

Ninth Government of Rwanda & Development Partners Meeting

Chaired by the Honourable Minister of Finance and Economic Planning

4th - 5th November 2010, Kigali Serena – Rwanda

Theme: "Effective Aid to leverage Private Investments and meet the Millennium Development Goals"

Provisional Agenda

1400–1900	PRE-REGISTRATION – WEDNESDAY 3 RD NOVEMBER 2010 KIGALI-SERENA	
DAY 1 – THU	RSDAY, 4 TH NOVEMBER 2010	CO-CHAIR
0700-0830	REGISTRATION	
0900-1000	OPENING SESSION	MC
	 Welcome remarks – Hon. Minister of Finance and Economic Planning (MINECOFIN), Mr. John RWANGOMBWA Opening Statement on behalf of Development Partners – UN Resident Coordinator, Mr. Aurélien AGBENONCI Opening Statement – Co-Chair of the Working Party on Aid Effectiveness, Mr. Koos RICHELLE Opening Statement – World Bank Vice President for the Africa Region, Ms. Obiageli EZEKWESILI Keynote Speech by the GUEST OF HONOUR 	
1000-1100	Coffee / Tea Break	
1100-1200	 SESSION 1: 2009/10 PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW Rwanda's Economic performance – Director General National Development Planning and Research/ MINECOFIN, Mr. Leonard RUGWABIZA Panel Session and Discussions Proposed Panel: IMF, Governor of National Bank of Rwanda, Chairman of PSF 	International Monetary Fund
1200-1300	LUNCH BREAK	
1300-1500	Session 2: Progress Towards Aid Effectiveness to attain MDGs ■ Setting the context for enhancing quality and effectiveness of aid −Permanent Secretary and Secretary to the Treasury/ MINECOFIN, Ms. Kampeta SAYINZOGA ■ Remarks on Aid Effectiveness − Co-Chair of the Working Party on Aid Effectiveness, Mr. Koos RICHELLE KEY CHALLENGE 1: USE OF COUNTRY SYSTEMS: Director General of National Budget/MINECOFIN, Mr. Elias BAINGANA Panel Session and Discussions ■ Proposed panel: Hon. Minister of Agriculture and Animal Resources, Canada (TBC)	OECD-DAC Co-Chair of WP-EFF
1500-1530	 Doing Business Report Launch Presentation by Rwanda Development Board (RDB) 	WB
1530-1600	Coffee / Tea Break	
1600-1730	SESSION 2: CONTINUED KEY CHALLENGE 2: MID-TERM PREDICTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY: Permanent Secretary/Ministry of Health, Dr. Agnes BINAGWAHO Panel Session and Discussions • Proposed panel: Parliament - Budget Committee Chairperson, DfID, Belgium	OECD-DAC Co-Chair of WP-EFF
1800 – 2030	Evening Reception hosted by the Hon. Minister of Finance and Economic Planning	

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DAY 2 – FRID	AY, 5 TH NOVEMBER 2010	CO-CHAIR
0830-1030	 Session 3: AID FOR PRIVATE SECTOR? Aid to private sector and its role on African Development- AfDB Vice-President, Mr. Bobby J. PITTMAN JR. Removing bottlenecks to Private Sector- CEO of Rwanda Development Board, Mr. John GARA Innovative financing for private sector development- Permanent Secretary / Ministry of Trade and Industry, Mr. Emmanuel HATEGEKA Panel Session and Discussions Proposed panel: MIGA, BRD, PSF 	AfDB
1030-1100	Coffee / Tea Break	
1100-1200	Session 4: Presentation on Governance – Progress and Challenges • Presentation by Minister for Local Government, Mr. James MUSONI	WB
1200 - 1400	 Lunch <u>Side Event</u>: Roundtable for Kivu Belt Project (By Invitation Only) 	AfDB
1400 – 1500	SESSION 5: STATEMENTS (Short formal commitments by Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation on behalf of GoR, and those Development Partners wishing to make them)	United Nations Resident Coordinator
1500 – 1530	Coffee / Tea Break	
1530 – 1730	 ADOPTION OF FINAL COMMUNIQUÉ AND CLOSING SESSION Adoption of the final communiqué for the Ninth Government of Rwanda and Development Partners Meeting Remarks from the Vice-President of African Development Bank, Mr. Bobby J. PITTMAN JR. Concluding Remarks by the Hon. Minister of Finance and Economic Planning, Mr. John RWANGOMBWA Closing Remarks on behalf of Development Partners by the UN Resident Coordinator, Mr. Aurélien AGBENONCI Closing Address by the GUEST OF HONOUR 	MC
1800 – 2000	Evening Reception hosted by the United Nations Resident Coordinator	



Saturday, 6th November 2010, Kigali Serena – Rwanda

Optional Field Trips

SATURDAY, 6 th NOVEMBER 2010			
1400 – 1800	KIGALI TOUR		
	Departure from Kigali Serena – Including visits to sites of development interest		
SUNDAY, 7 th NOVEMBER 2010			
All Day	MOUNTAIN GORILLA TREKKING		
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