



Nations Unies Commission économique pour l'Afrique

# **WORK PROGRAMME**

## AD HOC GROUP OF EXPRTS MEETING ON THE THEME:

*"Harnessing agro-industry potential to support structural transformation in Central Africa"* 

Douala, Cameroun, 28-29 September 2017

September 2017

## DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME

### DAY 1: THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2017

8:30 - 9 :00	Registration of participants
9 :00 -9 :30	<ul> <li>Opening ceremony (item 1 of agenda)</li> <li>Opening statement, Director ECA/SRO-CA</li> <li>Speech by representative of host country</li> </ul>
9 :30 - 10:00	Coffee break
10:00 - 10:30	Election of bureau of the meeting (item 2 of agenda)
	Adoption of agenda and programme of work ( <i>item 3 of agenda</i> )
10:30 -11:00	Presentation of the report of the study on: "harnessing agro- industry potential to support structural transformation in Central Africa" <i>(item 4 of agenda)</i>
	State of play of the Agro-industry in Central Africa ( <i>item 4.1 of agenda</i> )
11:00 - 11:45	Discussions
11 :45 - 12:15	Public policies on agro-industry development in Central Africa <i>(item 4.2 of agenda)</i>
12 :15 - 13 :00	Discussions
13h00 - 14h30	Lunch break
14 :30 - 15 :15	Agro-industry development in Central Africa: Challenges and priority intervention areas <i>(item 4.3 of agenda)</i>
15:15 - 16:15	Discussions
16:15 - 16:30	Coffee break
16:30	End of day

#### DAY 2: FRIDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2017

9:00 -10:00	National agro-industry development experiences ( <i>item 5 of agenda</i> )
10:00 - 11:00	Discussions
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee break
11:15 -16:45	Preparation of meeting report
13:00 - 15:00	Lunch break
16:45 - 17:15	Consideration and adoption of meeting report (item 6 of agenda)
17:15 - 17:30	<ul> <li>Closing ceremony</li> <li>Closing statement by the Director of the ECA/SRO-CA</li> <li>Closing speech by the representative of the host country</li> </ul>