



# DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS' ROUNDTABLE ON IGAD REGIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE

23 – 25 November 2021, Crowne Plaza, Nairobi - Kenya

Theme:

*Interconnecting Member States for Regional Integration and Trade Competitiveness*

## PROGRAM OF WORK & AGENDA

MONDAY 22 <sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER, 2021		
Time	Session	Facilitator
10:00-18:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arrival of Delegates</li> <li>Pre-conference registration of delegates at the venue</li> </ul>	Aicha Houssein
DAY ONE: TUESDAY 23 <sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER, 2021		
08:00-09:00	Registration of delegates continues at the venue (Refreshment)	Aicha Houssein
09:00-11:00	<p><b>Official Opening Ceremony:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Welcome remarks by the IGAD Executive Secretary, H.E. Dr. Workneh Gebeyehu</li> <li>Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kenya, Hon. Raychelle Omamo</li> <li>Statement by the Chair of the IGAD Council of Ministers, Sudanese Minister Dr Maryam Al-Sadiq Al-Mahdi</li> <li>Statement by AfDB Representative, Mr. Hussein Iman – Manager, Infrastructure &amp; Private Sector</li> <li>Statement by the AU Commissioner of Infrastructure and Energy, Dr. Amani Abou-Zeid</li> <li>Opening remarks by the AU High Representative for Infrastructure Development in Africa, Rt. Hon. Raila Amollo Odinga</li> </ul>	<p>Brazille Musumba</p> <p><i>Rapporteur:</i> Christine Bukania</p>

11:00-13:00	<b>High Level Roundtable Discussions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Panelists:</b> AU High Representative, IGAD ES, AfDB/ICA, EU, UN-ECA, World Bank, Ministers</li> </ul>			(Moderator) <b>Rapporteur:</b> Brazille Musumba
13:00-13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communiqué and Press Conference</li> <li>• Photo Opportunity</li> </ul>			Brazille Musumba
13:30-14:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>			<b>IGAD</b>
14:30-15:30	<b>Plenary Presentations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to IRIMP projects - Dr Osman Babikir, IGAD Director Economic Cooperation and Regional Integration</li> <li>• Djibouti Port - [Insert name and title]</li> <li>• LAPSSET Corridor Development Authority (LCDA) - Mr. Maina Kiondo, Director General/CEO</li> </ul>			Brazille Musumba  <b>Rapporteur:</b> Zacharia Kingori
15:30- 16:30	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>			
	<b>Sector</b>	<b>Energy</b>	<b>Transport</b>	<b>Water</b>
	<b>Chair</b>	Sudan	Ethiopia	Djibouti
	<b>Presenter</b>	Energy generation, transmission and trade in the region  [Insert name and title] East African Power Pool	Berbera Port – interconnecting the region  [Insert name and title] Berbera Port	Transboundary water projects and potential <b>Eng. Abdulrazaq Ali, CEO, Africon Consulting Engineers</b>
	<b>Rapporteur</b>	Christine Bukania	Brazille Musumba	Zacharia Kingori
16:30-17:00	<b>Cocktail/Reception</b>			???
<b>END OF DAY 1</b>				

DAY TWO: WEDNESDAY 24 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2021				
Time	Session			Facilitator
09:00-10:30	<b>Plenary Presentations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up of day 1</li> <li>• “Passage across borders” – [Insert name and title], JICA</li> <li>• [Insert topic] - Edwin Ngonga, Centurion Group (ICT)</li> </ul>			Brazille Musumba <b>Rapporteur:</b> Christine Bukania
10:30-11:00	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>			<b>IGAD</b>
11:00-12:30	<b>Parallel Breakout Sessions:</b>			IGAD
	<b>Sector</b>	<b>Energy</b>	<b>Transport</b>	<b>ICT</b>
	<b>Chair</b>	South Sudan	Uganda	<b>Somalia</b>
	<b>Presenter</b>	Kenya Energy Sector and the Ethiopia-Kenya Interconnector  [Insert name and title] (Ministry of Energy – Kenya)	Rail Transport in Kenya  Mr Phillip Mainga, MD, Kenya Railway Corporation	Developing ICT Infrastructure – Kenya's Experience  [Insert name and title] (Ministry of ICT – Kenya)
	<b>Rapporteur</b>	<i>Brazille Musumba</i>	<i>Zacharia Kingori</i>	<i>Christine Bukania</i>
12:30-14:00	<b>Lunch Break</b>			<b>IGAD</b>
14:00-16:00	<b>Plenary session:</b> [Insert name and title], Trademark East Africa: State of Infrastructure and Trade Facilitation in the Region			Brazille Musumba
16:00-16.30	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b> Busines to Busines - B2B interations			<b>IGAD</b>
<b>END OF DAY 2</b>				

**DAY THREE: THURSDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2021**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Facilitator</b>
<b>09:00-10:30</b>	<p><b>Plenary Presentations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up of day 2</li> <li>• PIDA PAP II and the Region – AUDA-NEPAD [Insert names and titles]</li> <li>• The Horn of Africa Initiative – [Insert name and title], HOAI Secretariat</li> </ul>	<p>Brazille Musumba</p> <p><b>Rapporteur:</b> Mubarak Mabuya</p>
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>	IGAD
<b>11:00-12:30</b>	<p><b>Plenary Presentations continue</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• [Insert name and title], Ethiopia Railway Corporation: The Ethiopia-Djibouti Railway and the Addis Ababa Commuter Rail</li> <li>• Mr. Ben Roberts, Liquid Intelligent Technologies: Connectivity and Trends in the IGAD Region</li> </ul>	<p>IGAD</p> <p><b>Rapporteur:</b> Brazille Musumba</p>
<b>12:30-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>	IGAD
<b>14:00-16:00</b>	<p><b>Final Plenary Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up of conference</li> <li>• Official closing ceremony</li> </ul>	IGAD Executive Secretary
<b>16:00-16.30</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>	IGAD
<b>16:30-18:00</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Networking (B2B)</li> <li>• Bilateral consultations (B2B)</li> </ul>	All

**END OF CONFERENCE**