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Side Event

“Kazakhstan’s experience in implementing and monitoring the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

**A side-event to discuss and provide practical guidance on the establishment and functioning of
National Implementation and Monitoring Frameworks**

Organized by

**The Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan in Geneva in collaboration with
the UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities**

Tuesday 6 March 2018 from 12.00 to 13.30

Room XXVII, Palais des Nations

Light refreshments served prior to the event

Moderator: H.E. **Mrs. Zhanar AITZHANOVA**, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Kazakhstan

Panelists: Ms. **Catalina DEVANDAS-AGUILAR**, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

- Ms. **Svetlana ZHAKUPOVA**, Vice-Minister of Labour and Social Protection of the Republic of Kazakhstan

- Ms. **Theresa DEGENER**, Chairperson, UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

- Ms. **Silvia QUAN**, Senior Human Rights Advisor, International Disability Alliance (IDA)

- Ms. **Lyazzat KALTAYEVA**, Disability Rights Advocate, Head of the NGO “Shirak” and member of Kazakhstan’s Disability Coordination Council