



Draft Agenda

“Mutual Review of Development Effectiveness”: 2008 Report

Validation Meeting:

17-18 October 2008 Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Friday 17 October

Venue: UNECA Conference Centre

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| 8:30 – 9:00 | Arrival |
| 9:00 – 9:15 | Brief welcome by Okey Onyejekwe, David Batt |
| 9:15 – 9:45 | Presentation of “Commit4Africa”
An advance presentation of a new web-based database for monitoring commitments – undertaken by both African countries and their development partners – to Africa’s development |

DISCUSSION OF MRDE REPORT SECTIONS:

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| 9:45 – 12:30 | SECTION I: SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH
9:45- 10:15 Agriculture
10:15 – 10:45 Trade and diversification

<i>10:45 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK</i>

11:00 – 11:30 Infrastructure
11:30 – 12:00 Private sector
12:00 – 12:30 Climate change and environmental sustainability |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | LUNCH |
| 14:00 – 15:30 | SECTION II: HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
14:00 – 14:30 Education
14:30 – 15:00 Health
15:00 – 15:30 Gender

<i>15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK</i> |
| 16:00 – 18:00 | SECTION III: GOVERNANCE AND CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT
16:00 – 16:30 Political governance
16:30 – 17:00 Economic governance
17:00 – 17:30 Peace and security
17:30 – 18:00 Capacity development and utilisation |

Saturday 18 October

Venue: Hilton Hotel, Awash meeting room

9:00 – 11:00

SECTION IV: FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT

- 9:00 – 9:30 Domestic revenue
- 9:30 – 10:00 Aid volume and effectiveness
- 10:00 – 10:30 Debt
- 10:30 – 11:00 Other financial flows

11:00 – 12:00

CONCLUSIONS AND NEXT STEPS