



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Africa Climate Resilient Infrastructure Summit**

#### **INVITATION TO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEDIA**

- What:** The African Union Commission (AUC), in collaboration with Entico Corporation Limited will hold the first Africa Resilient Infrastructure Summit (ACRIS) under the theme ***“Africa: Towards Resilient Infrastructure Development”***.
- When:** 27- 29 April 2015
- Where:** African Union Commission New Complex, Addis Ababa (Medium Conference Hall)
- Who:** Organized by the African Union Commission (AUC) through its department of Infrastructure and Energy, in collaboration with Entico Corporation Limited.
- Objective:** The summit aims at introducing to the representatives of the Member States of the African Union practical solutions and technical cooperation from the private sector, technology providers, consultancies and service providers in order to tackle the challenges of climate change impacts in the area of energy, ICT, building infrastructure, water, and agriculture and food security.
- Participants:** The ACRIS summit gathers the African Ministers in charge of Energy; ICT, Transport, Infrastructure, Water, Agriculture and Food Security, as well as development partners; financial institutions, private sector, national experts and research institutions, among others.

***Journalists are invited to cover the opening event on Monday 27 April 2015 at 8:30am, at the AU Commission, in Addis Ababa.***

***Draft programme of the event is attached:***

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