Transitional Justice in Sri Lanka Conference February 17-18, 2016 Colombo, Sri Lanka Draft Program

Venue: Hotel Berjaya, Mt Lavinia

Day 1

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Time	Topic
8:30-9:00	Registration
9:00-9:50	Opening Session
	Welcome remarks
	Introduction of participants
	Introduction of program and agenda
9:50-10:00	Break
10:00-11:30	Session 1: Transtional Justice in Sri Lanka – Current Progress Message from Hon Mano Ganeshan – Minister for National Dialogue Sri Lanka CSO – Dr P. Saravanamuttu (Secretary –TJ Task Force/CPA) OHCHR Sri Lanka Human Rights Adviser
11:30-13:00	Session 2: Victims of Conflict- What Transitional Justice Means to the
	Victims Victim groups -Listening to the stories of the victims -What kind of Transitional Justice do the victims want?
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-15:30	Session 3: Transitional Justice Case Studies I and Discussion Nepal (30 min) Cambodia (30 min)
15:30-16:30	Session 4: Transitional Justice Case Studies II and Discussion
	Indonesia (30 min)
16:30-16:40	Break
16:40-18:30	Session 5: Open Dialogue
	What are the short and long-term goals? What are the specific demands? How do we raise awareness and interest?

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10:00-12:00	Session 5: Next Steps for TJ in Sri Lanka
	What are the next steps?
	What recommendations can be established for the progress of TJ?
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-15:00	Session 6: Transitional Justice Alliance in Asia
	How can we strengthen solidarity regionally on Transitional Justice?
	Can we develop an Asian Transitional Justice Alliance?
	What's next? How can we advocate for judicial independence, judicial
	accountability?
15:00-15:30	Concluding Session