

Jan. 17, 2007

8:30 – 9:00	Registration – Tea and Coffee
Opening	
9:00 – 9:15	<p><u>Welcome and outline of the day</u></p> <p>Chairperson – Dr. Mandla Gantsho, VP Infrastructure, African Development Bank</p> <p>Co-Chairperson – Dr. Michael Hofmann, Director General, German Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development</p>
9:15 – 9:30	<p><u>Opening Statements:</u></p> <p>Host Government: Dr. Michael Hofmann, Director General, BMZ African Union Commission: Dr. Bernard Zoba, AU Commission</p>
Session 1 – Outcomes	
9:30 – 10:00	<p>Key Outcomes arising from ICA's 2006 work plan: ICA Secretariat - Project prioritisation: African Development Bank</p>
10:00 – 10:15	<p>Outcomes of meeting on “Financing Electricity for Growth”: ICA Sec.</p>
10:15 – 10:30	<p>Joint update on AICD and MLTSF: World Bank / AfDB</p>
10:30 – 11:00	Tea and Coffee
Session 2 – Scaling up	
11:00 – 11:15	<p>Draft ICA 2006 Annual Report: ICA Secretariat</p>
11:15 – 12:00	<p>Are ICA efforts sufficient to meet the demands of African infrastructure?</p> <p><u>Presentations</u> (10 min each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - European Union - World Bank - African Development Bank - ICA Secretariat: overview of bilateral responses to annual report questions
12:00 – 12:45	<p><u>Discussion</u></p>

12:45 – 14:00	Lunch
Session 3 – Chinese support to African infrastructure	
14:00 – 15:00	<p><u>Presentation</u> - China</p> <p><u>Discussion</u> - How do we work closer together?</p>
Session 4 – cross-cutting issues	
15:00 – 15:30	<p><u>Presentation</u> - Project ownership at the country-level: ICA Secretariat</p> <p><u>Discussion</u> - How can country ownership of projects be improved?</p>
15:30 – 16:00	<p><u>Presentation</u> - Disbursement rates: ICA Secretariat</p> <p><u>Discussion</u> - Increasing disbursement rates</p>
16:00 – 16:15	Tea and coffee
Session 5 - Capacity Building for RECs	
16:15 – 17:00	<p>Moderator: Bruno Wenn, KfW</p> <p><u>Opening remarks:</u> Dr. Michael Hofmann, BMZ</p> <p><u>Presentations</u> - Coordination mechanism: RECs roles and responsibilities: Dr. B. Zoba, AU - RECs as facilitators in infrastructure investment in the areas of planning, structuring of projects and monitoring: Mark Tomlinson, World Bank</p> <p><u>Discussion</u> - Way forward</p>
17:00 – 18:15	
18:20	Trip to the Reichstag building
19:00	Guided tour of Reichstag followed by independent sightseeing of the cupola
20:00	Departure to the Grand Hyatt Berlin
20:30 onwards	Reception hosted by the Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development

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8:45 – 9:00	<p>Welcome and outline of the day</p> <p>Chairperson – Michel Wormser – Senior Director, Sustainable Development, WB Co-Chairperson – Bruno Wenn, Senior VP, Sub-Saharan Africa, KfW</p>
Session 1 – Road transport development in Africa	
<p>09:00 – 10:15</p> <p>10:15 – 10:45</p> <p>10:45 – 11:45</p>	<p>Moderator: Antonio Garcia Fragio, Head of Infrastructure Policy, EC</p> <p><u>Presentations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How does transport need to respond to regional demands and trade in Africa? Hachim Koumaré, Chairman, SSATP Board - Road Upgrading and Trade Expansion: Uwe Deichmann, World Bank - Prioritised transport projects: AfDB <p><u>Panel Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Closing the Missing Links – Corridor Approach - What is the way forward? <p><u>Panelists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Mandla Gantsho, Vice President, Infrastructure, AfDB - Bruno Wenn, Senior VP, Sub-Saharan Africa, KfW - Dr. Bernard Zoba, Infrastructure Commissioner, AU - S. Rajasingham, Africa Transport Sector Manager, WB - Godwin Punungwe, NEPAD Secretariat - Naofumi Hashimoto, Director, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan <p><u>Discussion</u></p>
11:30 – 11:45	Tea and coffee
Session 2 – PPP packaging and engaging with the private sector	
<p>11:45 – 12:00</p> <p>12:00 – 12:45</p>	<p><u>Presentation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PPP: which way forward? <p><u>Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not enough PPPs are being done. What are the obstacles to doing more? - The ICA needs more systematic engagement with the private sector – how do we do this?
13:00 – 14:00	<p>Lunch (for all participants)</p> <p>Press briefing (by invitation only)</p>

Session 3 - Adoption of ICA work plan 2007	
14:00– 14:30	<p><u>Presentations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Draft work plan 2007 and budget of ICA Secretariat - Draft Operational Procedures for ICA governance <p><u>Discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reaction / addition to draft work plan - Date and venue of Next ICA Senior Level Meeting
14:30 – 14:45	AOB