



Proposal by the ILGA World Board

Motion by the Board:

Pursuant to the decision of the ILGA Board at the 2014 board meeting in Mexico to move the organization from Belgium to Geneva Switzerland, the membership of ILGA World (formerly “The International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association”, formerly “The International Lesbian and Gay Association”) declares that ILGA World registered in 1202 Geneva, in Rue Rothschild 20, registration numbers CH-660.1.166.015-4, IDE CHE-455.926.653 assumes the full legal succession of the former organization registered in Belgium under the name “ILGA – International Lesbian and Gay Association – Belgium” with association number 954599 in the NGO registry in Belgium.

Rationale:

In 2014 the Executive Board of ILGA decided to move the organization from Belgium to Geneva (Switzerland) because of the closer proximity of Geneva-based human rights institutions including the UN and their relevance for our work. Due to the fact that there is no proper legal framework to move an organisation from one country to the next, the decision was implemented by registering ILGA (at the time “The International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans, and Intersex Association” now “ILGA World”) under Swiss law in Geneva with all members of the old ILGA (registered in Belgium) being as well members of the new ILGA. It is obvious that ILGA registered in Switzerland is the successor of the ILGA registered in Belgium, however there is no approved document that certifies that. This motion seeks to rectify this.