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First Meeting of the Committee on
Development Information, Science & Technology (CODIST)

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
28 April – 1 May 2009

Provisional Programme of Work

Monday, April 27			
Pre-CODIST Events			
	Geo	ICT	S&T
9:00 - 9:15	<p>Enlisting National Mapping Agencies in the Fight Against HIV/AIDS: Building Partnerships with Ministries of Health and National AIDS Commissions to Work Smarter Not Harder Venue: Conference Room 2 Chair: Paul Belanger, GiSS/ISTD/ECA</p> <p>Opening Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA Roger Salla Ntunga, Country Coordinator and Representative to the AU and UNECA, UNAIDS Dorina Maris, Technical Advisor, USAID 		
9:15 – 9:30	Setting the Stage and Purpose of the Workshop, MEASURE Evaluation		
9:30 – 10:30	<p>National Service Provision, Moderated by Paul Belanger, ISTD/ECA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Patrick Naphini, Malawi: “Analysing geographic coverage of ART clinics using GIS: example of collaboration between several institutions in Malawi” Benjamin Mayala, Tanzania: “Mapping Task Force Committee: Developing a health facility GIS database in Tanzania” Shabani Cishahayo, Rwanda: “GIS applied to HIV/AIDS intervention monitoring: the case of Rwanda TRACnet System” 		
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
11:00 – 12:00	<p>Community-Based Reporting, Moderated by Chris Fontaine, UNAIDS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bernard Mundia, Kenya: “Identifying priorities for improving the quality of routine community HIV and AIDS information in Kenya” Miriam Babita, South Africa: “Using community mapping to profile HIV/AIDS incidence in South Africa: 1996-2007” Ahmed Seid, Ethiopia: “The use of GIS for mapping HIV/AIDS susceptible areas in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia” 		
12:00 – 13:00	Morning Wrap-Up and Open Floor Discussion, Facilitated by MEASURE Evaluation		
13:00 – 14:30	<i>Lunch, Networking and Exhibition</i>		
14:30 – 16:00	Group Breakout Sessions		
16:00 – 16:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
16:30 – 17:30	Group Reports		
17:30 – 18:00	Summary, Next Steps, and Workshop Resolutions		

Tuesday, April 28				
Pre-CODIST Events				
	Geo	ICT		S&T
8:30	Registration			
9:00	Registration			
	<p>AFREF Workshop : Revamping the implementation Plan Venue: <i>Conference Room 3</i></p> <p>Session 1: Opening</p> <p>Chair: <i>A.Nonguierma, OIC, GiSS Section , ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome address, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA</i> Presentation of the Agenda, <i>A.Nonguierma, ISTD/ECA</i> Presentation of AFREF: Background, Current Status. - <i>H. Farah, RCMRD</i> <p>Session 2: Ongoing Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> International Committee on Global Satellite Navigation Systems (ICG). <i>By S. Gadimova (OOSA)</i> Selected Member States Experience: <i>TBD</i> Identify Ongoing GNSS Projects: <i>Y. Mekasha (ECA)</i> Trimble Donation Project: <i>M. Kinfemichael (ECA)</i> The Galileo satellite radio navigation system: <i>Stefano Scarda, EC, DG Entr.</i> 	<p>The First Follow-up Workshop on WSIS, Tunis+3 Venue: <i>Conference Room 6</i></p> <p>Session 1: Opening</p> <p>Chair: <i>Makane Faye, ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opening remarks by <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director ISTD/ECA</i> Introduction of participants Presentation of the Agenda by <i>Abebe Chekol, ISTD/ECA</i> Keynote address on WSIS implementation by <i>Clement Dzidonu, Chairperson, GAID-Africa Network</i> 	<p>Workshop on Legal and Regulatory Framework for the Knowledge Economy Venue: <i>Conference Room 4</i></p> <p>Session 1: Opening</p> <p>Chair: <i>Sizo Mhlanga, Chief ICT Section, ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcoming remarks, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah- Director, ISTD/ECA</i> Opening Remarks: <i>Mr Pierre Ouedraogo, Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie (OIF), Ms Cécile Barayre-EI Shami-, ICT Analysis Section-UNCTAD;; Jon McNerney, Internet Society (ISOC)</i> Objectives, Themes and Expected Outcomes- <i>Ms. Eskedar Nega, ISTD/ECA</i> <p>Session 2 : Overview of Legal and Regulatory frameworks for the knowledge economy</p> <p>Chairperson: <i>Mr Pierre Ouedraogo, Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie (OIF)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Setting the Scene- Legal and regulatory frameworks for the knowledge economy, <i>Ms Angeline Vere- Association of African Communications Lawyers</i> <p>Round table I: Discussion on Current and emerging ICT law and policy issues – moderated by <i>Ms Cécile Barayre-EI Shami - Science, Technology and ICT Analysis Branch- UNCTAD</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The UNCITRAL texts on electronic commerce and electronic signatures: an opportunity for the adoption of modern legislation in Africa, <i>Mr. Luca G. Castellani, UNICTRAL</i> E-jurisdiction, liability and dispute settlement, <i>Mr. Sam Dawa, Legal Informatics-Faculty of Law, Makerere University, Uganda</i> E-commerce and taxation, <i>Mr. Adam Mambi, Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority</i> 	<p>ECA- Workshop on Capacity Building on Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Africa Venue: <i>Conference Room 5</i></p> <p>Session 1: Opening</p> <p>Chair: <i>Alex Tindimubona, Chief Science and Technology Section, ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome address, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA</i> Presentation of the Agenda, <i>Alex Tindimubona, Chief Science and Technology Section, ISTD/ECA</i> Introduction of the Training <i>Dr. Jody Ranck, Health, Technology, Foresight, USA</i> Introduction to social media (blogs, wikis, Twitter/micro-blogging, architecture of participation) Overview of open innovation and social innovation tools-traditional models of innovation versus insights from user-led innovation, crowdsourcing, open innovation portals Science 2.0/Open Science tools and platforms
10:30	Coffee Break			

