## Urban Sector Profile Study for Policy Inputs for Urban Poverty Reduction in Africa and the Arab States

### Description of event:
The purpose is to review and discuss the results of an Urban Sector Profile Study to influence urban poverty reduction policy development and implementation of the MDGs at local, national and regional levels in Africa and Arab States. The study, based on the EU standard “Urban Sector Profile Study” terms of reference includes an assessment of needs and response mechanisms. The Study focuses on four themes: Slums, Governance, Gender and Environment.

### Name of organization:
Regional Office for Africa and the Arab States, UN-HABITAT

### Description of organization:
The United Nations Human Settlements Programme, UN-HABITAT, is the United Nations agency for human settlements. It is mandated by the UN General Assembly to promote socially and environmentally sustainable towns and cities with the goal of providing adequate shelter for all.

### Partner organizations:
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