



## 6TH AFRICA WORKING GROUP MEETING ON DISASTER RISK REDUCTION [CORE]

• EAC SECRETARIAT • ARUSHA (UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA) • 1 – 2 OCTOBER 2014 •

### DRAFT PROGRAMME

Wednesday: 1 October 2014		
08:30	09:00	Registration
09:00	10:00	Welcome Remarks and Objectives of the Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair: African Union Commission</li> <li>• Vice-Chair: East African Community</li> <li>• Secretariat: UNISDR</li> </ul>
10:00	10:15	Self-Introduction of Participants
10:15	10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the Agenda</li> <li>• Identification of Rapporteurs</li> </ul>
10:30	10:50	Tea / Coffee Break
10:50	11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update on the progress of the implementation of agreed action points from the last AWG meeting (March 2014): AUC</li> <li>• Presentations on DRR Progress: <i>Representatives of Regional Economic Communities</i></li> </ul> Discussion
11:45	12:15	Update: EC-ACP Programme: <i>'Building Disaster Resilience to Natural Hazards in Sub-Saharan African Regions, Countries and Communities'</i> Presentation: <i>European Union</i> Discussion
12:15	13:00	Breakout Group Discussion: Working modalities for implementing EC-ACP Programme - Focus on harmonisation at regional (Result 1) and sub-regional/REC (Result 2) level
13:00	14:00	Lunch
14:00	14:45	Breakout Group Discussion Contd.
14:45	15:30	Presentations from groups Discussion
15:30	16:00	Tea / Coffee Break

16:00	17:30	Update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specialised Technical Committees in relation to Disaster Risk Reduction</li> <li>• Preparation for submission of Africa's Contribution to the Post-2015 Framework for DRR at 24<sup>th</sup> Summit of the African Union for Endorsement</li> </ul> <i>African Union Commission</i> Discussion
17:30	17:40	Close of Day 1 and Introduction to Sessions on Day 2
<b>Thursday: 2 October 2014</b>		
09:00	09:15	Summary of Discussions from Day 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Rapporteurs</i></li> </ul>
09:15	10:30	Update: Outcome of the 1 <sup>st</sup> Inter-Governmental Preparatory Committee Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Summary of meetings with AU Permanent Mission and Delegates: AUC</i></li> <li>• <i>Synopsis of Statements by AUC and African delegates - EAC</i></li> <li>• <i>Pre-Zero Draft on Post-2015 DRR Framework - UNISDR</i></li> </ul> Discussion
10:30	11:00	<i>Tea / Coffee Break</i>
11:00	12:30	Update: 3 <sup>rd</sup> UN World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction and Africa's participation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>UNISDR</i></li> </ul> Discussion
12:30	13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30	15:15	Special Session: A Proposal for Monitoring Progress of Post-2015 DRR Framework <i>UNISDR</i>
15:15	15:45	<i>Tea / Coffee Break</i>
15:45	16:45	Special Session Contd.
16:45	17:00	Hosting of next Africa Working Group meeting
17:00	17:15	Concluding Remarks and Adjournment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>UNISDR</i></li> <li>• <i>East African Community</i></li> <li>• <i>African Union Commission</i></li> </ul>