

Information for Participants

14th African Union Private Sector Forum

10-12 July 2023, Nairobi, Kenya

1. Venue

The Date and venue of the 14th African Union Private Sector Forum will take place from 10 to 12 July 2023. at Kenyatta International Conference Center (KICC) in Nairobi, Kenya



2. Immigration requirements:

All travelers arriving in Kenya should have a valid passport. It is strongly recommended that delegates who require visa to enter Kenya apply for such Visa before their departure to avoid delay in the Airport. All Delegates are kindly requested to obtain visas from their respective countries to enter Kenya.

3. Health Requirements

All participants of the Forum will be subject to health requirements determined by the Host country. Participants are required to present a certificate of negative PCR test taken within 72 hours to enter Nairobi. A yellow fever vaccination certificate is also required for all delegates.

4. Safety

Nairobi is generally safe. However, participants should avoid displaying expensive possessions.

5. Weather

Under the Köppen climate classification, Nairobi has a subtropical highland climate (Cwb). At 1,795 metres (5,889 ft) above sea level, evenings may be cool. The sunniest and warmest part of the year is from December to March, when temperatures average in the mid-twenties Celsius during the day. The mean maximum temperature for this period is 24 °C (75 °F).[45]

There are rainy seasons, but rainfall can be moderate. The cloudiest part of the year is just after the first rainy season, when, until September, conditions are usually overcast with drizzle. As Nairobi is situated close to the equator, the differences



between the seasons are minimal. The seasons are referred to as the wet season and dry season. The timing of sunrise and sunset varies little throughout the year for the same reason.

Banking and Foreign Exchange

There are numerous Banks, automated teller machines (ATMs) and forex bureaus both at the airport and in the city of Nairobi. The ATMs accept many credit cards and debit cards. Banks at the city centre open for business between 8.30 am and 4.00 pm Mondays through Fridays, and between 9.00 am and 12.00 pm on Saturdays. Bank branches situated at the airport are open for longer hours. The Kenya currency is the Shillings. The indicative Exchange rate to dollar is approximately US\$1 = 138 Ksh

6. Electricity

In Kenya the standard voltage is 240 V and the frequency is 50 Hz. You can use your electric appliances in Kenya, if the standard voltage in your country is in between 220 - 240 V (as is in the UK, Europe, Australia and most of Asia and Africa).

After 40 Hotel c/o Ms. Lydia Chemweno E-Mail : <u>managersales@after40hotel.com</u> +254710500377 +254710500557	Negotiated Price Kenya shillings 5000 (Around USD 40) <u>Please pay</u> <u>in Kenya shillings to avoid</u> <u>fluctuation of Rates (it will</u> <u>be cheaper)</u> bed, breakfast, taxes.
Radisson Blu Upper Hills c/o Mr. Jacob Musyimi Email: Jacob.musyimi@radissonblu.com	Negotiated Rate USD 150 Bed and Breakfast

7. Choice of Hotel accommodation at Discounted Rates



8. VISA

All participants are kindly requested to process their own VISa through the following link:

www.evisa.go.ke evisa@immigration.go.ke

9. .Reception on arrival

Participants will be met on arrival at Nairobi Jomo Kenyatta International Airport

10. Transport

Transportation will be available only from the airport to the Hotel and back for all delegates. Transportation will also be provided to the Venue and Back to the Hotels from the two mentioned Hotels above (After 40 Hotel) and (Radisson Blu).

Sponsored Participants

All sponsored participants are required to bring their Boarding passes, copy of their tickets and copy of their passports. Please also carry with you Receipt for VISAs if any.

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