STATEMENT No019CBDH/VICAR2022 ON SECURITY SITUATION OF REFUGEES IN KAKUMA.

On October 31, 2022, the CBDH/VICAR released a statement expressing concern over the killing of refugees in the Kakuma refugee camp. The CBDH/VICAR was very saddened by the death of Andrea NSAGUYE the Burundian refugee at Kakuma Refugee Camp killed by KAKUMA4 security agents.

The CBDH/VICAR was also concerned about the impunity that reigns in this refugee camp. The Kenyan police turn a blind eye despite the multiplication of crimes in this refugee camp. We were able to identify 3 refugees killed in just one month and more than10 others seriously injured.
After much interventions of advocacy, the CBDH/VICAR has learned the arrest of 5 Security agents who killed Andrea NSAGUYE .
La CBDH/VICAR take this occasion to thank everyone who has contributed for the arrest of these criminals such as UNHCR in Kakuma, Camp manager and the representative of refugees in Kakuma refugee camp.
Therefore;
La CBDH/VICAR recommends:
The Government of Kenya;

- To ensure that those criminals arrested are punished for the crime they committed and fight against impunity for crimes where it originates.
- To carry out thorough investigations so that those who have committed murders and other crimes against refugees are arrested and brought to justice

The UN Refugee Agency Kenya;

- To continue advocating for the refugees with the Kenyan government and partners until the killings and other crimes are stopped.

The refugees of the Kakuma Refugee Camp;

- To continue to provide timely news regarding security, and try to avoid making circulations during the night because these criminals are hiding behind the night.

Done on 18November, 2022