



**DRAFT AGENDA  
MINISTERIAL MEETING**

**The 4<sup>th</sup> Specialized Technical Committee on Gender Equality and Women's  
Empowerment on the Review of the 25th Anniversary of the Beijing  
Declaration and Platform for Action (STC on Beijing + 25)**

**Theme: Realizing Women's Rights for an Equal Future**

**31 OCTOBER - 01 NOVEMBER, 2019**

**Old Conference Centre, African Union Commission Headquarters  
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia**

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MINISTERS MEETING**

1. Opening Ceremony
2. Introduction of the Beijing +25 Review process to Ministers
3. Presentation and adoption of the Draft Agenda and Draft Work Programme
4. Consideration of the Experts' Report on the Beijing+25 Review Report
5. Closed Ministerial Discussion on the Beijing+25 Review Report
6. Intergenerational discussion
7. Adoption of the Beijing+25 Regional Report
8. Dinner Launch of the AU Strategy on Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment
9. Consideration and adoption of Experts reports on Draft Decisions on:
  - a. Solemn Declaration on Gender Equality in Africa (SDGEA)
  - b. SDGEA Online Reporting System
  - c. Budget of the Women, Gender and Development Directorate and support to the Pan-African Women's Organisation (PAWO)
10. Consideration and Adoption of Experts report on Briefings and Updates on:
  - a. African Union Pan-African Women's Awards (PAWA)
  - b. The AU Strategy for Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE Strategy)
  - c. Coordination of AU Side Events at the 64<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW64)
  - d. Advocacy missions for the ratification, domestication and implementation of the Maputo Protocol
  - e. African Women Leaders Network (AWLN) and African Women Leaders' Fund (AWLF)
  - f. African Women's Decade and Fund for African Women
  - g. Date, venue and Agenda of next STC
11. Presentation and adoption of the STC Ministerial Report
12. Closing Ceremony