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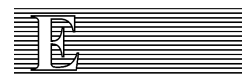
Thirtieth meeting of the Committee of Experts



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Meetings of the AU Conference of Ministers of Economy and
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Draft Programme of Work

Theme: Governing Development in Africa

Thursday, 24th March

9:30 – 10:30	Opening of the meeting
10:30 – 10:45	Election of the Bureau
10:45 – 11:00	Adoption of the draft agenda and programme of work
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee/Tea Break
11:15 – 12:15	Session I: Overview of recent economic and social developments in Africa
12:15 – 13:15	Session II: Assessment of progress on regional integration in Africa
13:15 – 14:45	Lunch Break
14:45 – 16:15	Session III: Review of progress towards the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) in Africa
16:15 – 16:30	Coffee/Tea Break
16:30 – 18:30	Session IV: Follow-up to the outcomes of major UN and AU Conferences and Summits, including the 2010 Joint Annual Meetings of the AUC and ECA

- a. *Review of progress in the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus on Financing for Development*
- b. *Report on Mutual Review of Development Effectiveness, 2010*
- c. *Annual review of progress of United Nations support to the African Union and its NEPAD programme: Report of the 11th Regional Consultation Mechanism of United Nations agencies working in Africa*
- d. *Climate change and development in Africa*
- e. *10-year review of progress in the implementation of the Abuja Declaration on Health Financing in Africa*
- f. *Follow-up on the implementation of the African Charter on Statistics*
- g. *Follow-up report on the implementation of the Comprehensive Africa Agriculture Development Programme (CAADP)*
- h. *Follow-up report on the implementation of the “Science with Africa” initiative*

18:30 Reception

Friday, 25th March

9:00 – 10:30 **Session IV (continued): Follow-up to the outcomes of major UN and AU Conferences and Summits, including the 2010 Joint Annual Meetings of the AUC and ECA**

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee/Tea Break

10:45 – 13:00 **Session V: Presentation and discussion on the theme of the Conference: *Governing Development in Africa***

13:00 – 15:00 Lunch Break

15:00 – 16:30 **Session V (continued): Presentation and discussion on the theme of the Conference: *Governing Development in Africa***

16:30 – 16:45 Coffee/Tea Break

16:45 – 18:30 **Session V (continued): Presentation and discussion on the theme of the Conference: *Governing Development in Africa***

Saturday, 26th March

9:30 – 10:30 **Session VI: Statutory issues**

- a. *ECA Annual Report, 2011*
- b. *ECA proposed work programme and priorities for the biennium 2012-2013*

- c. *Progress report on the work of the United Nations African Institute for Economic Development and Planning (IDEP)*
- d. *Statutes and Annexes of the African Monetary Fund*
- e. *Report on follow-up to the decisions and recommendations of the 2010 Joint Annual Meetings of the AUC and ECA*
- f. *Information note on upcoming major conferences of the AU Commission and ECA*

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee/Tea Break

10:45 – 13:00 **Session VI (continued): Statutory issues**

13:00 **Lunch Break**

Sunday, 27th March

9:30 – 13:00 **Parallel Side Events**

- *Launch of the African Platform for Development Effectiveness (organized by the NEPAD Planning and Coordinating Authority)*
- *Bridging the gap between the Public and Private Sectors for Africa's Economic Transformation (organized by the African Business Roundtable)*
- *Innovative Financing for Development (organized by the Governments of France and Mali)*

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 – 15:30 **Any other business**

15:30 – 17:30 **Session VIII: Consideration and adoption of the draft report of the Committee of Experts and draft resolutions**

17:30 – 18:30 **Closing of the meeting**

- *Closing remarks by Mr. Maxwell Mkwezalamba, Commissioner for Economic Affairs, AU Commission*
- *Closing remarks by Mr. Abdoulie Janneh, UN Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary of ECA*
- *Wrap-up by the Chairperson of the Bureau of the Committee of Experts*

18:30 – 21:00 Side event organized by the Roll Back Malaria Partnership Advocacy Working Group on *Investing in Health and Development in Africa: Public and Private Sector Innovations and Lessons Learned* (Cocktail reception before and after the event [at the Sheraton Addis](#))