EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

DELEGATION FOR RELATIONS WITH SOUTH AFRICA

10th EP/South Africa Interparliamentary meeting

Wednesday 5 September 2007, 15:00-18:30 Thursday 6 September 2007, 9:45-12:00

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DRAFT AGENDA

I. Political, social and economic developments in South Africa

- Recent political, social and economic developments in South Africa
- South Africa's report from the African Peer Review Mechanism
- South Africa's African Agenda
- The African Union Accra Summit on regional integration
- NEPAD

II. Political, social and economic developments in the EU

- Review of EU Strategic Partnerships, e.g. Brazil, China and India
- EU/ Turkey relations
- EU/ Kosovo
- EU/ Russian relations
- Constitutional reforms
- WTO/Doha
- Migration/ integration/ xenophobia
- Trade protectionism/ national champions
- Environment/climate change

III. EU-South Africa relations

- Implementation of the Joint Action Plan for the SA-EU Strategic Partnership
- Economic Partnership Agreements
- Impact of the EPAs on the future of the ACP
- Report on the Millennium Development Goals
- Areas of potential co-operation
 - Environment
 - Peace and security in Africa
 - Science and technology for development
 - Trade
 - Energy

IV. Future Interparliamentary relations

- Future interparliamentary relations under the Joint EU/ Africa Strategy
- Strengthening relations between the Pan-African Parliament and the EP
- Interparliamentary relations between regional and national parliaments
- Institutional arrangements for the EPA

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