

Tentative program for the
D-8 Business Forum, Abuja, 5-6 July, 2010

Day 1 (Monday 5th July, 2010)

Plenary

Chair Person: Dr. Sri Mulyani (World Bank)

TIME	ACTIVITIES
09:00-10:00	Registration
10:00-10:15	Welcome remarks: Minister of Commerce & Industry
10:15-10:30	Key Note address: Dr Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala, MD of the World Bank. Topic: “Enhancing Investment Cooperation among D-8 Member States”
10:30-10:45	Speech by the Chairman of the D-8 Chamber of Commerce and Industry
10:45-11:30	Topic: “ An Overview of Nigerian Investment Climate: Opportunities and Incentives” Presenter: ES (NIPC)
11:30-11:45	Question & Answer
11:45-12:00	Coffee Break
12:00-12:45	Topic: “Opportunities in Infrastructural Development through PPP” Nigerian Presenter: DG, ICRC
12:45-13:00	Presentation by member countries
13:00-13:40	Question and Answer session
13:40-14:30	Networking luncheon
14:30-15:00	Topic: “Investment Opportunities and Incentives in the SMEs sector of D-8 countries” Nigerian Presenter: DG, SMEDAN
15:00-15:30	Presenters from member countries:
15:30-16:00	Testimonial Presentation: Dangote Group
16:00-16:30	Question & Answers / Closing session

Day 2 (Tuesday 6th July, 2010)

Plenary

Chair Person: Dr. Ngozi Okonjo - Iweala (MD -World Bank)

Time	Activities
08:00-08:15	Presentation: Chairman /CEO: FIRS Topic: “ An Overview of Nigerian Tax Regimes”
08:15-08:45	Topic: “Internationally accepted standards in Non-Interest Banking” Nigerian Presenter: CBN Governor
08:45-09:15	Presentation from member countries: Dr Sri Mulyani, World MD Question & Answer
09:15-10:30	Topic: “Investment Opportunities in the Maritime and Aviation sector of D-8 countries” Nigerian Presenter: DG NCAA Nigerian Presenter: DG: NIMASA Presenters from member countries
10:30-11:00	Question & Answer
11:00-11:30	Wrap-up
11:30-12:00	Coffee break
12:00-13:00	Topic: “Investment Opportunities in Renewable Energy of D-8 countries” Nigerian Presenter: DG Energy Commission of Nigeria Presenter from Member countries
13:00-13:30	Question & Answer
13:30-14:00	Wrap-up
14:00-15:00	Networking luncheon
15:00-16:00	Topic: “Commercializing Agriculture in Developing countries” Nigerian Presenter: Executives Secretary, Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria (ARCN) Presentation from member countries
16:00-16:30	Question & Answer
16:30-17:00	Wrap-up
20:15-22:15	Closing Dinner by invitation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of documentary film on Investment Opportunities in the Kwara State Agriculture Sector by KWACCIMA

Tentative Program for the
Meeting of the D-8 Federated Chamber of Commerce

5th July, 2010

Time	Activities
08:00-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:15	Introduction of Chambers and their officials by the MC
09:15-9:30	Welcome address by the President of NACCIMA
09:30-9:45	Key Note address the President of Iran Chamber of Commerce , Industry and Mines –current chairman of the D-8 Chamber of Commerce and Industry)
09:45-10:15	Presentation of Nigeria’s Position Paper: by the DG, NACCIMA
10:15-11:15	Presentation of Country Position papers by D-8 Members countries
11:15-11:45	Question & Answer Session
11:45-12:30	Coffee Break
12:30-13:15	Review and Wrap-up
13:15-13:30	MC to present Resolutions of the Meeting which will be forwarded to the Council of Ministers
13:30-15:00	Networking luncheon <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of documentary film on Investment Opportunities in Lagos State by the LCCI