Working Party on Aid Effectiveness and Donor Practices

DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE JOINT VENTURE ON PUBLIC FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

To be held on 29-30 June 2006 starting at 9h30 in Room E at La Muette (OECD - 2 rue André Pascal)

This draft agenda is submitted FOR APPROVAL to the Joint Venture on Public Financial Management on 29 June 2006. Please note that on 28 June a day will be devoted to the PEFA framework for measuring performance in public financial management.

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JOINT VENTURE ON PUBLIC FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

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The meeting will be held at the OECD La Muette Room E
2 rue André Pascal
75016 Paris

Thursday, 29 June

Morning Session

9h30 1. Adoption of the Agenda
   For approval

2. Summary of the last meeting
   For approval

10h00 3. PEFA performance measurement framework
   The PEFA Secretariat will update members on the implementation of the PEFA performance measurement framework at country level.
   For discussion

12h00 4. General budget support evaluation
   Following the Good Practice Paper on budget support elaborated by the Joint Venture, a recent evaluation has examined the impact of general budget support (Doc. 1). The purpose of this agenda item is to present implications with regard to the good practice paper.
   For discussion

Afternoon Session

14h30 5. Benchmarking country procurement systems
   The OECD-DAC Secretariat will update members on the framework for benchmarking countries’ procurement systems developed by the Joint Venture on Procurement (Doc. 2).
   For information

16h00 6. Survey on Monitoring the Paris Declaration
   The OECD-DAC Secretariat will update members on progress in implementing the 2006 Survey on Monitoring the Paris Declaration.
   For information
Friday, 30 June

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9h00  7. **IPSAS accounting standards**

The IPSAS board has agreed to re-expose a draft on accounting standards for ODA (ED 24) before the end of the year. In this connection, the Joint Venture is invited to make specific recommendations (Doc. 3).

*For discussion*

10h00  8. **Good Practice in PFM reforms**

The UK representative will deliver a presentation on support to PFM report in the case of Ghana. The purpose of this agenda item is to open-up a discussion on the factors underlying the adoption of good (or bad) practices in a concrete country case.

*For discussion*

11h30  9. **Website on training in PFM**

A dedicated website to share information on training on PFM has been established. Members are invited to respond to the following questions: what use will be made of the website? And what kind of information is useful and to whom?

*For discussion*

12h00  10. **Next steps & other business**

Linkages with Harmonisation of Overseas Audit Practices (HOAP) and IFAC’s Developing Nations Committee (see Doc. 4).

*For decision*

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1 The address of the website is: www.oecd.org/dac/effectiveness/pfm