

AFRICAN FORUM PROGRAMME

7 June 2011, Le Méridien President Hotel Dakar (Senegal)

9:00 – OPENING

- Introduction : **Ibrahima Nour Eddine DIAGNE**, AAEC President, GAINDE 2000 Managing Director (**Senegal**)
- Address - **ATPC Representative**
- Opening speech: **Mouhamadou Makhtar CISSE**, Director General of Customs (**Senegal**)

9:30 – Coffee Break

SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION OF THE AFRICAN ALLIANCE ON E-COMMERCE

Chairperson: **UNECA/ATPC Representative**

- 10 :00** Introduction: **Amadou Mbaye DIOP**, AAEC Secretary
10: 15 Presentation of AAEC Members (Cameroon, Cote d'Ivoire, Gabon, Ghana, Libya, Madagascar, Morocco, Republic of Congo, Togo, Senegal)

SESSION 2 : CHALLENGES OF SW IMPLEMENTATION

Chairperson : **Isidore BIYIHA**, AAEC Deputy Chair (**Cameroun**)

- 11:15** **Luca G. CASTELLANI** (UNCITRAL)
Stephen KARENGI (UNECA)
Chandra Bogar Samuel SWAMIADIAN (PAA)

Open Discussions

13:00 Lunch Break

SESSION 3 : ALLIANCE AGENDA TO PROMOTE SINGLE WINDOWS IN AFRICA

Chairperson : **Stephen KARENGI** - UNECA

- 14:30** Initiatives of the Projects Commission
Initiatives of the Standards and Technologies Commission
Initiatives of the Organisation and Promotion Commission

15:00 Open discussions

15:30 Coffe Break

SESSION 4 : RECOMMENDATIONS AND WAY FORWARD

Chairperson : **Ibrahima Nour Eddine DIAGNE**, AAEC President, Managing Director – GAINDE 2000

- 16:30** Admission of new members
Partnership with organisations and international institutions
17:00 Pilot projects

17 :30 : CLOSING

Closing notes : - **UNECA** official