



## PROPOSED DRAFT AGENDA

### 5<sup>th</sup> Specialised Technical Committee on Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment 23 – 24 November, 2020: Experts Meeting 27 November, 2020: Ministerial Meeting

#### 1. Opening Remarks

- a. Opening Remarks: H.E. Beatrice Lomeya Atilite, STC Chairperson and Minister of Gender, Family and Children, Democratic Republic of Congo
- b. Welcome Remarks: H.E. Filsan Abdi, Minister of Women, Children and Youth, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
- c. Introductory Remarks: Ms. Lehau Victoria Maloka, Ag Director, WGDD
- d. Statement: H.E. Bineta Diop, AU Special Envoy on Women, Peace and Security
- e. Statement: H.E. Moussa Faki Mahamat, Chairperson, African Union Commission

#### 2. Elections and Adoption of Agenda and Work Programme

- a. Elections of the new STC Bureau
- b. Handing Over Ceremony between the Outgoing and the Incoming STC Bureau
- c. Presentation of the Draft Agenda and Draft Work Programme: WGDD AG. Director
- d. Adoption of the Draft Agenda and Draft Work Programme: STC Chairperson

#### 3. Consideration and Adoption of Statutory Matters

- a. 2019 Reports of the Solemn Declaration on Gender Equality in Africa (SDGEA)
- b. AU Strategy on Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment
- c. Final Review Report of the African Women's Decade on Grassroots Approaches to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment: 2010-2020
- d. Fund for African Women
- e. Strategy and Action Plan on the African Women's Decade on Financial and Economic Inclusion for African Women: 2020-2030
- f. All for Maputo Protocol Project
  - i. Maputo Protocol Scorecard and Index
  - ii. Campaign for the ratification, domestication and implementation of the Maputo Protocol
- g. Gender Parity Project
- h. COVID 19 and Gender Equality
  - i. Guidelines on Gender Responsive Responses to COVID-19
  - ii. COVID-19 and Violence Against Women and Girls (VAWG)
  - iii. Gender Mainstreaming and Women's Participation Strategy
  - iv. Impact Assessment Study

#### **4. Consideration and Adoption of Key Updates and Briefings**

- a. Ending Violence Against Women and Girls
  - i. AU Campaign on Ending Violence Against Women and Girls
  - ii. AU Convention on Ending Violence Against Women and Girls
  - iii. Spotlight Initiative
- b. Generation Equality, Beijing +25 and CSW 64
- c. Knowledge Products
  - i. AU Gender Scorecard
  - ii. State of Women's Rights Report
  - iii. Gender Equality and HIV
- d. African Women Leaders Network (AWLN)
- e. Pan-African Women's Organisation (PAWO)

#### **5. Consideration and adoption of the Draft STC Report**

- a. Presentation of the draft Report: STC Rapporteur
- b. Adoption of the Report: STC Chairperson

#### **6. Date & Venue of the 6th STC on GEWE**

#### **7. Closing Ceremony**

- 8. Remarks: WGDD Ag. Director
- 9. Closing Remarks: AU Special Envoy on WPS
- 10. Closing Statement: STC Chairperson