



GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY
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GEF/R.7/Inf.05
September 12, 2017

Second Meeting for the Seventh Replenishment of the GEF Trust Fund
October 3-5, 2017
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

GEF-7 REPLENISHMENT: PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Tuesday, October 3, 2017

19:00 – 21:00

Official Opening Dinner

- Cultural Event and Dinner hosted by Ethiopia for all participants
- Venue TBC

Wednesday, October 4, 2017

- 08:30 – 09:00 ***Registration***
- 09:00 – 10:00 ***Opening Remarks***
- Speech by the Prime Minister of Ethiopia (TBC)
 - Opening Remarks by Mr. Axel van Trotsenburg, Vice President, Development Finance, World Bank and Ms. Naoko Ishii, CEO and Chairperson, GEF
- 10:00 – 12:30 ***Findings of the Sixth Overall Performance Study of the GEF (OPS6)***
- Introduction by the GEF Independent Evaluation Office
 - Plenary
- 12:30 – 13:30 ***Lunch***
- 13:30 – 13:45 ***Statement by Minister of Environment, Cote d'Ivoire***
- 13:45 – 15:45 ***Programming Directions***
- Introduction by GEF Secretariat
 - Plenary
- 15:45 – 16:00 ***Coffee break***
- 16:00 – 18:00 ***Issues around GEF-7 Implementation***
- Introduction and Q&A with a panel of Implementing Agencies
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Thursday, October 5, 2017

08:45 – 09:00

Introduction

- Ms. Naoko Ishii,
- Mr. Axel van Trotsenburg

09:00 – 10:30

Programming Directions (continued)

- Introduction by GEF Secretariat
- Plenary

10:30 – 12:30

Policy Agenda part 1: Resource Allocation and Differentiation

- Introduction by GEF Secretariat
- Plenary

12:30 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30 – 15:30

Policy Agenda part 2: Results, Partnership, Private Sector (NGI), Operational Efficiency and Transparency, Gender, and KM

- Introduction by GEF Secretariat
- Plenary

15:30 – 16:00

Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:30

GEF-7 Financial Structures

- Introduction by GEF Trustee
- Plenary

17:30 – 18:00

Co-Chairs' Summary & Closing of Replenishment Meeting

- Ms. Naoko Ishii
- Mr. Axel van Trotsenburg

18:00 – 21:00

Cocktail Reception

Friday, October 6, 2017

07:00 – 18:15

Field Trip