	Geo	ICT		S&T
00 – 13:00	<p>AFREF Workshop : Revamping the implementation Plan</p> <p>Session 3: Computing Techniques</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best approaches and Methodologies to compute the future AFREF solutions. <i>Rui Fernandes (UBI/IDL, Portugal)</i> • Common specifications for receivers and other components: <i>R. Neilan (IAG)</i> • HartRAO Computing Centers Experience. <i>Ludwig Combrick(HartRAO)</i> 	<p>The First Follow-up Workshop on WSIS, Tunis+3</p> <p>Session 2: Implementation through WSIS Action Lines 1, 2 & 3:</p> <p>Chair: <i>Esam Abulkhirat, African Union</i></p> <p>Presentation by <i>Makane Faye, ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress made on the creation, adoption and implementation of national and regional ICT strategies • Development of information and communication infrastructures across the Africa region • Access to information and knowledge • Discussions <p>Session 3: Implementation through WSIS Action Lines 4, 5 & 6</p> <p>Chair: <i>Clement Dzionu, Chairperson of GAID-Africa Network</i></p> <p>Presentation by <i>Abebe Chekol, ISTD/ECA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capacity Building issues in the region • Building confidence and trust in the use of ICTs • Efforts of Governments and organizations to create and promote an Information Society enabling environment • Discussions 	<p>Round table II: Discussion on current and emerging ICT law and policy issues (Cont'd) – moderated by <i>Mr. Dawit Bekele, ISOC- Africa</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic signatures, E-payment, <i>Judge Dr. Ehab Elsonbaty, Egypt</i> • Cybersecurity – <i>Mr. Basil Udotai, Technology Advisers - ICT Lawyers, Nigeria</i> • Data protection and privacy, <i>Ms Alimata Dah OUATTARA, Commission Informatique et Liberté – Burkina Faso</i> • IPRs and digital technology - <i>Maitre Nafaa Laribi - Cabinet Faleh et Laribi – Tunisie</i> 	<p>Session 2: Group training</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Commons: Science Commons and how we can use and manage them (includes open access, open knowledge frameworks) • Overview of existing applications in social networking and Science/Knowledge Networks in Africa • Dynamics of cooperation and incentives • Brainstorming session on what a dynamic platform for Science with Africa might look like and problem spaces it would deal with

