



The Gender Research & Advocacy Project of the Legal Assistance Centre has been calling for nominations for the following awards through press, TV and radio:

## **Human Rights Awards for Combating Gender-Based Violence**

All over Namibia there are unsung heroines and heroes who are battling to make gender-based violence a thing of the past. Who are they? Where do they live? What have they achieved?

To highlight their work and inspire us all, we are calling for nominations for the awards in 4 categories:

1. Overall Human Rights Award for Combating Gender-Based Violence
2. Human Rights Award for Combating Gender-Based Violence through the Media
3. Human Rights Youth Award for Combating Gender-Based Violence
4. Human Rights Award for Combating Gender-Based Violence In the rural areas

Please send nominations with your contact details, the details of the person you are nominating, and one reference for the person you are nominating, with an explanation of the nominee's achievements to:

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### **Deadline for nominations: 31<sup>st</sup> October 2006**

The judges' decision will be final. The winners will be announced on 10<sup>th</sup> December, Human Rights Day 2006. The winners will be invited to Windhoek to collect their trophies and take advantage of media opportunities.

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Human Rights and Constitutional Unit, Gender Research & Advocacy Project, Land, Environment and Development Project, and AIDS Law Unit.

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