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8th Joint Annual Meetings of the African Union Specialized Technical Committee on Finance, Monetary Affairs, Economic Planning and Integration and the ECA Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development



Addis Ababa, Ethiopia 29th March 2015

Side-event: Caucus meeting of African Central Bank Governors

Theme: Implementing Agenda 2063: Planning, Financing and Mobilization

AGENDA

Opening ceremony

8-9 a.m. Registration

9 – 9.20 a.m. Welcome address by **Mr. Teklewolde Atnafu**, Governor of the Central Bank

of Ethiopia, Host Governor,

Welcome address by Prof. Emmanuel Tumusiime-Mutebile, Governor,

Bank of Uganda, Co-Chair

9.20 – 9.40 a.m. Statement by the Chairperson of the African Union Commission, Her

Excellency Dr. Nkosazana Dlamini Zuma

9.40 – 10 a.m. Opening statement by the Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and

Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa,

Mr. Carlos Lopes

10 - 10.30 a.m. Coffee break

10.30 – 12.30 p.m. Presentation and discussion on sustainable development financing in Africa

(7 minutes for each presentation)

Co-Chairs of the session: **Mr. Teklewolde Atnafu**, Governor National Bank of Ethiopia and **Prof. Emmanuel Tumusiime-Mutebile**, Governor, Bank of Uganda.

Moderator: TBD

(i) Status of follow-up actions resulting from the Abuja Caucus.

Speaker: Nigerian Central Bank

Discussions

(ii) Perspectives on Africa's strategy and priorities for sustainable development financing

Speakers: Mr. Admassu Nabebe Gedamu (member of the

Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on

Sustainable Development Financing);

Dr Donald Kaberuka, President of AfDB

Mr. Anthony Maruping, AUC, Perspective in the

framework of the African Common Position

Discussants: **H.E. Mr. Sufian Ahmed** Minister of Finance and Economic Development, Ethiopia, **Mr Woury Diallo**, Alternate Executive Director, IMF

(iii) Engaging African Central Bank Governors in the Sustainable development Financing in Africa: Consultations, Action points, Challenges and Opportunities

Speaker: H.E. Festus Mogae, Former President of Botswana, Mr. Rameswurlall Basant Roi G.C.S.K, Governor, Bank of Mauritius, Chairman of the Association of African Central Banks Governors (AACB), Bank of Algeria

Discussants: Bank of Kenya, Mr. Thiemoko Meyliet Kone, Governor of BCEAO

12.30 – 1 p.m. Discussion and question and answer session

1-2 p.m. Lunch

2 – 2.30 p.m. Consideration and adoption of the draft Communiqué

2.30 - 2.45 p.m. Any other business

Concluding remarks

2:45 – 3 p.m. **Mr. Teklewolde Atnafu**, Governor National Bank of Ethiopia

3 – 3.15 p.m. **Mr. Carlos Lopes**, Executive Secretary, ECA

3.15 - 3.30 p.m. Closing press conference

^{*} Please note that panellists are subject to confirmation.