

**Joint World Bank-African Development Bank Consultation  
Climate Change Strategies for Africa**

**Hosted by the  
Government of Ethiopia  
in partnership with African Union,  
New Partnership for Africa's Development (NEPAD) and  
United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)**

**May 30-31, 2008  
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia**

**Draft Agenda**

**May 30, 2008**

Afternoon Participants arrive & early registration at Sheraton Addis (see page 2 for address)

**May 31, 2008**

0800 Registration at U.N. Economic Commission for Africa, Conference Room # 6 (see page 2 for address)

0845 Welcome remarks:

- Government of Ethiopia: H.E. Ato Adissu Legesse, Deputy Prime Minister
- African Union: *(to be confirmed)*
- COMESA: *(to be confirmed)*
- UNECA: Mr. Abdoulie Janneh, Executive Secretary/Mr. Josué Dioné, Director, Food Security and Sustainable Development *(to be confirmed)*
- African Development Bank: Lucy Fye, Resident Representative, Ethiopia Country Office, African Development Bank
- World Bank: Mr. Ken Ohashi, Country Director, Ethiopia and Sudan

0915 *Perspective on Adaptation to Climate Change in Ethiopia* by Mohammed Ali and Ababu Anage, Ethiopian Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

0930 *African Development Bank: Climate Change Strategy for Africa* - Presentations by Daniele Ponzi (Manager, Sustainable Development Division) and John Kanyarubona (Chief Infrastructure Specialist, Sector Policies Division)

1015 Questions and clarifications on African Development Bank presentation

1030 Coffee

- 1100      *Making Development Climate Resilient: A World Bank Strategy for Sub-Saharan Africa*  
– Presentation by Herbert Acquay, Program Coordinator, Environment and Natural Resources, Africa Region
- 1145      Questions and clarifications about strategies, scope, content and direction, followed by moderated discussion
- 1215      Overview of the afternoon session, including formation of break-out groups, country clusters, feedback format, and reporting to Plenary
- 1230      Lunch
- 1330      Participants form break-out groups, each group having representatives from 3-5 countries (depending on size of delegation) - see binder for country groupings (Participants to provide feedback on six questions, spending approximately 30 minutes per question)
- 1600      Coffee
- 1630      Break-out Groups present summary reports to Plenary (15 minutes per group)
- 1715      Plenary discussion
- 1800      Wrap up by World Bank and African Development Bank
- 1830      Consultation adjourns, followed by reception

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**Consultation Venue:**

UN Economic Commission for Africa  
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