



**SECOND MEETING OF THE SPECIALISED TECHNICAL  
COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT,  
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (STC-SDLE-2)  
ALGIERS, ALGERIA  
24-28 APRIL 2017**

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**THEME:**

**“Investment in Employment and Social Security for Harnessing the  
Demographic Dividend”**

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**EXPERTS MEETING  
PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND PROGRAMME OF WORK  
24-26 APRIL 2017**

**DRAFT AGENDA – EXPERTSMEETING**  
**24 - 26 APRIL 2017**

**DAY 1:- 24 APRIL 2017**

**1. Opening Session**

Opening and welcoming remarks

**2. Preliminary Election of Bureau**

**3. Adoption of the agenda and programme of work**

**4. Presentations and discussion on the theme : «Investment in Employment and Social Security for Harnessing the Demographic Dividend »**

**4.1** Introduction to the paper on the Theme, AU Roadmap on Harnessing the Demographic Dividend through Investment in Youth

**4.2** Introduction on the Future of Work in Africa, challenges and perspectives of African labour markets with regard to the demographic dividend

**4.3** Women Empowerment in labour market for inclusive development

**4.4** Incisive and novel perspectives on the ways in which Africa's older persons can yield a demographic dividend in the continent

**4.5** Briefing on the development of the additional Protocol to the African Charter on Human and People's Rights on the Rights of Citizens to Social Protection and Social Security, and the Social Agenda 2063

**4.6** Introduction to the Social Protection Inter-Agency Coordination Board (SPIAC-B) and benefit for AU Member States

**5 Briefings on Social Protection**

**5.1** Consideration of the implementation of the Resolution of the 9th Joint AU/ECA Meeting of Ministers of Finance, Economy and Development Planning of April 2016

**5.2** The State of Social Protection in Africa – UNDP Biennial Report

**5.3** Assessment, training and capacity building tools for social protection

**5.4** Green Jobs and Green Productivity projects

**5.5** African Charter on Maritime Security and Safety and Development; Annex6: Poverty Eradication, Employment and Social Development

**DAY 2:- 25 APRIL 2017**

**6. Two Parallel Sectorial Sessions: Sectorial Presentations and Discussions on Social Development, Labour and Employment**

*(Detailed programmes of parallel sectorial sessions are attached)*

**7. Recommendations from Parallel Sessions – Plenary**

**8. Briefings:**

**Briefings on Labour and Employment:**

- 8.1.** Information on the revision of the AU Migration Policy Framework for Africa, Banjul 2006

**Briefings on their Labour and Employment reports by:**

- RECs
- Business Africa
- OATUU
- ITUC-Africa
- PAPA

**9. Consideration of the draft agenda and work programme of the Ministers' Meeting**

**10. Date and venue of STC–SDLE-3**

**11. Any other business**

**12. Consideration and adoption of the Report of the Experts meeting**

**13. Closing Session**

**DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK – EXPERTS’ MEETING  
STC-SDLE-2  
24-26 APRIL 2017**

**DAY 1 – 24 APRIL 2017**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>REMARKS</b>
<b>08:30 – 09:30</b>	Arrival of delegates, registration and distribution of Documents	AUC PROTOCOL + Department of Social Affairs	
<b>09:30 – 10:00</b>	<b>1. OPENING SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening and welcoming statements</li> </ul>	Facilitator: Head of Social Welfare, Vulnerable Groups and Drug Control (HOD SW)	Plenary
<b>10:00 – 10:30</b>	<b>COFFEE/ TEA BREAK REGIONAL CONSULTATIONS</b>		Free style
<b>10:30 – 10:45</b>	<b>2. PRELIMINARY ELECTION OF THE BUREAU OF STC-SDLE-2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Election process</li> </ul>	Legal Counsel	Plenary
<b>10:45 – 11:00</b>	<b>3. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND WORK PROGRAMME</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the Draft Agenda and Work Programme</li> </ul>	Moderated by the Chair of the Bureau	Plenary
<b>11:00–11:30</b>	<b>4. PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION ON THE THEME: «INVESTMENT IN EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY FOR HARNESSING THE DEMOGRAPHIC DIVIDEND» and «AU Roadmap on Harnessing the Demographic Dividend through Investment in Youth»</b>  <b>4.1</b> Introduction of paper on the theme – Plenary discussion	AUC , Moderated by UNFPA	Plenary
<b>11:30 – 12:30</b>	<b>4.2</b> Introduction on the Future of Work in Africa, challenges and perspectives of African labour markets with regard to the demographic dividend	ILO/AUC	
<b>12:30–13:00</b>	<b>4.3</b> Women Empowerment in labour market for inclusive development	AUC/MLSS, Algeria	
<b>13:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>		

