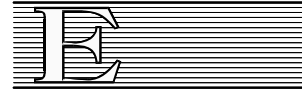




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# Training Workshop on Sustainable Modernization of Agriculture and Rural Transformation (SMART)/Green Revolution in Africa

Pretoria (South Africa), 29 June - 3 July 2009

## Provisional Programme of Work

### Monday

8:30 - 9:00

**Registration of Participants**

### SESSION I

#### Opening of the Meeting

9:00 - 09:30

- Welcome remark by Dr. Kodjo P. Abassa,  
SMART /Green Revolution Project Coordinator  
United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)
- Opening remark by the President of Farmers' association
- Opening remark by NEPAD
- Opening Statement by the Minister of Agriculture of South Africa or  
his/her Representative

9: 30 – 9:45                    **Organizational Matters**

- Election of the Chairperson of the Meeting
- Election of the Rapporteur of the Meeting
- Adoption of the Agenda

9:45 – 10:00                    *Coffee/Tea*

**SESSION II Agriculture and rural Development**

10:00 – 10:20 *Agriculture and Rural Development: Overview*  
*By Professor Emmanuel Iwuafor*

10:20-10-45    Discussions

10:45 – 10:05 *African Agriculture: Unique features and paradigm shifts*  
*By Dr Kodjo P. Abassa*

10:05 – 11:30 Discussions

11:30- 11:50 *African Agriculture: The NEPAD's presentation*

11:50 – 11:15 Discussions

11:15 – 12:35 *Indicators and Common Index for assessing SMART/ African Green Revolution:*  
*Concept and application*  
*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye and Dr. Soumaila Bredoumy*

12:35 – 13:00 Discussions

13:00- 14:30 *Lunch Break*

**SESSION III Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa:  
Lessons from Africa**

14:30 - 15:30 *Cassava in Nigeria*  
*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye*

15:30-16:00 *Discussions*

16: 00-17:00 *Maize in Malawi*  
*By Mrs. Patricia Masanganise*

17:00-17:30 *Discussions*

## **Tuesday**

### **SESSION IV: Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa: Lessons from Africa (continued)**

8:30 - 9:30 *Palm oil and Banana /Plantain in Cameroon*  
*By Dr David Mbah*

9:30-10:00 *Discussions*

10:00-10:15 *Coffee/Tea*

10:15-11:15 *Rice in Senegal*  
*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye*

11:15-11:45 *Discussions*

11:45-12:45 *Milk in South Africa*  
*By Mrs. Patricia Masanganise*

12:45-13:15 *Discussions*

13:15-14:30 *Lunch Break*

### **SESSION V: Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa: Lessons from Africa (continued)**

14:30 - 15:15 *Water in Democratic Republic of Congo*

*By Dr David Mbah*

15:15-15:45 *Discussions*

15:45-16:00 *Coffee/Tea*

16:00-17:30 *Meeting of Task Force on Formulation of SMART programmes, strategies and policies*

**Wednesday**

**SESSION VI: Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa:  
Lessons from Asia**

8:30 - 10:30 *Case of Saemaul Undong movement in the Republic of Korea  
By Professor Jin-Kwang So*

10:30 - 10:45 *Coffee/Tea*

10:45 - 12:30 *Case of Saemaul Undong movement in the Republic of Korea (continued)  
By Professor Jin-Kwang So*

12:30 - 13:00 *Discussions*

13:00- 14:30 *Lunch Break*

**SESSION VII: Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa:  
Other local, sub regional or regional experiences**

14:30 - 17:30 *Other local (country), sub-regional or regional experiences  
By Farmers' associations, NGOs, Research Centers*

## THURSDAY

### Session VIII

7:30- 13:00 Field Visit (Dr. Paul Ilona)

13:00-14:30 *Lunch Break*

### Session IX: Achieving Green Revolution and rural Transformation in Africa: Programme, Strategy and Policy Formulation

14:30 - 16:30 *Formulation of appropriate programmes, strategies and policies for SMART/Green Revolution.*

*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye, Dr David Mbah and Mrs. Patricia Masanganise*

16:30-16:45 *Coffee/Tea*

16:45-17:45 *Formulation of appropriate programmes, strategies and policies for SMART/Green Revolution (Continued)*

*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye, Dr David Mbah and Mrs. Patricia Masanganise*

10:30 - 10:45 *Coffee/Tea*

10:45 - 12:30

12:30 - 13:00 *Discussions*

13:00-14:30 *Lunch Break*

14:30 - 15:30 *Formulation of appropriate programmes, strategies and policies for SMART/Green Revolution (Continued)*

*By Professor Augustine Mokwunye, Dr David Mbah and Mrs. Patricia Masanganise*

15:30-15:45 *Coffee/Tea*

15:45-17:45 *Meeting of Task Force on dairy development in Africa (Chair: David Wynne Durham)*

15:45-17:45 *Preparation of the Report*

## **Friday**

8:30 - 15:30 Field Visit

15:30 - 17:30 Adoption of Conclusion and recommendations

17:30 - 18:00 Closing Remarks