



VI CONFERENCE OF DIRECTORS OF THE WEST AFRICAN NATIONAL METEOROLOGICAL AND HYDROLOGICAL SERVICES

Nouakchott, 19-21 April 2016

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

(Venue: Hotel)

MONDAY, 18 APRIL 2016

Participants arrive in Nouakchott

CONFERENCE OF DIRECTORS

TUESDAY, 19 APRIL 2016

08:00-09:00 hrs Registration

09:00 hrs **MARINEMET Steering Committee**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Marinemet PRs, WMO and AEMET officials

SESSION 1: OPENING OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

11:00 hrs **Welcome**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
(Ministry of Mauritania)

11:10 hrs **Address Welcome**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
World Meteorological Organization (WMO)

11:15 hrs **Welcome**
XXXXXXXXXXXX
PR of Spain

11:20 hrs **Conference Opening Address**
Mohamed Batta Cheikh Mohamed El Mamy
PR of Mauritania

- 11:30 hrs** Group Photo and Tea/Coffee Break
- SESSION 2: AFRIMET/INVITED INSTITUTIONS**
(Chair: Rapporteur:)
- 12:00 hrs** **General remarks. AFRIMET Organization.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET
- 12:15 hrs** **Global situation of West Africa. Needs of the region.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
World Meteorological Organization (WMO) /
- 12:30 hrs** **ECOWAS Meteorological program**
Lamin May Touray
ECOWAS Representative
- 12:40 hrs** Lunch
- 14:30 hrs** **ACMAD General Activities**
Adama Alhassane Diallo
ACMAD Director
- 14:40 hrs** **AGRHYMET General Activities**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
AGRHYMET Director
- 14:50 hrs** **Report and summary on PRs Survey**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET
- 15:00 hrs** **Report on activities at AFRIMET. Boadilla Action Plan Review.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
AFRIMET Coordinator
- 15:10 hrs** **Open floor for PRs.**
XXXXXXXXXX
PRs (5-10 min.)
- 16:00 hrs** Tea/Coffee Break
- 16:30 hrs** **Open floor for PRs. (Continuation)**
XXXXXXXXXX
PRs (5-10 min.)
- 18:00 hrs** **Closing**

WEDNESDAY, 20 APRIL 2016**SESSION 3: MARINEMET***(Chairman: Rapporteur:)*

- 09 :00 hrs Official handover MARINEMET project**
XXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET/PRs
- 09:15 hrs Report on activities at MARINEMET PROJECT**
XXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO MARINEMET focal point
- 09:45 hrs Report on activities at MARINEMET (2012-2015). Rapport by countries**
xx minutes
Cape Verde, Senegal, Gambia and Mauritania.

10:45 hrs Tea/Coffee Break

SESSION 4: AFRIMET PROJECTS/ACTION PLAN 2016-2018*(Chair: Rapporteur:)*

- 11:15 hrs AFRIMET ACTION PLAN 2016-2018. General remarks**
XXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET officials
- 11:25 hrs MARINEMET SECOND PHASE.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO focal point
General discussions and approval
- 11:35 hrs METAGRI and METAGRI OPERATIONAL Review**
XXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO METAGRI Focal point
- 12:45 hrs METAGRI SERVICES.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO focal point
General discussions and approval
- 12:15 hrs HEALTHMET Project Review**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET HEALTHMET Focal points
HEALTHMET Comments by countries
Burkina Faso, Mauritania (2x10min)
- 12:25 hrs HEALTHMET Action Plan**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO focal point
General discussions and approval
- 12:45 hrs Lunch**

SESSION 4: AFRIMET NEW PROJECTS/ACTION PLAN 2016-2018*(Chair: Rapporteur:)*

- 14:30 hrs CLIMATE DATABASE** (CHIMET example)
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
AEMET Official
- 14:40 hrs CONSULTANCY SMNs** (CHIMET example)
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
AEMET Official
- 14:50 hrs SAF NOWCASTING PRODUCTS**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
AEMET Official
- 15:00 hrs SEVERE WEATHER FORECASTING SYSTEM. Demonstration.**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Abdulah XXXX WMO
- 15:20hrs AFRIMET Website review**
Delia Gutiérrez
Website Focal point
- 15:30 hrs NEW PROJECTS**
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
WMO/AEMET Officials
- General discussion of the projects**
Statements from Directors of NMHSs (10 min each)
- 16:00 hrs Tea/Coffee Break**
- 16:30 hrs Review of the discussion**
XXXXXXXXXXXX
Rapporteurs
- 17:00 hrs Preparation of Action Plan Draft**
- 18:00 hrs Closing**

THURSDAY, 21 APRIL 2016

SESSION 5 ADOPTION AFRIMET ACTION PLAN 2016-2018.

(Chair: Rapporteur:)

- 09:00 hrs Presentation of Draft ACTION PLAN 2016-2018
WMO/AEMET**
- 09:30 hrs Draft Revision. Final discussions and conclusions**
- 10:30 hrs Tea/Coffee Break**
- 11:00 hrs Adoption of ACTION PLAN 2016-2018 and Meeting Statement**

CLOSING SESSION

- 12:00 hrs Addressing words from Mauritania, AEMET and WMO**
- 13:00 hrs Lunch**
- 15:00 hrs Closing**