

## **Coalition for Dialogue on Africa (CoDA)**

Tunis, Tunisia  
28-29 November 2009

### ***Programme of Work***

#### **Saturday, 28 November**

0830 - 0900	<b>Registration</b>
09:00 – 09:30	<b>Opening of CoDA “<i>Multi-stakeholder Dialogue on Africa’s Response to the Global Financial Crisis</i>”</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Welcome remarks by Prof. Abdoulaye Bathily, Convener</i></li><li>▪ <i>Statement by Mr. Donald Kaberuka, President of the African Development Bank</i></li><li>▪ <i>Statement by Mr. Jean Ping, Chairperson of the African Union Commission</i></li><li>▪ <i>Statement by Mr. Abdoulie Jannet, United Nations Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa</i></li><li>▪ <i>Opening by H.E. Mr. Festus Mogae, Former President of Botswana, Chairperson, CoDA</i></li></ul>
0930-0945	<b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>
09:45 – 10:05	Overview Presentation 1: “ <b><i>The Global Financial Crisis: Alternative African Responses</i></b> ”
10:05 – 10:15	Discussant’s Comments
10:15 – 11:00	Plenary Discussion
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee/Tea Break
11:15 – 11:35	Overview Presentation 2: “ <b><i>The Financial Crisis and Africa: Consequences and Opportunities for Social Development</i></b> ”

11:35 – 11:45	Discussant's Comments
11:45 – 12:45	Plenary Discussion
12:45 - 13:00	Press Conference
13:00- 14:30	<i>Lunch</i>
14:30-17:00	Plenary Discussion
17:00-18:00	Break
18:00-19:00	<i>Cocktail Reception.</i>
19:00	The CoDA Chairman will present a statement on consensus and recommendations of the meeting and close dialogue forum

### **Sunday, 29 November**

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of the CoDA Advisory Board**

09:00 – 13:00 hours	Board Meeting
13:00 – 14:30 hours	<i>Lunch</i>
14:30 – 16:00 hours	Board Meeting
16:00 – 16:15 hours	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>
16:15 – 18.00 hours	Board meeting concludes
18:00- 19:00 hours	CoDA Regional Integration Group Discussions
19:00 – 21:00 hours	<i>Dinner</i>