



## **ECA-ITU-UNCTAD Regional Workshop on Information Society Measurements in Africa**

Addis Ababa, 7 – 9 March 2007

### **DRAFT AGENDA**

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#### *Day 1: Wednesday, 7 March 2007*

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09:00 - 09:30            Registration

***General Rapporteurs:** Mr. Mageru Haile (Ethiopia) and Mr. Abdou Nassur Madi (Comoros)*

**Session I:**            Opening

*Master of Ceremony: Makane Faye, Senior Regional Adviser, ISTD/ECA*

09:30 - 10:00

- Opening remarks by ECA Representative
- Remarks by Representative from ITU Regional Office for Africa
- Remarks by Ms. Susan Teltscher, Chief, ICT Policy and Analysis Unit, UNCTAD
- Workshop objectives, Afework Temtime, Information Officer, ISTD/ECA

**Session II:**            Setting the scene

*Chair: Mr. Jean-Marie Noah (Cameroon)*

*Rapportuers: Mr. Ebrima Jobe (Gambia), Mr. Nsika Dlamini (Swaziland), Ms. Hilda Mutseyekwa (Zimbabwe)*

10:00 - 10:30

- The need for measuring the Information Society and establishing the case for IS/ICT4D indicators by Mr. Clement Dzidonou, Chair, African Technical Advisory Committee (ATAC) on the AISI

- Partnership on Measuring ICT for Development: Core ICT indicators, results and link to WSIS outcome, Mr. Mohamed Timoulali, Regional Adviser, ISTD/ECA
- Discussion

*10:30 - 10:45 Coffee break*

**Session III:** Global, regional, and national experiences

10:45 – 13:00

- ITU's work on ICT measurement, Ms. Vanessa Gray, Telecommunication Development Bureau, ITU
- UNCTAD's work on ICT measurement, Ms. Susan Teltscher, UNCTAD
- ESCWA's work on ICT measurement, Mr. Hesham Auda, ICT Applications Team Leader, ESCWA
- ECA's work on ICT measurement: The Scan-ICT process, Mr. Afework Temtime, ISTD/ECA
- African Research Network (ARN) programme on Information Society indicators: preliminary results, Mr. Farouk Kamoun, Tunisia
- Discussion

*13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break*

**Session IV:** ICT household statistics (country experiences)

*Chair: Mr. Farouk Kamoun (Tunisia)*

*Rapportuers: Ms. Ruth Davison Minja (Tanzania), Mr. Salihu Siyaka Itopa (Nigeria)*

14:30 – 16:00

- Partnership core list of indicators on access to and use of ICT by households and individuals by Ms. Vanessa Gray, ITU
- Country presentations by Mr E. Gatera (Rwanda), Ms. E. Hope Turkson (Ghana), Ms. I. Belabbes (Morocco), Mr E. Jobe (Gambia)

*16:00 – 16:30 Coffee Break*

16:30 – 17:30 ICT household statistics (country experiences) (continued)

- Discussion

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*Day 2: Thursday, 8 March 2007*

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**Session V:** ICT business indicators

*Chair: Prof. Clement Dzidonu (Ghana),*

*Rapportuers: Mr. Kipruto Samuel (Kenya), Mr. Themba Mohoto (South Africa)*

9:00 – 11:00

- Core indicators, definitions, model questions, by Ms. Muriel Guigue, Associate Expert, ICT Policy and Analysis Unit, UNCTAD
- Country presentations: Mr. Olivier Tchamago (Cameroon), Ms. Ikrame Belabbes (Morocco)
  
- Discussion

*11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break*

11:30 – 13:00 ICT sector and ICT trade

- Core indicators, definitions, model questions, by Ms. Muriel Guigue, Associate Expert, ICT Policy and Analysis Unit, UNCTAD
- Country presentations: M. Anirood Bundhoo (Mauritius), Ms Fatou Darboe (Gambia)
  
- Discussion

*13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break*

**Session VI:** Partnership for Measuring ICT4D: Task Group on e-Government indicators

*Chair: Mr. Moctar Diarra (Mali)*

*Rapportuers: Mr. Emmanuel Gatera (Rwanda), Mr. Mohamed Amine Jallouli (Tunsia)*

14:30 – 15:45

- Developing e-government indicators, by Mr. Galal Nadim, IT Project Manager, Ministry of State for Administrative Development (Egypt)
- Terms of Reference of the Task Group & Preliminary compilation of e-Government indicators, by Mr. Makane Faye, ISTD/ECA
  
- Discussion

*15:45 – 16:00 Coffee Break*

- 16:00 – 17:00            - Mechanisms for integrating ICT measurement into national statistical systems, Mr. Bakary Dosso, African Centre for Statistics (ACS)/ECA  
- Discussion

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***Day 3: Friday, 9 March 2007***

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**Session VII:**            The way forward

*Chair: Ms. Susan Teltscher, UNCTAD*

*Rapporteurs: Mr. Motsamai Mochebelele (Lesotho), and Mr. Cirilo Tembe (Mozambique)*

- 9:00 – 10:00            - Harmonization of ICT measurement activities in the SADC countries, Mr. Mohamed Timoulali, ISTD/ECA  
  
- Discussion

- 10:00 – 11:30           - Roundtable discussion on capacity building needs and technical assistance

*Chair: Ms. Vanessa Gray, ITU*

- 11:30 – 12:30           - Conclusions and recommendations  
  
- Closing