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## **Draft Agenda**

Purpose: Consideration  
Submitted by: Viet Nam



**Informal Senior Officials' Meeting  
Ha Noi, Viet Nam  
9 December 2016**

**INFORMAL SENIOR OFFICIALS' MEETING**  
**9 December 2016**  
**National Convention Center, Ha Noi, Viet Nam**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

**Opening Remarks (09:00 - 09:15)**

- H.E. Mr. Bui Thanh Son, Incoming APEC 2017 SOM Chair

**Session I- Implementing the Lima Mandate (09:15 - 10:30)**

*Implementation in 2017 of the directions and tasks set forth by APEC Leaders and Ministers in Lima*

Discussion Points

- 1.1. Outgoing SOM Chair to report on the APEC 2016 outcomes based on the APEC 2016 Tasking Statement
- 1.2. SOM to consider the directions and tasks provided by APEC Leaders and Ministers in Lima for action in 2017 and beyond, and to discuss the APEC 2016 Tasking Statement

Desired Outcomes

- SOM to note the outgoing SOM Chair's report
- A shared view among SOM on how best to implement the key outcomes of 2016 and to provide direction for work in 2017

**SOM Family Photo (10:30 - 10:35)**

**Coffee Break (10:35 - 10:45)**

**Session II- Priority Areas for APEC 2017 (10:45 - 12:00)**

*The priority areas for APEC 2017 under the overarching theme of "Creating New Dynamism, Fostering a Shared Future"*

Discussion Points

- 2.1. SOM to exchange views on the ideas presented during the Symposium on the priorities for APEC 2017
- 2.2. SOM to discuss the overarching theme and key priorities for APEC 2017 as proposed by Viet Nam
  - Theme: "Creating New Dynamism, Fostering a Shared Future"*
  - o Priority 1: Fostering Sustainable, Innovative and Inclusive Growth
  - o Priority 2: Deepening Regional Economic Integration
  - o Priority 3: Strengthening MSMEs' Competitiveness and Innovation in the Digital Age
  - o Priority 4: Enhancing Food Security and Sustainable Agriculture in Response to Climate Change

**SOM Working Lunch (12:00 - 13:30)**

**Session II- Priority Areas for APEC 2017 (continued, 13:30 - 15:00)**

Discussion Points

- 2.2. Continuation of discussion on key priorities for APEC 2017 as presented by Viet Nam
- 2.3. Incoming ABAC Chair to brief SOM on the 2017 ABAC Process and to invite Senior Officials to ABAC1

Desired Outcomes

- Shared understanding of and support for key priorities for APEC 2017
- SOM to note ABAC's presentation and invitation

**Coffee Break (15:00 - 15:15)**

**Session III- Plans for APEC 2017 and Beyond (15:15 - 16:15)**

*The ways for APEC to deliver the best results for the overall priorities and efforts in 2017*

Discussion Points

- 3.1. SOM to review the APEC 2017 notional calendar
- 3.2. SOM to discuss the funding criteria for APEC-funded projects in 2017

Desired Outcomes

- SOM to note the APEC 2017 notional calendar
- SOM to endorse the APEC 2017 funding criteria

**Any Other Business (16:15 - 16:30)**

**Document Classification (16:30 - 16:40)**