



Geothermal Risk Mitigation Facility for Eastern Africa

East Africa Donors' Coordination meeting

« GRMF is a Tool to unlock Investment and Increase Electrification in East Africa »

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

13 – 14 June 2016

Old Conference Building –Conference Room 1

Meeting Programme

Day 1: 13 June 2016

Session I : OPENING CEREMONY	
09:00 – 09:05	<i>Introductory Remarks: Mr. Aboubakari Baba Moussa, Director of Infrastructure & Energy - AUC</i>
09:05 – 09:10	<i>Statement by the Mr Tim Stern, the DFID Representative to the AU</i>
09:10 – 09:15	<i>Statement by the H.E Mr. Thomas Terstegen, Deputy Head of Mission of Germany</i>
09:15 – 09:20	<i>Statement by the H.E Mr. Bruce Shepherd, Ambassador of New Zealand to AUC.</i>
09:20 – 09:25	<i>Statement by H.E Mr. Gary Quince, Ambassador of EU to AUC ;</i>
09:25 – 09:30	<i>Statement by Mr. Sakari Oksanen , Deputy Director General , the International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)</i>
09:30 – 09:35	<i>Statement by representative of the GRMF beneficiary countries</i>
09:35 – 09:45	<i>Opening Statement by the AUC Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy, H.E. Dr. Elham M. A. Ibrahim.</i>
SESSION II : IMPLEMENTATION REPORT OF GEOTHERMAL RISK MITIGATION FACILITY (GRMF) AND REGIONAL GEOTHERMAL PROGRAMME	
Moderator: <i>H.E. Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy</i>	
09:45 – 10:15	<i>"Implementation Report of Geothermal Risk Mitigation Facility" Mr. Rashid Ali Abdallah, GRMF Project Manager</i>
10:15 – 10:45	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
10:45 – 11:15	<i>Coffee Break & Group Photo</i>
SESSION III: LAUNCH "THE AFRICAN UNION CODE OF PRACTICE FOR GEOTHERMAL DRILLING"	
Moderator: <i>Mr. Aboubakari Baba Moussa, Director of Infrastructure & Energy</i>	
11:15 – 11:20	<i>Introductory Remarks and Background: Dr. Georg Mayer, BGR</i>
11:20 – 11:45	<i>"The African Union Code of Practice for Geothermal Drilling" Mr. Sam Abraham, Drilling Engineer</i>
11:45 – 12:00	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>

SESSION IV: AFRICAN GEOTHERMAL CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE INITIATIVE – Status and next steps <i>Moderator: Mr. Aboubakari Baba Moussa, Director of Infrastructure & Energy</i>	
12:00 – 12:20	<i>“African Geothermal Centre of Excellence – Status and next steps” Dr. Desta Mebratu, Deputy Director, UNEP Regional Office for Africa Mr. Rashid Ali Abdallah, GRMF project manager</i>
12:20 – 02:45	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
12:45 – 02:00	Lunch
SESSION VI: REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT PROGRAMMES <i>Moderator: Mr. Crispen Zana, Energy Expert, AUC</i>	
02:00 – 02:15	<i>“ UNEP ARGeo: From Concept to Action” Dr. Meseret Teklemariam Zemedkun, Program Manager, UNEP</i>
02:15 – 02:30	<i>“ Global Geothermal Alliance” Mr. Sakari Oksanen , Deputy Director General , the International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)</i>
02:30 – 02:45	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
SESSION V: RECOMMENDATION AND WAYFORWARD <i>Moderator: H.E. Dr. Elham M. A. Ibrahim, Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy</i>	
02:45 – 03:30	<i>Adoption of Ministerial Declaration</i>
03:30 – 04:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>
04:00	End of Day 1

Day 2: 14 June 2016

SESSION I: EAST AFRICA GEOTHERMAL ENERGY FACILITY (EAGER) <i>Moderator: Mr. Rashid Ali Abdallah, GRMF project manager</i>	
09:00 – 09:05	<i>Introductory Remarks and Background Mr. Gareth Martin - DFID</i>
09:05 – 09:30	<i>“East Africa Geothermal Energy Facility” Mr. John Heath, EAGER Team Leader</i>
09:30 – 09:45	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
SESSION II: BGR REGIONAL GEOTHERMAL PROGRAMME FOR EAST AFRICA <i>Moderator: Mr. Rashid Ali Abdallah, GRMF project manager</i>	
09:45 – 09:50	<i>Introductory Remarks and Background Dr. Georg Mayer - BGR</i>
09:50 – 10:050	<i>“BGR Regional Geothermal Programme” Mr. Max Winchenbach - BGR</i>
10:05 – 10:20	<i>"Facts and Trends in Geothermal Energy" Dr. Bernhard Stribny, Head of Department of Geoscientific Information and International Cooperation - BGR</i>
10:20 – 10:30	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
SESSION III: RESULT, OUTCOME AND NEXT STEPS OF THE TECHNICAL WORDKSHOP ON THE WESTERN BRANCH OF THE EARS <i>Moderator: Ms. Uwera Rutagarama, Energy Development Corporation Limited (EDCL) Rwanda</i>	
10:30 – 10:50	<i>“ Result, outcome and next steps of the technical workshop on the western branch of EARS” Dr. Peter Omenda, Geothermal Development Company (GDC)</i>
10:50 – 11:00	<i>Questions and open discussion</i>
11:00 – 11:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>

SESSION V: LAUNCHING OF 4th APPLICATION ROUND OF GRMF	
Chair by: Mr. Aboubakari Baba Moussa, Director of Infrastructure & Energy	
11:30 – 01:00	<i>Introductory Remarks</i>
	<i>Presentation by GRMF Technical Consultant (RP/MV)</i>
	<i>Presentation on Procurement Procedures (AUC)</i>
	<i>Presentation on Environment and Social Impact Assessment (KfW)</i>
	<i>Q&A</i>
01:00 – 02:00	<i>Lunch</i>
SPECIAL MEETING WITH GRMF DEVELOPERS	
<i>by invitation</i>	
02:00 – 03:00	<i>Representatives from:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Geothermal development company (GDC);</i> ▪ <i>Geological Survey of Ethiopia (GSE);</i> ▪ <i>Reykjavik Geothermal (RG);</i> ▪ <i>Africa Geothermal International Ltd. (Agil);</i> ▪ <i>Bureau géologique des Comores;</i> ▪ <i>Cluff Geotherma;</i> ▪ <i>Akiira One Ltd;</i> ▪ <i>Energy Development Corporation;</i> ▪ <i>Olsuswa Energy Ltd;</i> ▪ <i>Tanzania Geothermal Development company Ltd;</i> ▪ <i>Djibouti Office for Development of Geothermal Energy.</i>
03:00 - 03:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
03:30 – 05:00	<i>Bilateral and internal meetings</i>
05:00	End of the Meeting