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First, I want to thank you for
meeting me today. For inviting me
here to talk + listen.

I feel v. honoured, ~~to face the~~
~~task~~. ~~responsibility~~ of ~~the~~ ~~task~~

I'm extremely aware of all the
advantages I enjoy.

My ethnicity,

" Gender.

~~responsibility~~

" Class.

" And I'm not disabled.

I have other advantages, too.

I bring greetings from
my fellow Commissioners

~~to all of you~~

I have 3 fellow Cfers:

Disability Rights Cfer: Paula T

Race Relations Cfer: Meng F

~~and~~

Women's Rights Cfer: Karanina Sumoo

~~and~~

I BRING GREETINGS FROM EACH
~~of them~~ OF THEM TO U.

~~and~~

~~and~~

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Let's see how our r/ship develops,
but in principle each is keen to visit
+ discuss with you in a constructive spirit.

Parto; "all about party" = Gov + HR

I have to say this.

Before proceeding, I do not

have an I.R. Chf.

I do not have any Board

a Representative of T.W.

The Gov-Gen appoints Chf, on

advice from de Gov.

The Gov. has chosen not to

appoint an I.R. Chf.

~~For the Gov. to appoint an I.R. Chf.~~

Since my appointment as Chf Chf,

I've ^{greatly} urged the Gov to appoint

an I.R. Chf.

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I
~~the HRC~~ cannot ~~properly~~ ~~properly~~

do ~~my~~ job w/out the gov.

oppty ~~as~~ an I.R. Chf.

~~But HRC~~
The HRC is doing all it can

to advance the Treaty.

To honor the Treaty

To integrate Arts 1, 2 + 3 in our

work.

We are building strong relations with

NICF + other T.W. orgs. We are

I ack. ^{fast take} the work of  here.

many progress

But I don't need ^{a full time} an I.R. Chf. or

or who sits on my Board, so ~~that~~ I

~~can properly address~~

~~can better advance the Treaty~~

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This afternoon

I want to talk a little
of the H.A.

and a little of the H.A.C.

I also want to talk a bit of it
But I want to begin by
telling a bit of it myself.

Let's see how things go,
~~but I want to begin by~~

I'm hoping the today marks the

beginning of a ^{respectful} ~~new~~ close

between you + the
H.A.C. ~~with~~

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For that to happen I have to
speak from the heart as
well as the
head.
~~talk a bit about~~
~~tell you a bit about~~

As my Sweetshirt

says, HAs are not

just about rights —

they are also about

* Building r/ships and

* honoring responsibilities.

* rights ~~for~~ FOR EVERYONE ^{not just the} ~~privileged~~ ^{privileged.}

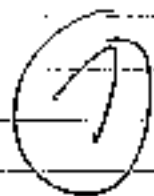
~~But~~ If we are ^{to} build a

respectful r/ship, I have

to begin today by telling

you some about

myself.



What to start by

I begin by
saying somet I've never

said in public before:

"I'm a ~~shy~~ shy man.

I like talking but

I hate talking about myself.

I think this comes from
my school days.

I went to a boarding
school for over 10 years.

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And one thing you learnt at
this school was : don't
Speak about yourself.

And if you did, you, literally,
got beaten up.

So
~~My whole life~~ I find
it hard to speak about
myself.

But I'm going to try →
[LOOK AROUND] I'm JUST CHECKING
WHERE THE NEAREST EXIT IS!

I'm a Brit + a Kiwi.

I was educated in Egl + here
in Kirikiriroa.

I finished my ed @ the
Univ of Waikato.

Then I taught @ ~~the~~ Waikato
Univ at the Law School.

I married a Kiwi. One of
our kids was born here in 10
Hamilton. Both of our kids

grew up here.

We lived in Hill Crest,

On a Sat a.m. I'd take the

bus to Mac D. ^{in Victoria St} ~~at the St~~

— Solly Placano — Mac D. outcool

And then to Frankton market

— just down the road from

here. My son's Face ^{wild light up} ~~lit up~~ when he saw
market stalls ~~filled~~ ^{covered} with Pokemon.

But I want to tell a bit

some of my ITAs work ^{overseas} and for the United Nations.

My first ITAs work was in

Israel/Palestine. I lived ⁽¹¹⁾

there for 2 years. One year

in the West Bank, one
year in ~~the~~ Gaza.

~~Worked in PLO. In Gaza - 1/1 Mt. Ct. : book
→ talk to military command
→ refugees~~

~~① UK → N. Ireland.~~

~~② Africa → some get~~

I worked with Palestinian

HR's organisations.

My job was to help ~~them~~

~~to~~ promote human

rights and call out

hr's violations. ~~stop the~~

~~stop the~~

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~~and I had moved on + I was with him~~

20 years later / I returned to

Israel / Palestine for the UN.

In the summer of 2006 there was a
violent war between Lebanon +
Israel.

Missiles were fired from Lebanon
into Israeli towns.

Israel retaliated by bombing Lebanon.

~~There was a lot of death + destruction.~~

There was a lot of death + destruction. (B)

Can be used
150 ft plus
cluster bomb designs.

