

AGENDA

MEETING OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL under the President of Tajikistan

11 December 2012
Dushanbe, Tajikistan

Venue: *Government Dacha, Building 8*

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| 08:15 – 09:00 | Registration |
| 09:00 – 09:10 | Opening remarks by President of Tajikistan and Chairman of National Development Council, H.E. Emomali Rahmon |
| 09:10 – 09:15 | Opening remarks by Ms. Cihan Sultanoglu, UN Assistant Secretary-General/ UNDP Assistant Administrator and Regional Director for Europe and the CIS |
| 09:15 – 09:20 | Opening remarks by Mr. Kiyoshi Kodera, Vice President, Japanese International Cooperation Agency (JICA), on behalf of Development Coordination Council (DCC) |
| 09:20 – 09:35 | 3rd Poverty Reduction Strategy (2010-2012) – statement on outcomes by Mr. Farrukh Hamraliev, State Advisor on Economic Policy to the President of Tajikistan |
| 09:35 – 09:55 | Strategy for Living Standards Improvement (2013-2015) – presentation by Mr. Sharifjon Rahimzoda, Minister for Economic Development and Trade |
| 09:55 – 10:20 | 3rd Poverty Reduction Strategy (2010-2012) and Living Standards Improvement Strategy (2013-2015) – statements by Ms. Marsha Olive, Chair, DCC, and Mr. Stefan Erber, Deputy Chair, DCC |
| 10:20 – 10:40 | Discussion |
| 10:40 – 11:00 | Concluding remarks by President of Tajikistan and Chairman of National Development Council, H.E. Emomali Rahmon |
| 11:00 – 11:10 | <i>Coffee Break</i> |

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- 11:10 – 11:25 **Shared Principles for Cooperation between the Government of Tajikistan and Development Partners**— statements by Mr. Davlatali Saidov, Chair of the State Committee for Investment and Management of State Property and Mr. Norimasa Shimomura, on behalf of Development Coordination Council
- 11:25 – 11:45 **DCC Initiatives to support Living Standards Improvement Strategy** – outcome of December 6 meeting
- 11:45 – 12:00 Discussion
- 12:00 – 12:15 **Medium-term Programmes for Regional Development and links with Strategy for Living Standards Improvement (2013-2015)** – statement by Mr. Sharifjon Rahimzoda, Minister for Economic Development and Trade
- 12:15 – 12:25 Discussion
- 12:25 – 12:35 Concluding Remarks by Prime Minister Okil Okilov
- 12:35 – 13:05 Press Conference: Mr. Negmatjon Buriev, First Deputy Minister for Economic Development and Trade (*TBC*) and Ms. Marsha Olive, Chair, DCC
- 13:05 *Lunch*