



**MEETING OF AIDS WATCH AFRICA (AWA)  
ACTION COMMITTEE OF HEADS  
OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT  
ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA,  
14 JULY 2012**

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<b>Time</b>	<b>Item</b>
07:30-08:00 Hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Arrival and seating of Heads of State and Invited Guests</li> <li>- Breakfast is served</li> </ul>
08:00-08:15 Hrs.	<p>Opening session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Remarks by H.E Mr. Jean Ping, Chairperson of AU Commission</li> <li>- Opening remarks by H.E Dr. Boni Yayi, President of Benin, Chairperson of AU and Chairperson of AWA</li> </ul>
08:15-08:20 Hrs.	<p>Election of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- AWA Action Committee Vice Chairperson</li> <li>- AWA Regional Chairs (05)</li> </ul>
08:20-08:35 Hrs.	<p>Presentation of Outcome of AWA Consultative Experts Committee Meeting by H.E Adv. Bience Gawanas, AUC Commissioner for Social Affairs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Discussion</li> </ul>

08:35-08:45 Hrs.	Goodwill messages: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- H.E Mr. Michel Sidibe, Executive Director of UNAIDS,</li> <li>- HE Dr. Margaret Chan, Director-General of WHO</li> <li>- H.E Mr. Gabriel Jaramillo, General Manager of Global Fund</li> </ul>
08:45-08:50 Hrs.	Responses by AWA Action Committee Heads of State and Government
08:50-08:55 Hrs.	Consideration of Outcome of AWA Action Committee Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- AWA Action Committee Communiqué</li> <li>- Draft Summit Decision on Report of AWA Action Committee Meeting</li> </ul>
08:55-09:00 Hrs.	Closing Session: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Closing Remarks by H.E Dr. Boni Yayi, President of Benin, Chairperson of AU &amp; Chairperson of AWA</li> <li>- Vote of Thanks (A Head of State &amp; Government)</li> </ul>

09:00-09:20 Hrs: **Press Conference:**

- H.E Dr. Boni Yayi, President of Benin, Chairperson of AU, Chairperson of AWA
- H.E Mr. Jean Ping, Chairperson of AU Commission
- HE Dr. Margaret Chan, Director-General of WHO
- H.E Mr. Michel Sidibe, Executive Director of UNAIDS