



**SEVENTH ANNUAL REGIONAL CONSULTATIONS AMONG UN AGENCIES
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14 – 15 November 2006
UNCC, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

DRAFT PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening session
2. Reports of the clusters
3. Presentation of an issues note on “measures to strengthen Un system support to NEPAD” by ECA
4. Consideration of issues by the clusters in breakout session
5. Plenary discussion on the reports of the breakout sessions
6. Plenary discussion on the modalities for implementing the recommendations, and way forward
7. Closing of the meeting



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DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK

Tuesday, 14 November 2006

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| 08:30 hrs - 08:50 hrs | Registration |
| 09:00 hrs - 10:00 hrs | Opening session
(Statements by ECA; NEPAD Secretariat; OSAA; and AU) |
| 10:00 hrs - 10:15 hrs | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 10:15 hrs - 11:45 hrs | Report of clusters |
| 11:45 hrs – 13:00 hrs | Presentation of an issues note on “measures to strengthen Un systems support to NEPAD” by ECA |
| 13:00 hrs - 14:30 hrs | <i>Lunch break</i> |
| 14:30 hrs - 16:00 hrs | Consideration of issues by clusters in breakout sessions. |
| 16:00 hrs - 16:15 hrs | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 16:15 hrs - 18:00 hrs | Plenary discussion on the reports of the breakout sessions |

Wednesday, 15 November 2006

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| 09:00 hrs - 11:00 hrs | Plenary discussions on modalities for implementing the recommendations and way forward |
| 11:00 hrs - 12:00 hrs | <i>Closing of the Meeting</i> |



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PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA

Session I Opening Session

Representatives of the Economic Commission for Africa (ECA), the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA), the African Union Commission (AU) and the NEPAD Secretariat will make opening remarks on objectives and expectations.

Session II. Reports of clusters

Under this agenda item, cluster conveners will report on progress made since the Sixth annual meeting. The presentations will focus on features of UN system-wide support to NEPAD in terms of existing collaborative arrangements, progress made in programme implementation and challenges and measures to overcome them.

Session III Presentation of an issues note on “Measures to strengthen UN system support to NEPAD” by ECA

Under this agenda item, the meeting will examine an issues note on “Measures to strengthen UN system support to NEPAD”, prepared by ECA Secretariat. The note will give due consideration to various recommendations made in the Second report of the Secretary-General’s Advisory Panel on NEPAD, especially those focusing on improving coordination of the UN system support for the implementation of NEPAD at the regional and sub-regional levels; enhancing collaboration between the entities of the UN system and the AU Commission, including the NEPAD programme; and strengthening the capacity of the UN system to support NEPAD.



Session IV Consideration of issues related to “measures to strengthen UN system support to NEPAD” in breakout sessions

Under this agenda item, the clusters are expected to consider, in breakout sessions, specific questions raised in the cluster presentations and the issues note and formulate recommendations on the way forward.

Session V Plenary discussion on the reports of the break out sessions

Under this agenda item, the meeting will review various submissions, and adopt set recommendations on each of the issues discussed during the breakout sessions.

Session VI: Plenary discussion on modalities for implementing the recommendations and way forward

Under this agenda item, the meeting will discuss and adopt modalities for implementing each of the recommendations. It is expected that the agreed set of proposals would form the basis for the way forward.

Session VII: Closing of the meeting

The meeting will consider any other business, and make closing remarks.