WEBINAR ON ACCESS TO READING MATERIAL FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED PERSONS IN KENYA - THE MARRAKESH TREATY

Hosted by the Kenya Copyright Board (KECOBO) in cooperation with EIFL and the Kenya Libraries and Information Consortium (KLISC)

3 December 2021 at 2.30pm to 4.30pm Nairobi

PROGRAMME

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

Welcome and Opening Remarks
Mr. Edward Sigei, KECOBO
Mr. Dominic Matar, WIPO
Janegrace Kinyanjui, KLISC

What is the Marrakesh Treaty? Why is the Marrakesh Treaty important for libraries?
Prof. Dick Kawooya, University of South Carolina

What does Section 26C of Copyright Act state? Who are local authorised entities?
Mr. Paul Kaindo, KECOBO

Overview of the Accessible Book Consortium
Mr. Dominic Matar, WIPO

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

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

Identify any policy or legal gaps
Elizabeth Oyange, Copyright Specialist, Aga Khan University

Panel Discussion with speakers / Q&A

Closing Remarks Mr. Edward Sigei, Executive Director, KECOBO