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**SPECIALISED TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (STC)  
ON MIGRATION, REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS  
2<sup>ND</sup> ORDINARY SESSION  
EXPERTS MEETING  
16 - 19 OCTOBER 2017  
Kigali, Rwanda**

***Theme: "Opportunities for Migration and Free Movement of Persons in  
Africa and Mitigating Challenges"***

**DRAFT PROGRAMME OF WORK**

<b>08:30 – 09:00</b>	<b>Arrival and Registration</b>
<b>09:00 – 09:30</b>	<b>Opening Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Opening remarks by Director for Social Affairs</li> <li>- Statement by the Chair of STC</li> <li>- Statement by the Government of Rwanda</li> </ul>
<b>09:30 – 09:40</b>	<b>Family Photo and Coffee Break</b>
<b>09:40 – 10:00</b>	<b>Procedural Matters:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Election of New Bureau</li> <li>(b) Adoption of the draft Agenda and Provisional Programme of Work</li> </ul>
<b>10:00 – 10:15</b>	Presentation of the Report of the Chair of Member States Committee of Experts on Free Movement
<b>10:15 – 10:30</b>	Presentation of the Draft Protocol to the Treaty Establishing the African Economic Community Relating to Free Movement of Persons, Right of Residence and Right of Establishment
<b>10:30 - 13:00</b>	Consideration of the Draft Protocol
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
<b>14:00 – 15:30</b>	Consideration of the Draft Protocol
<b>15:30 – 14:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>14:00 – 15:30</b>	Consideration of the Draft Protocol

<p><b>Tuesday 17 October 2017</b>  <b>Day 2</b></p>
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<b>9:00 – 11:00</b>	Consideration of the Draft Implementation Roadmap
<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>11:30 – 13:00</b>	Consideration of the Draft Implementation Roadmap
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
<b>14:00 – 15:30</b>	Consideration of the Revised Migration Policy Framework for Africa and Plan of Action (2018 - 2027) Draft

**15:30 – 16:00**      **Coffee Break**

**16:00 – 17:30**      Consideration of the Revised Migration Policy  
Framework for Africa and Plan of Action (2018 - 2027) Draft

**Wednesday 18 October 2017**  
**Day 3**

**09:00 – 11:00**      Consideration of the Draft Common African Position (CAP) on the  
Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

**11:00 – 11:30**      **Coffee Break**

**11:30 – 13:00**      Consideration of the Draft Common African Position (CAP) on the  
Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

**13:00 – 14:00**      **Lunch Break**

**14:00 – 15:30**      Consideration of the Report on the Horn of Africa Initiative

**15:30 – 16:00**      **Coffee Break**

**16:00 – 17:30**      Consideration of the Report on the Horn of Africa Initiative

**Thursday 19 October 2017**  
**Day 4**

**09:00 – 10:00**      Consideration of Decisions, Agenda and Work Programme of the  
STC Ministerial Meeting

**10:00 – 10:30** **Coffee Break**

**10:30 – 12:30** Consideration and Adoption of the STC Experts Meeting Report

**12:30 – 13:00**      **Any Other Business (AOB)**

**13:00 – 14:00**      **Lunch Break**

**14:00 – 17:30**      **Side Events**

**...End of STC Experts Meeting....**