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13:00-14:30	Lunch Break		
14:30	AFREF Workshop : Revamping the implementation Plan	The First Follow-up Workshop on WSIS, Tunis+3	Workshop on Legal and Regulatory Framework for the Knowledge Economy
15:00	Session 4: Implementing AFREF : Way Forward	Session 4: Implementation through WSIS Action Lines 7, 8 & 9	Session 3: Subregional/ Regional Harmonization of legal and regulatory frameworks for the knowledge economy
15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ECA Implementation proposal <i>A.Nonguierma, ISTD/ECA</i> The Framework of the LightHouse Project. <i>A. Hamdy, AUC, Department of Science and Technology</i> Proposed Management Structure by <i>C.Ezigbalike, ECA</i> 	Chair: <i>Sola Afolabi, ECOWAS</i> Presentation by <i>Abebe Chekol, ISTD/ECA</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICT applications Cultural diversity and identity, linguistic diversity and local content – including the issue of Internet governance ICT and the Media Discussions 	Chair: <i>Ms. Sarah Kagoda-Batuwa, East African Community (EAC) Secretariat</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harmonization of subregional legal frameworks (highlights on e-commerce, cybercrime, personal data protection), the case of ECOWAS- <i>Professor Abdoullah CISSE- Université de Bambey- Sénégal</i> Question and answer session
16:00	Coffee Break		
16:30	AFREF Workshop : Revamping the implementation Plan	The First Follow-up Workshop on WSIS, Tunis+3	Workshop on Legal and Regulatory Framework for the Knowledge Economy
17:00	Session 5: Capacity Building	Session 5: Implementation through WSIS Action Lines 10 & 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion on the adoption of a road map to facilitate implementation and improvement of Legal and Regulatory Frameworks at national and regional levels, moderated by <i>Ms. Eskedar Nega, ISTD/UNECA</i> Awareness raising Human and Institutional capacity-building Networking and partnership
17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data Contribution and Dissemination Policy Full Participation Charter by <i>C.Ezigbalike, ECA</i> 	Chair: <i>Mr. Massani Koroney, Niger</i> Presentation by <i>Makane Faye, ISTD/ECA</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethical dimensions of the Information Society International and regional cooperation Discussions 	
18:00	Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resolutions to CODIST-GEO Concluding remarks. <i>ECA, ISC</i> 	Session 6: Follow-up mechanisms and Closing Chair: <i>Makane Faye ISTD/ECA</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closing Remarks by <i>ECA, OIF, UNCTAD and ISOC</i>

Wednesday, April 29				
PLENARY SESSION <i>Conference Room 1</i>				
08:30	Registration	Registration and meeting of heads of delegations		
09:00				
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10:30	Plenary Session 1	<p>Opening and panel on “Scientific development, Innovation and the knowledge economy” Chair: Elected CODIST-1 Chairperson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcoming address, <i>Mr. Abdoulie Janneh, Executive Secretary, ECA</i> • Adoption of agenda and organization of work • Opening Remarks: Representative of the Government of Ethiopia • Goals and Objectives of CODIST, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ICT, Science and Technology Division (ISTD)</i> • “Scientific development, Innovation and the knowledge economy”, Keynote Speaker: <i>Professor Lidia Brito, Lecturer, Eduardo Mondlane University, Mozambique</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Respondents:</p> <p>Geospatial Science in the Knowledge Economy, Hon. Dr. Wilbur Ottichilo, MP, Kenya Innovation and ICT in supporting scientific development and the Knowledge Economy, Dr. Nagwa El Shenawy <i>Director of Information Center, Ministry of Communication and Information Technology, Egypt</i></p>		
11:00				
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13:00-14:30	Lunch Break			
		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
14:30	Sub-Committee Sessions 1	<p>Opening session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Co-Facilitator: A.Nonguierma, OIC, GiSS Section, ISTD/ECA & Congo Head of Delegation</i> • Welcome remarks: <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA</i> • Election of officers (chair and rapporteur) • Adoption of agenda and organization of work • Setting the Scene: The insights of Geospatial Science in the Knowledge Economy. <i>Dr. Yola Georgiadou, Professor Geoinformation for Governance, ITC, the Netherlands</i> 	<p>Opening session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Co-Facilitator: Sizo Mhlanga, Chief ICT Section, ISTD/ECA & Morocco Head of Delegation</i> • Welcome address, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA</i> • Election of officers (chair and rapporteur) and organization of work • Adoption of agenda and organization of work • Setting the Scene: “Enabling Environment for ICT Innovation and Economic Growth”, <i>Mr. Mustapha Mezghani, 2CW, Tunisia</i> 	<p>Opening Session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Facilitator: Alex Tindimubona, Chief Science and Technology Section, ISTD/ECA</i> • Welcome address, <i>Ms. Aida Opoku-Mensah, Director, ISTD/ECA</i> • Election of officers (chair and rapporteur) and organization of work • Adoption of agenda and organization of work • Setting the Scene: Challenges and Opportunities for Science, Technology and Innovation in the Changing Global Economy, <i>Prof. Sospeter Muhongo, ICSU Regional Office for Africa, South-Africa</i>
15:00				
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16:00				
16:00	Coffee Break			

