

**UNITED NATIONS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES (UNACLA)**

UNACLA Special Meeting on Job Creation and Local Productivity, October 1, 2013

VENUE: Hotel Sofitel- Royale 1, Rabat, Kingdom of Morocco

TIME: 14:00-16:00

Tuesday, 1 October, 2013	
14:00	<p>Welcome and Opening: Kadir Topbas, Mayor of Metropolitan Istanbul, Chairman of UNACLA, President of UCLG Dr. Aisa Kacyira Kirabo, Deputy Executive Director, UN-Habitat</p>
14:20	<p>Part I: UNACLA Regular Meeting Business Chair: Kadir Topbas, Chairman of UNACLA</p>
	<p>1. Approval of Agenda</p>
	<p>2. Adoption of Minutes from the previous UNACLA meeting, 24th session of the Governing Council, Nairobi, Kenya- April 2013</p> <p>Reference: ANNEX 1- Minutes from the UNACLA Meeting in Nairobi, Kenya- April 2013</p>
14:30	<p>Part II: Post 2015 and Habitat III Processes</p>
	<p>3. Deputy Executive Director Dr. Aisa Kacyira Kirabo and Mayor Kadir Topbas to update UNACLA on the status of the Global Processes (Post 2015 and Habitat III)</p> <p>Deputy Executive Director Dr. Aisa Kacyira Kirabo to provide a brief summary for UNACLA members on the status of UN-Habitat's efforts to involve Local Governments in the international policy making debates within the framework of the Post 2015, Rio+20 and Habitat III processes. Mayor Kadir Topbas to brief UNACLA Members on the status of the Global Taskforce for Local and Regional Governments and further involvement.</p>
15:00	<p>Part III: Job Creation and Local Productivity</p>
	<p>4. Job Creation and Local Productivity 2012/13</p> <p>Thomas Melin, UNACLA Coordinator/ Head, Office of External Relations, UN-Habitat to give a summary of the 2012/13 work programme.</p> <p>UCLG Working Group on Local Economic Development to discuss the challenges and opportunities of Job creation at the Local Government level.</p> <p>Open the floor for discussion on the Draft Report and suggested Case Studies.</p>

	Reference: ANNEX 2- Draft Report on Job Creation and Local Productivity
15:30	Part IV: UNACLA Recommendations to UN-Habitat
	<p>5. Recommendations from UNACLA towards UN-Habitat</p> <p>UNACLA Members are availed the opportunity to suggest specific recommendations to the United Nations, focusing on the case studies for the Draft Report on Job Creation and Local Productivity, involvement in international processes (Post 2015 and Habitat III) and methods of engagement.</p>
15:45	<p>Update for Next Meeting and World Urban Forum 7</p> <p>Thomas Melin, UNACLA Coordinator/ Head, Office of External Relations, UN-Habitat to discuss the next UNACLA Meeting at the World Urban Forum 7 in Medellin, Colombia in April 2014.</p>
15:50	<p>Closing Statement: Kadir Topbas, Mayor of Metropolitan Istanbul, Chairman of UNACLA, President of UCLG</p>
16:00	Photo Session