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PARTNERSHIPS AND COOPERATION UNIT (ORRU)

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AfDB PARTNERSHIPS FORUM 2010

Hosted by: The African Development Bank

Date: 24-25 March 2010

Venue: Hotel Ramada Plaza-Gammarth

Objectives

1. Update the cooperation partners on the Bank's key achievements and priorities for 2010-2012.
2. Discuss the draft of the Partnerships and Cooperation Strategy 2010-2012.
3. Discuss the recent progress and results, resources gaps related to Trust Funds and Co-financing and cooperation opportunities in 2010-12.
4. Enhance the dialogue with the partners and deepen the overall partnerships and cooperation.

Wednesday, 24 March 2010

08.00-08.30 Registration

Opening

08.30-08.45 **Opening Remarks**
by Dr. Nkosana Moyo, Chief Operating Officer

Session I: Progress on the Medium-Term Strategy and Partnerships since the 1st AfDB Partnerships Forum Held in March 2009

Chair: Dr. Aloysius U. Ordu, Vice-President, Country, Regional Programs and Policy (ORVP)

08.45-09.30 **Medium-Term Strategy: Progress and Challenges**
Presentation: Mr. Zondo Sakala, Director - Strategy and Budget Department (COBS) and Mr. Steve Kayizzi-Mugerwa, Director- Operational Resources and Policies Department (ORPC)

- Medium-Term Strategy – achievements and policy/operational responses to Food Crisis, Financial Crisis and Climate Change
- Discussion

- 09.30-10.15 **Draft - Partnerships and Cooperation Strategy (2010-2012)**
Presentation: Ms. Kazumi Larhed, Head, Partnerships and Cooperation Unit (ORRU)
- Discussion

10.15-10.30 **Coffee Break**

Session II: Regional Integration and Trade - Cooperation Opportunities

Chair: Mr. Bobby Pittman, Vice-President, Infrastructure, Private Sector and Regional Integration (OIVP) (TBC)

- 10.30-11.30 **Regional Integration, Regional Operations and Aid for Trade**
- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Regional Integration Strategies
 - ✓ Regional Integration Trust Fund – *new trust fund proposal*
- Presentation: Ms. Moono Mupotola, Manager, Regional Integration and Trade Division, NEPAD, Regional Integration and Trade Department (ONRI)
- ✓ NEPAD – Infrastructure Project Preparation Facility (NEPAD-IPPF)
 - ✓ Key Regional Projects Ready for Co-financing
- Presentation: Mr. Bamory Traore, Lead Specialist, NEPAD-IPPF
- Discussion

Session III: Infrastructure, Water and Sanitation - Cooperation Opportunities

Chair: Mr. Gilbert Mbeshherubusa, Director, Infrastructure Department (OIBF)

- 11.30-12.15 **Infrastructure Development**
- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Key Projects Ready for Co-financing
- Presentation: Mr. Valentin Zongo, Chief Infrastructure Financial Analyst, Infrastructure Department (OINF)
- Discussion
- 12.15-13.00 **Water and Sanitation**
- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Initiative (RWSSI)
 - ✓ African Water Facility (AWF)
 - ✓ Water Partnership Program (WPP)
- Presentation: Mr. Sering Jallow, Acting Director, Water and Sanitation Department (OWAS)
- Discussion
- 13.00-14.30 **Lunch Presentation – Burundi Report and Action Plan**
- Presentation: Mr. Christian Lim, Private Sector Development Specialist, Governance, Economic and Financial Reforms Department (OSGE)
- Venue: Restaurant La Cascade- Hotel Ramada Plaza

Session IV: Agriculture, Climate Change, Gender and Social Protection - Cooperation Opportunities

Chair: Dr. Tshinko Ilunga, Acting Director, Human Development Department (OSHD)

- 14.30-15.15 **Agriculture and Agro-Business**
- New Strategy, Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Key Projects Ready for Co-financing
- Presentation: Mr. Aly Abou-Sabaa, Director, Agriculture and Agro Industry Department (OSAN)
- Discussion
- 15.15-16.00 **Climate Change:**
- New Strategy, Action Plan for 2010-14, Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ CLIMDEV Fund
- Presentation: Mr. Anthony Okon Nyong, Head, Gender, Climate Change and Sustainable Development Unit (OSUS)
- Discussion
- 16.00-16.15 **Coffee Break**
- 16.15-16.45 **Gender:**
- Action Plan for 2009-12, Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
- Presentation: Ms. Zeneb Toure, Senior Gender Specialist, Gender, Climate Change and Sustainable Development Unit (OSUS)
- Discussion
- 16.45-17.15 **Social Protection:**
- Approach Paper, Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
- Presentation: Ms. Sunita Pitamber, Manager, Poverty Reduction and Social Protection Division, Human Development Department (OSHD)
- Discussion
- 17.15-17.30 **Wrap-up**
- 18.00-20.00 **Reception**
- Venue: Le Bistrot- Hotel Ramada Plaza

Thursday, 25 March 2010

- 08.30-08.45 **Recap of Day 1**
- Ms. Sylvie Anne Condé, Lead Specialist, Partnerships and Cooperation Unit (ORRU)

Session V: Private Sector Development - Cooperation Opportunities

Chair: Mr. Tim Turner, Director, Private Sector Department (OPSM)

- 08.45-10.15 **Private Sector Development Strategy and Cooperation Opportunities**
- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Fund for African Private Sector Assistance (FAPA)
 - ✓ Microfinance Trust Fund
 - ✓ Migration and Development Trust Fund
 - ✓ African Guarantee Facility
 - ✓ Sustainable Energy Fund for Africa
 - ✓ Africa Financing Partnership (AFP)

- Presentation: Mr. Tim Turner, Director, Private Sector Department (OPSM)
- Discussion

10.15-10.30 **Coffee Break**

Session VI: Governance and Fragile States - Cooperation Opportunities

Chair: Mr. Gabriel Negatu, Director, Governance, Economic and Financial Reforms Department (OSGE)

10.30-11.15 **Governance**

- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Governance Trust Fund – 2nd Phase
Presentation: Mr. Carlos Santiso, Manager, Governance Division, Governance, Economic and Financial Reforms Department (OSGE)
 - ✓ Making Finance Work for Africa (MFW4A)
Presentation: Mr. Stefan Nalletanby, Partnership Coordinator, MFW4A Secretariat
- Discussion

11.15-11.45 **Fragile States**

- Major Thrusts and Resource Gaps
 - ✓ Fragile States Facility
Presentation: Ms. Margaret Kilo, Head, Fragile States Unit (OSFU)
- Discussion

Session VII: Emerging Needs for New Funds and the Strategic Alignment

Chair: Ms. Kazumi Larhed, Head, Partnerships and Cooperation Unit (ORRU)

11.45-13.00 **Knowledge Management Trust Fund**

Presentation: Dr. Leonce Ndikumana, Director, Development Research Department (EDRE)

Higher Education, Science and Technology Trust Fund

Presentation: Mr. Baboucarr Sarr, Lead Education Specialist, Human Development Department (OSHD)

South-South Cooperation Trust Fund

Presentation: Ms. Sylvie Anne Conde, Lead Cooperation Officer, Partnerships and Cooperation Unit (ORRU)

- Discussion

13.00-14.00 **Lunch**

Venue: Restaurant La Cascade- Hotel Ramada Plaza

Session VIII: The Way Forward

Chair: Dr. Aloysius U. Ordu, Vice-President, Country, Regional Programs and Policy

14.00-15.45 Discussions on Future Cooperation

15.45-16.00 Conclusions and the Way Forward
Closing Remarks by Vice-President