		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
16:30	Sub-Committee Sessions 2	Report of activities:	Report of activities:	Report of Activities:
17:00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Countries reports. <i>F. Isseri, National Mapping Agency Cameroon</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report on ECA activities in the area of ICTs in 2007-2009 and work programme for the biennium 2010-2011, including highlights on the implementation of the CODI-V recommendations, <i>Sizo Mhlanga, Chief ICT Section, ICT/ISTD</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report on ECA activities in the area of S&T in 2007-2009 and work programme for the biennium 2010-2011, <i>Alex Tindimubona, Chief S&T Section, ISTD-ECA</i>
17:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EWG activities: <i>Sives Govender, EIS Africa</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report of the African Technical Advisory Committee (ATAC), <i>Prof. Clement Dzionou, Chairperson of ECA African Technical Advisory Committee (ATAC), Ghana</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of the African Science Philanthropist Initiative (ASPI), <i>Ambassador. Olusegun Akinsanya, ISTD/ECA</i>
18:00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Centers and Organizations: RECTAS, RCMRD, AOCRS. <i>Isi Ikhuoria, RECTAS</i> Report on ECA activities in the area of Geoinformation since CODI-V. <i>A.Nonguierma, ISTD/ECA</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report on the outcomes of the first Follow-up Workshop on WSIS, Tunis+3, <i>Makane Faye, ISTD/ECA</i> <i>Report on e-SADC Strategy, Jennifer Khargbo, Director, ECA-SRO Southern Africa, Zambia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing a business model for technology park and center of excellence in Africa, <i>Prof. Farouk Kamoun, University of Manouba, Tunis</i> Discussion /Recommendations
18:30		<u>Book Launching: "Land Management Information Systems in the KE" AND "Geoinfo in Socio-Economic Development Determination of Fundamental Datasets for Africa"</u>	<u>Book Launching: "AIS: A Decades Perspective"</u>	<u>Book Launching: "Promoting Science, Technology And Innovation For Sustainable Development In Africa"</u>

Thursday, April 30				
PLENARY SESSION Conference Room 1				
8:30	Plenary Session 2	The Enabling Environment for Innovation Systems , <i>Dr. Clement Enstua-Mensah, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, Ghana</i> Discussants: Innovation infrastructure and human resource development, Dr. Meoli Kashorde, Kenya Enabling Environment for Geospatial Information Technology uptake in Africa: Dr. Jide Kufoniya, AARSE, Nigeria Innovation and Networking, Dr. Jody Ranck, Health, Technology, Foresight, USA		
9:00				
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10:00				
10:30	Coffee Break			
		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
11:00	Sub-Committee Sessions 3	Enabling Environment - Technical and Policy Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geoinformation in support of African development agenda, priorities and initiatives: regional geospatial databases and online applications; <i>A.Nonguierma, ISTD/ECA</i> 	Enabling Environment - Technical and Policy Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outcome of the Workshop on Legal and Regulatory Framework for the Knowledge Economy, <i>Ms. Angeline Vere- Association of African Communications Lawyers</i> 	Enabling Environment - Technical and Policy Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National science, technology and innovation systems in Africa, <i>Dr. Rose Kiggundu, ILRI, Ethiopia</i>
11:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determination of the (desired) content for a Guideline of Best Practice for the collection, maintenance and dissemination of fundamental geo-spatial datasets (<i>C. Derek, South Africa</i>). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and skills for Innovation, <i>Dr. Solomon Atnafu, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The enabling environment for Innovation, Dr. Abdelaziz BENJOUAD, Morocco</i>
12:00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Space Science Programme within the AU-EU partnership. <i>A. Hamdy, AUC, Department of Science and Technology</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructure for innovation systems, <i>Mr. Abdoulaye Ndiaye, Senegal</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National STI Innovation systems case studies: ▪ Uganda, <i>Dr. Peter Ndemere NCST, Uganda</i>
12:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth Observation for environmental monitoring and sustainable development (<i>AMESD project</i>) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harmonization of legal frameworks – The case of ECOWAS, <i>Mr. Shola Afolabi, ECOWAS</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Zimbabwe, <i>Mrs. Susan Muzite, Research Council of Zimbabwe Harare, Zimbabwe</i>
13:00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructures for innovation systems: <i>Galileo (EU), Geo-Africa (Astrium), Geo-Africa (Astrium), GeonetCast (EUMETSAT), INSPIRE (JRC)</i>. • Guidelines for implementing Spatially-Enabled Government Services. <i>C.Ezigbalike, ECA</i> • Report of the Pre-CODIST Workshops: HIV/AIDS and AFREF - <i>P. Belanger, ISTD/ECA</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mobile technology enabling innovative commercial services for Africa - Technical and policy issues, <i>Mr. Ameha Bekele, Ernst and Young/ Price Waterhouse Coopers</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Djibouti, <i>Mr. Mohamed Jalludin, Centre d'études et de recherches scientifiques, Djibouti</i> ▪ Swaziland, <i>Dr. Violet Nkambule, University of Swaziland, Swaziland</i> ▪ Science communication & scientific development, <i>Mr. Diran Onifade, World Federation of Science Journalists, Nigeria</i> • Discussion /Recommendations
13:00-14:30	Lunch Break			
PLENARY SESSION Conference Room 1				
14:30	Plenary Session 3	Innovation and Economic Growth <i>Douglas Scott Solomon, IDEO, San Francisco, USA</i> Discussants: Innovation and Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), John Kabare, ARIPO Geoinformation perspectives on Innovation and Economic Growth: Mr. Antony Kyle Cooper, CSIR, South Africa		
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16:00	Local innovation, communities and indigenous knowledge capacities , <i>Dr. Umar Bindir, National Office for Technology Acquisition and Promotion (NOTAP), Abuja, Nigeria</i>
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break

