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FAO Regional Conference for Africa

TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION

Brazzaville, Congo, 23-27 April 2012

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

SENIOR OFFICERS MEETING

23-24 April 2012

(Morning: 8:30 - 12:00 hours; Afternoon: 14:00 - 18:00 hours)

Monday, 23 April

I. Introductory Items

	Agenda Item	Item	Document No.
09.00 hours	Opening of Senior Officers Meeting	1	
	Election of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairpersons and Appointment of the Rapporteur	1	
	Adoption of Agenda and Timetable	2	ARC/12/1 ARC/12/INF/2

II Regional and Global Policy, and Regulatory Issues

	CAADP Implementation Challenge : Strengthening capacity to effectively link compacts and investment plans to policy and budget processes, innovative financing mechanisms and assistance	8	ARC/12/2
	Public/Private Partnership in initiating agricultural programmes to sustain livelihoods and create wealth	9	ARC/12/3
14.00 hours	Multi-stakeholder dialogue on Global Strategy Framework for Food Security and Nutrition	10	ARC/12/4 ARC/12/INF/6 ARC/12/INF/15 CFS/2011/7

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Tuesday, 24 April**III. Programme and Budget Issues**

	Agenda Item	Item	Document No.
08.30 hours	FAO activities in the Region in 2010-11	11	ARC/12/5
	Programme of Work and Budget 2012-13, and Areas of Priority Action for the following biennium (2014-15), including summary report of recommendations of FAO regional bodies		ARC/12/6 ARC/12/INF/5 ARC/12/INF/13
	Decentralization Issues. FAO Renewal - Transition to a More Dynamic Approach in 2012	12	ARC/12/7 ARC/12/INF/14

IV. Other Matters

14.00 hours	Multi-year Programme of Work 2012-15 for the Africa Regional Conference	13	ARC/12/8
	Proposed List of Topics for ARC-28	14	
	Date and Place of the 28th Regional Conference for Africa	15	
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	Any Other Matters		

SIDE EVENTS AND SUB-REGIONAL CONSULTATIONS**Wednesday, 25 April**

	Activity	Responsibility
08.30 hours	Side event 1. CFS: Mapping Food Security and Nutrition Actions at Country Level	CFS
	Side event 2. Ministerial Roundtable on commitment and response to the food and nutrition insecurity in the Horn of Africa and the Sahel	FAO
14.00 hours	Subregional consultations - Prioritization of needs of countries and subregions (used for the Plenary Session)	FAO SROs and RAF

SENIOR OFFICERS MEETING (continued)

	Review and adoption of the draft Report of the Regional Conference to be submitted to the Plenary session	Chairperson/ Senior Officers
	Closure of the Senior Officers meeting	

PLENARY SESSION**26-27 April 2012****Thursday, 26 April****I. Opening Ceremony*****Agenda***

		<i>Item</i>	<i>Document No.</i>
09.00 hours	Inaugural Ceremony		

II. Statements and Debates

	Statement by the Director-General	3	ARC/12/INF/4
	Statement by the Independent Chairperson of the FAO Council	4	ARC/12/INF/17
	Statement by the out-going Chairperson of the 26th Africa Regional Conference	5	ARC/12/INF/7
	Statement by the Chairperson of the CFS	6	
	Prioritization of country and regional needs	7	

III. Item for Discussion

14:00	Review of the Report of the Conference
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Friday, April 27

<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Responsibility</i>
09.00 hours	Side event 3. Round table on CAADP Implementation	AU/NPCA/FAO
14.00 hours	Adoption of the Report of the Conference	
	Closure of the Conference	