14:30 –15:15	<b>PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSIONSON THE THEME CONTINUES</b>  4.4 Incisive and novel perspectives on the ways in which Africa’s older persons can yield a demographic dividend in the continent	AHPRC	Plenary
15:15–16:00	4.5 Briefing on the Development of the additional protocol to the African Charter on Human and People’s Rights on the Rights of Citizens to Social Protection and Social Security, and the Social Agenda 2063  4.6 Introduction to the Social Protection Inter-Agency Coordination Board (SPIAC-B) and benefit for AU Member States	HOD SW ILO/World Bank	
16:00 – 16:30	<b>COFFEE/ TEA BREAK</b>		
16:30 – 18:00	<b>5. Briefings on Social Protection</b>  5.1 Consideration of the implementation of the Resolution of the 9 <sup>th</sup> Joint AU/ECA Meeting of Ministers of Finance, Economy and Development Planning of April 2016 5.2 The State of Social Protection in Africa – UNDP Biennial Report 5.3 Assessment, training and capacity building tools for social protection 5.4 Green Jobs and Green Productivity projects 5.5 African Charter on Maritime Security and Safety and Development; <b>Annex 6:</b> poverty eradication, employment and social development	UNDP/UNECA	Plenary

## DAY 2: 25 APRIL 2017

TIME	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	RESPONSIBLE	REMARKS
08:30 –10:00	<b>6. TWO PARALLEL SECTORIAL SESSIONS</b>  - <b>PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSIONS</b>		<b>Interpretation required for both sessions</b>
	<b>6.1 Social Development</b> <b>6.2 Labour and Employment</b>	<b>Social Welfare Division</b>  <b>Labour,</b>	Parallel session

		<b>Employment and Migration Division</b>	
<b>10:00 – 10:30</b>	<b>COFFEE/ TEA BREAK</b>		
<b>10:30 – 13:00</b>	<b>TWO PARALLEL SECTORIAL SESSIONS:</b> - Social Development - Labour and Employment	<b>Social Welfare Division Labour, Employment and Migration Division</b>	Parallel sessions
<b>13:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>		
<b>14:30 – 16:00</b>	<b>TWO PARALLEL SECTORIAL SESSIONS:</b> - Social Development - Labour and Employment	<b>Social Welfare Division Labour, Employment and Migration Division</b>	Parallel sessions
<b>16:00 – 16:30</b>	<b>COFFEE/ TEA BREAK</b>		
<b>16:30 – 18:00</b>	<b>TWO PARALLEL SECTORIAL SESSIONS:</b> - Social Development - Labour and Employment	<b>Social Welfare Division Labour, Employment and Migration Division</b>	Parallel sessions
<b>18:00</b>	<b>END OF DAY 2</b>		

### DAY 3: 26 APRIL 2017

<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>REMARKS</b>
<b>08:30 – 10:00</b>	<b>7. Recommendations from Parallel Sectorial Sessions</b>		Plenary
<b>10:00 – 10:30</b>	<b>COFFEE/ TEA BREAK</b>		
<b>10:30 – 12:00</b>	<b>8. Briefings on Labour and Employment</b> <b>8.1 Information on the revision of the AU Migration Policy Framework for Africa, Banjul 2006</b>  <b>Briefings on their Labour and Employment reports by:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ RECs</li> <li>➤ Business Africa</li> <li>➤ OATUU</li> <li>➤ ITUC-Africa</li> </ul>	Department of Social Affairs and Partners	Plenary

	➤ PAPA		
<b>12:00 -12:15</b>	<b>9. Consideration of the draft agenda and work programme of the Ministerial Meeting</b>	Bureau Chairperson	Plenary
<b>12:15 –12:30</b>	<b>10.Date and venue of the STC-SDLE-3</b>	Bureau Chairperson	Plenary
<b>12:30 – 13:00</b>	<b>11.Any other business</b>	Bureau Chairperson	Plenary
<b>13:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>		
<b>18:30 – 19:30</b>	<b>12.Consideration and adoption</b> of the Report of the Experts' meeting	Bureau Chairperson and Rapporteur	Plenary
<b>19:30– 19:45</b>	<b>13.CLOSING SESSION:</b> Chairperson of STC-SDLE-2 and Director of Social Affairs	Bureau Chairperson; Director of Social Affairs	Plenary