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Human rights issues confronting women and girls in the Indian Ocean – Asia Pacific region

**PUBLIC HEARING
Tuesday 25 November 2014**

**Human Rights Sub-Committee
Committee Room 1R4, Canberra**

Time	Witness
12.15 pm	<i>Public hearing:</i> The High Commission of the Democratic Socialist Republic Of Sri Lanka (<i>Submission 79</i>) HE Admiral Thisara Samarasinghe, RSP, VSV, USP, ndc, psc, High Commissioner
1.00 pm	International Crisis Group (<i>Submission 33</i>) Dr Samina Ahmed, Project Director, South Asia, & Senior Adviser, Asia