10 years later
that showed a lot of
cluster bombs.

Can be used
up to 2000 bombs

The war lasted 3 weeks
when the fighting had stopped

I was asked ~~to~~ by the UN

~~to~~ to visit Israel +

Lebanon + prepare a HR report

on the conflict. ~~HR~~

~~HR~~ present

Within 4 weeks ^{of the war only,} 4 of us

went to Israel + Lebanon to look + hear + learn.

We saw an ^{Israeli} hospital that had

been partly destroyed by a missile

from Lebanon.

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In Lebanon, we visited
a part of Beirut that had been
flattened by bombs.

We went to Saida Lebanon

which had been hit by ~~a~~ a

v. large number of cluster
bombs

A cluster bomb is a ~~large~~
~~large~~ container which ~~has~~

contains a large number of small

mini bombs

The container is fired &

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the min-bombs are then
scattered across a large
area.

~~The ~~min-bombs~~ ~~are~~ ~~scattered~~~~

S. Lebanon was hit by over
-half a million-
500,000 min-bombs.

Some don't explode. They are small.

They get caught in trees.

They lie on the ground. Often
unseen.

~~They are ~~scattered~~ ~~across~~ ~~the~~ ~~area~~~~

A ^{poor} civilian can ~~also~~ ^{accidentally} detonate it.

A ^{curious} child can pick it up.

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They slow off ~~the~~ hands, and legs.

~~off~~ for ourselves

We saw these mini-bombs

lying on the ground in S. Lebanon.

We visited a brave ~~man~~

AA team of ~~in~~ ~~clear~~

mine clearance experts.

Their job was to clear the
unexploded
mini-bombs. ~~off~~ ~~off~~ ~~off~~

Their job was ~~dangerous~~ shift.

It was dangerous.

They were sent ~~from~~ from the armies
of ~~different~~ ^{different} countries to clear the mines

for the UN.

I met those people.

U shod se ~~prerad~~ prand.

Many of them were Kinnis!

" were tangent
phenomena!

Big faced Noddy gulls

was in the NZ army, sent to

clean mines in Lebanon

Brilliant, have life now
man!

~~They looked like mad dogs~~

They looked ~~different~~

just like many of you —

except they were in a lot

better condition!

Anyhow, we wrote our

UN report. We presented it

to the UN w/i 2 months of the

war ending.

In the report, we called for

the ^{initial} ₁ abolish of cluster bombs.

4 years later a treaty

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was a good many cluster
bombs.

Since then, under that treaty,
150 M cluster bombs
have been destroyed.

Did that happen because of
an HR report?

Of course ^{not}, but ~~our~~ our
HR report helped.

~~HR are already active~~

~~But they have help to expand~~

~~get~~

HAs are rarely decisive.

They are usually are part

of a wide movement for

social change.

HAs don't change things

overnight.

HAs work's a hard slog.

~~Just~~ You plant a ^{HR} seed

and it may come to

fruit in years later.

I want to say something
about HAs: they are
about ensuring all voices are
heard.

I would like to give u a
couple of examples:

I was asked by the gov of
Peru to visit + prepare a
HAs report.

I agreed, on condition that I
could travel anywhere + ~~see~~
speak to anyone in ~~the~~ Peru.

The gov agreed.

Peru was ^{initially} colonized by the
Spanish. ~~A ~~lot~~ of~~

Its indigenous peoples were
treated terribly.

They are known as Quechua
people.

Today there are 20% of the same
percentage of the pop. of Peru as
there is in NZ.

~~Many Quechua~~

~~to~~ Quechua
are marginalized and

discriminated agt.

Many Quechua live in Peru
in the Amazon jungle.

So I told the gov of

Peru that I wanted to

meet them in the jungle

Quechua people in their place

turkey ^{was} ~~was~~

in the jungle.

The gov. said OK.

Then I went into the Amazon

jungle. I met.

I met some officials.

~~None~~ None were quechua ~~(X)~~

I asked: what language is

spoken by the doctors +
nurses ~~too~~?

Ans: Spanish.

The local people don't want
to speak their language.

I said: OK, I ~~wed~~ like to meet
Quelva people.

Boat \Rightarrow Amazon \Rightarrow disordered \Rightarrow

we met a hapi. We

talked via a translator.

I listened

I said: ~~do you~~ I'm tired

you people don't

wish to speak their language

in the medical clinics.

The chief got v. angry. He

said it was a lie.

Of course I wanted to be

able to speak their language in

their medical facilities.

And that ^{a small} ~~formed~~ part of my ~~report~~ ^{report} was

report to the Gov of Ken.

My point is:

* HMS demands that
right-holders ^{are} ~~be~~ heard. *

Right holders — who you
must have voice.

Does that mean you
unilaterally decide everything?

No!

Because HMS includes
buddy c/ships + having your
responsibilities.

But HAS requires that
everyone — whatever their
background — is heard with
~~their~~ dignity
and listeners will
respect.

Africa

I would like to share ~~the~~
something else with you

My wife + I and our
baby daughter moved to Africa
for a year or 2,
W. Africa.

