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AFRICAN UNION TO CELEBRATE PEACE DAY ON 21st SEPTEMBER 2011

As part of the celebrations of Peace Day on **Wednesday 21st September 2011** at the headquarters of the African Union (AU) in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, the Peace and Security Department (PSD) is planning to hold an opens doors Day.

Four 3 hours the Department will introduce some of its programs to special guests which includes: Representatives from some Civil Society Organizations, the media, and AU staff members.

JOURNALISTS ARE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE ACTIVITIES.

COVERAGE OF THE EVENT IS VERY MUCH WELCOME.

(Attached is the draft programme of the Peace Day celebration)

**Program
Celebration of Peace Day
21st September 2011**

11.30-13.00	Open Doors of the Peace and Security Department (PSD), African Union Commission (AUC) <i>Session 1: Welcome and opening remarks in Conflict Management Division (CMD)</i>
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	<p style="text-align: center;">briefing room</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 2:</i> Screening of the 'Introduction to PSD' video</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 3:</i> Visit to the Situation Room for a briefing</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 4:</i> Light refreshments and presentation of the African Union Border Program (AUBP) and the African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM) humanitarian activities</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Session 5:</i> Congregation in the CMD briefing room for the observation of One Minute of Silence and Closing</p>
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