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CONCEPT NOTE

ACP House Seminar on EXPO2015

(28 April 2015, 10:30 to 13.00 Avenue Georges Henri 451, 1200 Bruxelles)

On April 28th, 2015 the ACP Secretariat and the Italian Permanent Representation will organize a seminar at the ACP House dedicated to the EXPO2015 themes of nutrition, food security and sustainable development.

The seminar will be attended by ACP, EU and other relevant Countries' Ambassadors in Bruxelles and will have an international panel introducing the main topics of EXPO2015, from a development cooperation perspective.

Introductory remarks will be delivered by the ACP Secretary General, Dr. Patrick I. Gomes, the Italian Permanent Representative to the EU, Ambassador Stefano Sannino.

The seminar will proceed with presentations by: Mr. Roberto Ridolfi, Director DEVCO for sustainable growth, on main EU goals on sustainable development; Mr. Michael Hailu, Director of the CTA, for an insight of best practices in the EU-ACP agricultural cooperation; Ms. Nicoletta Ferro, WOMEN FOR EXPO, highlighting the role of women in agriculture and in promoting social growth; Mr. Goodwin Frazer, SAVE THE CHILDREN, stressing the protection of children and promotion of education in agriculture; Mr. Maroun El Moujabber, CIHAM-Bari, for the presentation of "Feeding Knowledge", one of EXPO2015 leading projects to build up an international network of best practices in the sector; Emy-Louise Dent, EU Team EXPO2015, for a presentation of EU pavilion.

The workshop will be held at the ACP House in Bruxelles, on April 28th, 2015, from 10:30 to 13.00 and will be followed by an Italian refreshment.



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EXPO MILAN 2015, NUTRITION AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

(28 April 2015, ACP House, Bruxelles)

Program

10.00 registration

10.30 Opening remarks

- Patrick I. Gomes, Secretary General of the ACP House
- Stefano Sannino, Italian Permanent Representative to the EU

10.45 EU mail goals in sustainable development

- Roberto Ridolfi, DEVCO Director for Sustainable growth

11.15 Best practices in the EU-ACP agricultural cooperation

- Michael Hailu, Director of the CTA

11.30 the role of women in agricultural sector and social growth

- Ms Nicoletta Ferro, Women for EXPO

11.45 protecting children and education in agricultural sector

- Goodwin Frazer, SAVE THE CHILDREN

12.00 “Feeding Knowledge”, promoting agricultural development best practices

- Maroun El Moujabber, CHIEAM – Bari

12.15 the EU pavilion of EXPO 2015

- Emy-Louise Dent, EU Team EXPO2015

12.30 Q&A

12.50 Closing remarks by Secretary General Gomes and Italian Deputy Permanent Representative to the EU, Ambassador Peronaci

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided (English, French, Portuguese, Italian)

Italian refreshment to follow



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