

## 24 February 2014

## DRAFT PROGRAMME

**High Level Expert Group Meeting** 

"Towards the Post 2015 Development Agenda and the African Union Agenda 2063- Enhancing the management of Africa's Extractive industries to promote sustainable and inclusive industrial development, structural economic transformation and inclusive and resilient economic growth"

> 24 February, 2015 UN Headquarters (Conference Room 6)

Time	Agenda Item				
Session One: Opening Session					
10:00-11:00 am	<ul> <li>Welcome Remarks: Mr. Maged Abdelaziz Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA)(5min)</li> <li>Introductory remarks: His Excellency, Mr. Sam Kahamba Kutesa, President of the United Nations General Assembly (5 min) (tbc)</li> <li>Opening Remarks: Her Excellency, Ms. Fatima Haram Acyl, African Union Commissioner for Trade and Industry (5 min)</li> <li>Opening Remarks: His Excellency, Mr. Antonio Gumende Permanent Representative of the Republic of Mozambique to the United Nations and Chair of the African Group for the month of February (5 min)</li> </ul>	Chair: Mr. Maged Abdelaziz, Under- Secretary-General and Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA)			

	Opening Remarks: <b>His Excellency, Dr. Ibrahim Assane</b> <b>Mayaki</b> , <i>CEO</i> , <i>NEPAD Agency</i> (5 min)			
	Opening Remarks: Mr. Said Djinnit, Special Envoy for Great Lakes region (5 min)			
	Opening Remarks: <b>Ms. Fatima Denton</b> , Director of the Special Initiative Division, Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) (5 min)			
	Keynote Speaker: Sir Paul Collier, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford (10 min)			
	Session Two: African Social and Economic Transformation through Inclusive and Sustainable Industrial Development			
	• <u>Presentation of Issue paper by Mr. Paul Maseli</u> , Director and UNIDO Representative: <u>on "African socio and economic</u> <u>transformation through inclusive and sustainable industrial</u> <u>development</u> (10 min)			
11:00 – 11:40 am	Discussants:			
	• Mr. John W. McArthur, Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development Programme, Brookings Institution, on "progress in Africa to <u>develop industrial policies to harness the</u> <u>full potential of natural resource endowments</u> (10 min)	Moderator: H. E. Ambassador Charles Thembani		
	• Ms. Maureen Jangulo Dlamini, CEO, Zambia Chamber of Mines on "how the private sector (domestic and FDI) can <u>boost</u> <u>mining revenue/taxation receipts</u> whilst plugging financial leakages in the extractive sector in Africa"(10 min)	<b>Ntwaagae</b> , Permanent Representative of Botswana to the United Nations		
	• Dr. Elias Ayuk, Director, United Nations University Institute for Natural Resources in Africa (UNU-INRA): on "how the post 2015 development agenda can <u>facilitate technology transfer</u> which is critical for Africa's industrialization" (10 min).			
<b>11:40 -1:00 pm</b> (1 hr 20 min )	Q&A and Interactive Discussion on Opening Session and presentations made in Session Two			
	Lunch Break			
Session Three:				

Implementing the African Mining Vision in the context of Africa's development aspirations: between challenges and opportunities				
3:00 - 3:50 pm	<ul> <li>Presentation of Issues Paper by Mr. Kojo Busia, Senior Mineral Sector Governance Advisor (ECA, AMDC): on "main achievements in the implementation of the Africa Mining Vision and what critical lessons can be applied to other extractive sectors in Africa?" (10 min)</li> <li>Discussants:</li> <li>Ms. Sheila Khama, Director, African Natural Resources Centre (AfDB, AMDC): on "how implementing partners can best support the AUC in accelerating the implementation of the AMV?" (10 min)</li> <li>Mr. Frank Dixon Mugyenyi, Focal Point for the African Mining Vision and a Senior Industry Adviser to the Commissioner of the Department of Trade and Industry (AUC, AMDC): on "what have been the main challenges in implementing and domesticating the AMV- case for AUC institutional/capacity building?"(10 min)</li> <li>Mr. Veston Malango, CEO, Namibian Chamber of Mines: on "how can the private sector (domestic and FDI) contribute towards harnessing the full potential of natural resource endowments and contribute to inclusive economic growth in Africa" (10 min)</li> <li>Professor Leonce Ndikumana, University of Massachusetts- Amherst: on "how can the private sector (domestic and FDI) contribute towards harnessing the full potential of natural resource endowments and contribute to inclusive economic growth in Africa (10 min)</li> </ul>	Moderator: <b>H. E. Ambassador</b> <b>Marjon Kamara</b> , <i>Permanent</i> <i>Representative of</i> <i>the Republic of</i> <i>Liberia to the</i> <i>United Nations</i>		
<b>3:50 –5:20 pm</b> (1hr 30 min)	Q&A and Interactive Discussion on presentations made in Session Three			
Session Four: Concluding remarks by the panellists on the two thematic debates				
5:20-5:40 pm	<ul> <li>Her Excellency Ms. Fatima Haram Acyl, AUC (3-5 min)</li> <li>His Excellency Mr. Ibrahim Mayaki, NEPAD Agency (3-5 min)</li> <li>Mr. Paul Maseli, UNIDO (3-5 min)</li> <li>Ms. Sheila Khama, AfDB (3-5 min)</li> <li>Mr. Maged Abdelaziz, OSAA (3-5 min)</li> </ul>			