



13th African Regional Meeting

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 30 November–3 December 2015

Appointments of the Regional Meeting

Chairperson

The Honourable Mr Abdulfatah Abdullahi Hassan,
Minister of Labour and Social Affairs (Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia)

Vice-Chairpersons

Government: Mr Grégoire Owona (Republic of Cameroon)
Employer: Ms Jacqueline Mugo (Kenya)
Worker: Mr Mody Guiro (Senegal)

Government group Chairperson

The Honourable Ms Prisca Mupfumira,
Minister of Public Service, Labour and Social Welfare (Republic of Zimbabwe)

Employers' group Chairperson and spokesperson

Ms Jacqueline Mugo (Kenya)

Workers' group Chairperson and spokesperson

Mr Mody Guiro (Senegal)

Workers' group Secretary

Mr Kwasi Adu-Amankwah (ITUC Africa)

Vice-Chairpersons of the group

Mr Francis Atwoli (Kenya)
Ms Maria Fernanda Carvalho Francisco (Angola)
Mr Kassahun Follo Amenu (Ethiopia)
Mr Bheki Ntshalintshali (South Africa)
Mr Abel Oluwayemisi Bamgbose (Nigeria)
Mr Sabin Kpokolo (Central African Republic)

Credentials Committee

Government representative: Mr Mohamed Khiat (People's Democratic Republic of Algeria)
Employer representative: Mr Aggrey K. Mlimuka (Tanzania)
Worker representative: Mr George Nkiwane (Zimbabwe)

Drafting committee on the conclusions

Governments

Egypt, Arab Republic of
Gabonese Republic
Malawi, Republic of
Nigeria, Federal Republic of
Tanzania, United Republic of

Employers

Ms Jaqueline Mugo (Kenya)
Mr Sibahi Edouard Ladouyou (Côte d'Ivoire)
Ms Vanessa Phala (South Africa)
Mr Khalil Ghariani (Tunisia)
Ms Félicité Awassi (Gabon)

Workers

Mr Mody Guiro (Senegal)
Mr Gadzani Mhotsha (Botswana)
Mr Bheki Ntshalintshali (South Africa)
Ms Touria Lahrech (Morocco)
Ms Akpen Manyim Agnala Alagan (Togo)

Plenary sitting – opening session

Employer spokesperson

Ms Jacqueline Mugo (Kenya)

Worker spokesperson

Mr Mody Guiro (Senegal)

High-Level Dialogue: Decent Work in Africa in the Post-2015 context: Rights and social dialogue for inclusive and sustainable growth

Panellists:

Mr Guy Ryder, Director-General, International Labour Office

Mr Carlos Lopes, Executive Secretary, UN Economic Commission for Africa

Dr Mustapha Sidiki Kaloko, Commissioner for Social Affairs, African Union
Commission

The Honourable Mr Willy Makiashi, Deputy-Prime Minister and Minister of
Employment, Labour and Social Protection (Democratic Republic of Congo)

The Honourable Mr Mansour Sy, Minister of Labour, Social Dialogue, Professional
Organizations and Relations with Institutions (Republic of Senegal)

Ms Linda Kromjong, Secretary General, International Organisation of Employers

Mr Francis Atwoli, Secretary-General, Central Organization of Trade Unions

Special plenary debate: Transition from the informal to the formal economy in Africa: The way forward

Panellists:

The Honourable Ms Mildred Oliphant, Minister of Labour (Republic of South Africa)

The Honourable Mr Moussa Dosso, Minister of Employment, Social Affairs and vocational Training (Republic of Côte d'Ivoire)

Ms Wenyan Yang, Chief, Social Perspective on Development Branch, Division for Social Policy and Development, UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Ms Vanessa Phala, Director, Business Unity South Africa

Mr Kofi Asamoah, Secretary-General, Ghana Trade Unions Congress

Special plenary debate: Employment and new technologies: Opportunities for Africa's youth

Panellists:

Ms Anna Mugabo, Director-General of Labour and Employment, Ministry of Public Service and Labour (Republic of Rwanda)

Ms Amrote Abdella, Regional Director, Microsoft's 4Africa Initiative

Mr Khalil Ghariani, Member of the Executive Board and Chair of the Committee on Social Affairs, Tunisian Industry, Trade and Crafts Union

Mr Eric Manzi, Secretary General, Central Trade Union of Rwandan Workers

Special session on the Promotion and Application of the ILO Tripartite Declaration of Principles concerning Multinational Enterprises and Social Policy in Africa

Panellists:

The Honourable Mr Ts'oeu Mahklakeng, Minister of Labour and Employment (Kingdom of Lesotho)

Mr Sibahi Edouard Ladouyou, General Confederation of Côte d'Ivoire Enterprises and Business Africa

Mr Bheki Ntshalintshali, General Secretary, Congress of South African Trade Unions