



**Pledging Conference for Countries of
Horn of Africa affected by drought and Famine
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
25 August 2011**

Draft Programme of Work

- 10:00hrs - 10:30hrs - Opening**
- Welcome remarks by the Chairperson of the African Union Commission
 - Statement by H. E. Jerry Rawlings, former President of the Republic of Ghana and the High Representative of the Chairperson of the African Union Commission.
 - Address by European Commissioner for international cooperation, humanitarian aid and crisis response
 - Address by UN Deputy Secretary General
 - Address by the Current Chairperson of IGAD Assembly
 - Opening Statement by the Chairperson of the African Union
- 10:30hrs - 10:45hrs** Overview of the drought situation in Somalia and the Horn of Africa by African Union Commission
- 10:45hrs - 11:00hrs** Response of the International Community by UNOCHA
- 11:00hrs - 11:15hrs** Funding gap analysis by the African Union Commission
- 11:15hrs - 11:30hrs** Video Show
Message by Master Andrew Andasi
Address by the Chairpersons of the RECs
- 11:30hrs - 13:30hrs** Pledging by Member States and others
- 13:30hrs - 13:45hrs** Way forward by the African Union Commission
- 13:45hrs - 14:00hrs** Any other Business
- 14:00hrs** **Press Conference**

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