



Regional positioning workshop : 'CoP 17 : Southern African Farmers' positions'

19-21 October 2011

Birchwood Conference Centre,
Johannesburg, South Africa

Tentative Programme

<i>DAY 1 – Wednesday 19 October 2011</i>		<i>BACKGROUND PRESENTATIONS</i>
8.00-8.30	Registration	
8.30-8.35	Welcoming remarks	SACAU Vice President
8.35-8.55	Participants' introductions	Facilitator
8.55-9.00	Workshop proceedings	Facilitator
9.00 -9.15	Background and objectives of the workshop	SACAU (I. Sunga, CEO)
9.15-10.30	SACAU background paper on the place of agriculture in the climate negotiations (presentation and discussion)	SACAU officer
10.30-11.00	<i>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</i>	
10.30-11.30	SACAU background paper on the place of agriculture in the climate negotiations (discussion continued)	SACAU officer
11.30-13.00	Climate finance for adaptation and mitigation in the agricultural sector in Africa : opportunities and challenges (past, present, future) (presentation and discussion)	FAO Natural Resources Management and Environment Department (Dr Christina Seeberg – Elverfeldt)
13.00-14.00	<i>LUNCH BREAK</i>	
14.00 -15.30	Climate change and agriculture initiatives in the region : - COMESA - SADC - NPCA - South Africa - Other countries (NAPAs, NAMAs, others...) (presentation and discussion)	COMESA (M. Miti) SADC (M. Banda) NPCA/CAADP (Mr Martin Bwalya) SA DAFF (M. Motsepe) FANRPAN (M.Hachigonta)
15.30-16.15	Presentation of any SACAU member's positions on climate change	SACAU members
16.15-16.30	<i>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</i>	
16.30- 16.45	The agricultural text in the global climate negotiations	WFO (A. Englund Friis)
16.45-17.15	Presentation of proposed SACAU's draft new positions	SACAU officer
17.15-17.30	Group work organisation (assignment, formation of group, expected outputs)	Facilitator + SACAU

<i>DAY 2 – Thursday 20 October</i>		<i>GROUP WORK - DRAFTING (closed session)*</i>
8.15-8.30	Welcome and introduction to the day Recap of Day 1 Recap about group work	Facilitator
8.30 – 10.30	Group work	
10.30-11.00	<i>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</i>	
11.00-13.00	Group work (continued)	SACAU CEO or President
13.00 -14.00	<i>LUNCH BREAK</i>	
14.00-15.30	Group presentations in plenary and discussions	
15.30-16.00	<i>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</i>	
16.00-17.30	Group presentations in plenary and discussions (continued)	SACAU CEO or President

<i>DAY 3 – Friday 21 October 2011</i>		<i>POSITIONS FINALISATION</i>
8.15-8.30	Welcome and introduction to the day	Facilitator
8.30-10.00	Presentation of consolidated draft positions/key messages from group work session, and plenary discussions for finalisation	SACAU officer
10.00-10.30	<i>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</i>	
10.30-11.30	Presentation of final draft positions/key messages to media and partners	SACAU CEO or President
11.30-11.45	Way forward	SACAU CEO
11.45-12.00	Closure of the workshop	SACAU CEO or President
12.00-13.00	<i>LUNCH</i>	

* For delegates from SACAU members, SACAU board, SACAU secretariat and other National Farmers'Organisations in the region only.
