



Draft Programme - International Webinar

“Social protection’s role in enhancing food security and nutrition for greater resilience in Africa”

Wednesday, 18 May 2022

9:00 am – 10:30 am (New York time)

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| 9:00 - 9:15 | Opening Segment (Moderator TBD) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcoming Remarks, Ms. Cristina Duarte, USG and Special Adviser on Africa (5 min)• Opening Remarks, Mr. David Beasley, Executive Director, World Food Programme (5 min) (TBC)• Opening Remarks, Mr. Guy Ryder, Director-General, International Labour Organization (5 min) (TBC) |
| 9:15 - 9:25 | Remarks by ILO and WFP officials working in Africa who will contextualize the discussion and the work each organization does to promote nutrition sensitive social protection across the continent |
| 9:15 - 9:40 | Panel Discussion (Moderator TBD) |

- **H.E. Ms. Nivine El-Qabbage**, Minister of Social Solidarity, Egypt (5 min)
- **H.E. Mr. Ali Bety**, High Commissioner, Nigeriens Nourishing Nigeriens (3N) Initiative, Niger (5 min)
- **Dr. Jimi Adesina**, Professor of Sociology and South African Research Chair in Social Policy, College of Graduate Studies, University of South Africa (5 min)
- Employers' association representative (5 min) (TBC)
- Workers' association representative (5 min) (TBC)

9:40 - 10:20

Interactive Discussion (Moderator TBD)

10:20 - 10:25

Call to action for nutrition sensitive social protection towards the achievement of related SDG goals by 2030

10:25 - 10:30

Wrap-up by Moderator and **Closing Remarks** by **H.E. Amb. Fatima Kyari Mohammed**, Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations