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**SUBJECT: INVITATION TO INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE GIRL CHILD
CELEBRATIONS**

The Centre for Gender Equity and Empowerment in collaboration with Kenyatta University Gender Action Movement (KUGAM) and the office of the Gender Secretary Kenyatta University Students Association (KUSA) wishes to reschedule the International Day of the Girl Child to **Wednesday, 13th November, 2019** from **1.30pm-5.00pm** at the **BSSC Room 152**. The day was to be marked on 9th October, 2019 but was interrupted by the university's closure.

International Day of the Girl Child (Day of the Girl) is celebrated annually on October 11th to highlight issues concerning the gender inequality facing girls. ***This year's theme is "Empowering Girls for a Brighter Tomorrow."***

The Guest Speaker will be **Madam Judy Thongori (Prominent Family Lawyer)** who will be speaking on **"Marriage, Divorce and Succession Laws in Kenya- Highlights on the Matrimonial Property Act, 2013"**.

This is, therefore, to invite you to join us in the celebrations on Wednesday 13th November, 2019 at Kenyatta University- Business and Students Center (BSSC) Room 152 from 1:30 –5:00 pm. (See program attached).

Thank you for your continued support to the Centre.

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**TENTATIVE PROGRAMME FOR INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE GIRL CHILD
CELEBRATIONS 2019**

DATE: Wednesday, 13th November, 2019

VENUE: BSSC Room 152

TIME	ACTIVITY	FACILITATOR
Master of Ceremony: Ms. Mary Mwangi		
1.00pm-2.00pm	Registration	CGEE
2.00-2.05 pm	Opening Prayers	Chaplaincy
2.05pm – 2.15pm	Entertainment	Music Dept.
2.15 pm – 2.25pm	Opening Remarks from Chairperson (KUGAM)	Ms. Beryl Bakita Nyambok Chairperson (KUGAM)
2.25- 2.35pm	Welcome Remarks and Introductions of guests	Prof. G. Wamue-Ngare Director, CGEE
2.35pm - 2.50pm	Official Opening Remarks and Invite the Guest Speaker	Prof. Paul Wainaina (Vice-Chancellor-Kenyatta University)
2.50pm – 3.40pm	Guest Speaker – “Marriage, Divorce and Succession Laws in Kenya- Highlights on the Matrimonial Property Act, 2013”.	Madam Judy Thongori Family Lawyer
3.40pm – 3.55pm	Plenary Session	Moderator- Prof. Ngare
3.55pm – 4.00pm	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Pacificah Okemwa Chairperson, Sociology Gender & Development Studies Department
Refreshments		