DAC Network on Poverty Reduction

DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF THE CROSS-CUTTING TEAM ON RISK AND VULNERABILITY

28-29 June 2005, Tunis, TUNISIA

The meeting is interwoven and parallel with the Conference on "Mainstreaming Social Protection in the World Bank's Economic and Sector Work and Operations in Africa".

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DAC POVNET RISK AND VULNERABILITY CROSS-CUTTING TEAM MEETING

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June 28-29 2005
Sheraton Tunis (Ex-Hilton), Avenue de la Ligue Arabe, 1080 Tunis Carthage

The purpose of this meeting is to (i) review the hot topic paper on cash transfers ii) learn more about work on human security (iii) agree on key policy messages for the overarching POVNET paper and the main task team publication (vi) discuss and agree on the process, roles and responsibilities for combining, synthesizing and editing existing papers into a Final Guidance (Publication) of the Cross Cutting Team.

Tuesday - June 28, 2005

14:00 – 14:30  Where do we currently stand? (in the Team)
   • Status of POVNET's and Task Team's work (introduction by Timo Voipio, Team leader and Annabel Mülder of DAC-Secretariat)

14:30 – 15:30  Main Task Team publication (Guidance to DAC)
   • Purpose and scope
   • The process of integrating and streamlining existing papers (concepts, instruments etc)
   • Roles and responsibilities in this process

15:30 – 16:00  Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:00  Human Security
   • Presentation by JICA (Makino Koji, JICA, tbc)
   • Discussion

17:00- 18:00  Messages for the Overarching/Framework Paper
   • Revisiting the joint TT comments of 31 May, 2006 (Timo Voipio)
   • Discussion and additional messages for the Steering Group meeting July 1st

18:00-19:00  DFID Policy Paper on Social Assistance (in Plenary)
   • Presentation by Steven Kidd and Malcolm Ridout
   • Discussion with all Tunis conference participants
Wednesday – June 29, 2005

10:30 - 12:00  Presentation of DAC Guidance for Donors on Risk, Vulnerability and Social Protection in Pro-Poor Growth and PRS-Contexts (in Plenary)

- Presentation to Plenary (Timo Voipio)
- Comments from African Partners, staff from World Bank, AfDB and other donors

12:00 – 14:00  Lunch Break

14:00 – 15:30  Revisit key messages in light of the mornings’ discussion (in the Team)
Reach working consensus on key task team messages

15:30 – 16:00  Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:15  Hot topic paper on Cash Transfers

- Introduction (Nicola Wiebe, GTZ)
- Presentation (Paul Harvey, ODI)
- Discussion

17:15 – 17:30  Next steps

- Summary of roles and responsibilities
- Next meeting