

## Detailed programme of work for the ministerial segment

Friday, 4 December 2020

Time	Description
11.45 – 12.00p.m.	<b>Briefing on the use of KUDO platform</b>
<b>Item 1: Opening ceremony: 12.00 p.m.–12.30p.m. – Master of Ceremony: Cecilia Njenga, UNEP</b>	
12.00p.m.	Welcome remarks by H.E. Ms. Barbara Creecy, Minister of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries of South Africa and President of AMCEN
12.10p.m.	Ms. Inger Andersen, Executive Director, United Nations Environment Programme
12.20p.m.	Ms. Correa Leonel Josefa, Commissioner for Rural Economy and Agriculture, African Union Commission
<b>Item 2: Ministerial and High-level Statements, including Civil Society: 12.30 p.m.–1.30p.m. – Chaired by AMCEN President</b>	
12.30p.m.	Ms. Patricia Espinosa, Executive Secretary, UNFCCC
12.35p.m.	Mr. Ibrahim Thiaw, Executive Secretary, UNCCD
12.40p.m.	Ms. Elizabeth Mrema, Executive Secretary, UNCBD
12.45p.m.	Mr. Frans Timmermans, Executive Vice-President for the European Green Deal, European Commission
12.50p.m.	Mr. Sveinung Rotevatn, President of UN Environment Assembly
12.55p.m.	Dr. Matshidiso Moeti, Regional Director, WHO Regional Office for Africa
1.00p.m.	Mr. Antony Nyong', Director of Climate Change and Green Growth, African Development Bank Group
1.05p.m.	Ms. Estherine Fotabong, Director, Programme Planning and Innovation, NEPAD-AUDA
1.10p.m.	Representative of civil society
1.15p.m. – 1.45p.m.	Ministerial statements
1.45p.m.–2.15p.m.	<b>Break</b>
<b>Item 3: Organizational matters</b>	
2.15p.m.–2.30p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of agenda</li> <li>• Organization of work</li> </ul>
<b>Item 4: Summary of the expert group's deliberations, led by the Chair of the expert group</b>	
2.30p.m.–3.00p.m.	Mr. Stuart Mangold, Senior Policy Advisor for Africa and Bilateral Relations of the Department of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries, South Africa, will present the report of the expert group segment, which will include a summary of the proceedings and the recommendations and invite brief reactions
<b>Item 5: Consideration of the proposed Africa Green Stimulus Programme</b>	
3.00p.m. – 3.30p.m.	Mr. Stuart Mangold, Senior Policy Advisor for Africa and Bilateral Relations of the Department of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries, South Africa, will give a brief presentation on the proposed programme, highlighting the roadmap for its development and implementation and the recommendations from the expert group meeting and invite brief reactions
3.30p.m. – 4.00p.m.	<b>Break</b>
<b>Item 6: Consideration and adoption of the draft ministerial statement and key messages submitted by the expert group</b>	
4.00p.m.– 5.00p.m.	Mr. Robert Wabunoha from the AMCEN Secretariat will present the draft Ministerial statement and draft key messages paragraph by paragraph and invite their opinions.
<b>Item 7: Other matters</b>	
5.00p.m. – 5.15p.m.	Major issues of interest not included on the agenda will be highlighted and noted
<b>Item 8: Closure of the meeting</b>	
5.15p.m. - 5.30p.m.	The AMCEN President will make concluding remarks before bringing the meeting to a formal close