The Gambia - colonized by the
British. Part of the slave trade,
African taken ^{by force} from the Gambia to
work in slavery in ~~the Americas~~

N. America.

In Sanha, I worked with a
African History ~~association~~
organization. The director was
Sanha. I was ^{his} ~~the~~ Ass. Director.

In Sanha I had a lightbulb
moment that changed my career
+ my life.

~~My Director called me~~

~~and~~

I went from my African

History ~~to~~ colleges + Friends Not

they were interested in
High life -

- No 5 to vote

- ~~the~~ Freedom of speech

- no torture in prison,

BUT they were just as

interested in ~~the~~ :-

⇒ No right to ~~the~~ healthcare

⇒ " " " " health patrol

⇒ No 1 to ~~access~~ education -

⇒ No 1 to decent work

⇒ No 1 to a decent home

SOCIAL RIGHTS - POVERTY

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Social rights
~~There~~ are all ~~rights~~

universally accepted H.R.

Disregard Covenants and the
world have promised these

Social rights. BUT THEY ARE
NEGLECTED OVERLOOKED

That was my light bulb ^{IGNORANCE}

moment in Africa in the

1990s, but I really must

look @ all H.R.

including these social rights.

AA to
H.R. (compare)

From that moment, I've
turned my profound fears to
social right.

I've often incredibly
bargain deals about them.

I've worked in the UN ~~for~~
on social right.

I've taught 1000s of students
a from and he ~~not~~ waited on
social right.

AD Chief HRCter

11m day and I can't

raise the profile of

social right in America

It's not easy.

* N2 signed up these HAs

* helped to design them in UN

* ~~design~~ ^{bowen} ~~is~~ in the law ~~out~~

* America attack !! *

Harry Guideline

Simple path
WICF *

Sneak pre-view

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* ~~Colony~~ + Tute *

I know from other
countries that framing
housing as a H Right ~~is~~ has
made a difference in ~~some~~ some
housing estates.

The HAs language has helped
tenants get a better deal.

The HA language is not a
magic solution to a very
complex issue.

But the HAs language can
help.

N. Ireland

One more story ~~is~~ - this

time of systematic

discrimination, which is

known as sect.

In the 1970s + 80s, there

was fighting in N. Ireland

Sect. Catholics + Protestants

3000 were killed.

Many were imprisoned.

My job was to advocate for

prisoners of both sides 39

① Catholic prisoners + Prot. prisoners

I would visit Belfast.

In the way I would visit

Protest prisoners against.

Over lunchtime I'd walk for

Protest E. Belfast to ^{Catholic} W. Belfast.

And in the afternoon, I would

visit Catholic prisoners against.

It is ^{equally} as to see!

* Protest or Catholic

~~Protest or Catholic~~

~~Protest or Catholic~~

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* Muslim or Christian or Jew or
Hindu or Buddhist

* what ever your colour

* " " your sexuality

* whether disabled or not

* whether T. Woman or T. Tech

What was the cause of the
conflict in N. Ireland?

Intergenerational

1 Systemic discrimination

In the 1960s in N. Ireland, you

could wake 1000s of workers

showing into a factory + knave

But all of them were

Protestant

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Some refs had a poly to
only live patients

The Catholics ^{explains} ~~were not~~ ~~for~~
~~from~~ ~~disc~~ → record was not
understood either.

Today, N. had mainly

tense — with TO rem.

~~superstition~~
~~But systemic disc. agt~~

~~Get~~

But great strides have been

taken to dismantle systemic

disc. agt Catholics. #2

~~And the the the~~

And HMs have

contributed to that

progress.

The same can happen

here in A/NZ

HMs do not provide any

answers.

~~They~~ They do not

work overnight

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But, with persistence, HAs

can help to dismantle

systemic discrimination

~~in~~ ⁱⁿ Antisemitism

~~in the past~~

Systemic discrimination

T. Whelan, apt. Durlins,

apt. other marginalized

communities.

1 should close - (Slow)

1 acknowledge the extref

handed impact of Columbus on

T. Whema. (Slow)

1 also acknowledge the very

personal impact of

Calaglin, and from traces

of Te Tivik, or those of you -

this room.

1 acknowledge it is really

really hard to "make an"

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when people are

experiencing racism, ~~discrimination~~,

discrimination + marginalization

1. a lifestyle that is

rhetoric about being "tough on

gangs" promotes fear +

stigmatization.

1. Law enforcement approach to gangs

At the forefront should be:

* build relationships

* have the responsibilities we owe have to each other

* advancing rights of everyone

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The franchise

As of:

- including

- belonging

- addressing the description of address

+ marketing

+ description

+ ^{show} intergenerational appt.

~~2021~~

4A

~~One of the greatest~~

live tailed cat

R, R, R

On 15/3/2019 you

provided a brilliant example

of R, R, R's

When when news arrived of

the massacre in CChl - you

went to the mosque here in

Uthmaniyah. You protested

You showed solidarity. I

admire that extraordinary

expression of relationships

relationships, + aghs

PAITO: HRs are "a different way of being"

eg
Motocon