		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
16:30	Sub-Committee Sessions 4	Geospatial technology and Innovation in Africa	ICT and Economic Growth	Science, technology and innovation for Economic Growth
17:00		New Trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IPRs and innovation systems, <i>Mrs. Roughiatou Thiam, Intellectual Property and ICTs, Senegal</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Globalization and regionalization of research and development for economic growth, <i>Prof. Charles Kwesiga, Uganda Industrial Research Institute (UIRI), Uganda</i>
17:30		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feature on the role of Location Based Mobile Services in the Knowledge Economy. <i>TBD.</i> New Geoinformation features and applications: Google Earth, ESRI/ArcGIS Server, Microsoft's Virtual Earth, etc. - <i>C. Terborgh, ESRI Inc.</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The roles of SMMEs in innovation and the knowledge economy, <i>Dr. Meoli Kashorde, Kenya</i> Innovation ICT applications for economic growth – m-Banking, <i>Dr. Simon Batchelor, South Africa</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The role of basic science in economic growth : key indicators, <i>Dr. Alexandra Palermo, Royal Chemical Society/PACN, UK, and Dr. Temechegn Engida, Federation of African Societies of Chemistry, Ethiopia</i>
18:00		Cartographic Issues Geographic names. <i>BY A. Siala, AOCRS,</i> Mapping activities in Senegal : Experience and Lessons learned <i>Youssou Ndong, DTCG</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GCP: Cartographie militaire en Afrique – <i>Col. Hubault Jean-Harmel, Chef du bureau Geographique inter-armee de l'Etat major des Armees Paris, France</i> Second Administrative Level Boundaries (SALB) Project. - <i>St. Ebener, WHO</i> Southern Africa HIV/AIDS Data on SALB boundaries - <i>S.Govender</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICT Business Indicators, <i>Ms. Cécile Barayre-El Shami - ICT Analysis Section- UNCTAD</i> ICT Economic Impact Indicators and status in Africa, <i>Prof. Farouk Kamoun, Tunisia</i> ICT enabled women entrepreneurship, <i>Mrs. Ajaratou Ida Faye – Hydara, Women's Bureau, the Gambia</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Technology Planning & Technology Governance in Africa, <i>Mohamed Timamy, Ag.STRC/AU</i> Discussion/Recommendations
19:00		SIDE EVENT: 2009 Technology In Government in Africa (TIGA) Awards		

Friday, May 1				
		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
9:00	Sub-Committee Sessions 6	Closing Session: Adoption of Sub-Committee Reports Closing	Closing Session: Adoption of Sub-Committee Reports Closing	Closing Session: Adoption of Sub-Committee Reports Closing
9:30				
10:00				
10:30	Coffee Break			
	PLENARY SESSION <i>Conference Room 1</i>			
11:00	Plenary Session 4	Plenary: Reports of Sub-Committees		
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13:00-14:30	Lunch Break			
		Geo <i>Conference Room 3</i>	ICT <i>Conference Room 4</i>	S&T <i>Conference Room 5</i>
14:30	Special Sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations: Extra submitted papers • Technical Cooperation on Topographic Mapping in African continent focusing on using satellite imagery (IDI, GSI, JAXA) • Servir Africa Workshop (K. Lance) • Others Side Workshops by Member States and Partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting of the Fifth African Technical Advisory Committee (ATAC V) • Country reports/Poster Session 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STI Outlook • Reports from Countries
15:00				
15:30				
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break			
	PLENARY SESSION <i>Conference Room 1</i>			
16:30	Plenary Session 5	Adoption of Report Closing		
17:00				
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