention (*Contributions from State Parties* and *ICBL CMC*).

Next steps to achieve universalization and implementation of the CCM (Contribution from the ICRC).

Concluding Remarks, CCM Coordinators for Universalization.