



Republic of Ghana



Creating One African Market

Official Commissioning and Handing Over of the AfCFTA Secretariat

17 AUGUST 2020
AFRICA TRADE HOUSE - ACCRA
11:00 TO 13:00 HRS

PROGRAMME

- 10:00 - GUEST SEATED
- 10:55 - ARRIVAL OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC
- 10:55 - 11:00 - AU AND GHANA NATIONAL ANTHEMS
- 11:00 - 11:05 - OPENING PRAYER:
MOST REV. DR. PAUL K. BOAFO, CHAIRMAN OF THE CHRISTIAN COUNCIL OF GHANA;
SHEIKH OSMAN NUHU SHARUBUTU, CHIEF IMAM OF GHANA.
- WELCOME REMARKS BY HON. SHIRLEY AYORKOR BOTCHWEY, MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND REGIONAL INTEGRATION
- OPENING STATEMENT BY HON. ALAN KYEREMATEN, MINISTER FOR TRADE AND INDUSTRY
- ADDRESS BY NANA ADDO DANKWA AKUFO-ADDU, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC
- FORMAL COMMISSIONING AND HANDING OVER OF THE SECRETARIAT BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC
- SPEECH BY H. E. MOUSSA FAKI, CHAIRPERSON OF THE AFRICAN UNION COMMISSION
- SPEECH BY H.E. WAMKELE KEABETSWI MENE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF AfCFTA
- GOODWILL MESSAGE FROM H.E MAHAMADOU ISSOUFOU, PRESIDENT OF NIGER AND AU CHAMPION FOR AfCFTA
- GOODWILL MESSAGE FROM H. E. CYRIL RAMAPHOSA, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA AND CHAIR OF THE AFRICAN UNION.
- INSPECTION OF THE AfCFTA SECRETARIAT BY VIPS
- HOISTING OF AU AND GHANA FLAGS
- PHOTO SESSION
- GHANA ANTHEM
- PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC DEPARTS
- OTHER DIGNITARIES DEPART
- END OF PROGRAMME