



## Post Hong Kong Africa Regional Workshop on WTO Negotiations

*Protea Hotel President, Cape Town  
10-11 March 2006*

### Workshop Programme

<b>Monday 10 April</b>	CHAIR: Paul Kalenga (Trade Policy Advisor – SADC)
08h30-09h00	Registration, tea & coffee
09h00-09h20	Welcome remarks: Ms Trudi Hartzenberg (Executive Director, <b>tralac</b> ) Mr Ivan Mbirimi (Economic Adviser, Commonwealth Secretariat)
09h20-10h30	Opening Address: African Perspective on the Negotiations Ambassador H.E. Samuel Amehou – Benin (Chair: African Group)
10h30-11h00	Tea Break
11h00-12h30	Agriculture: Mr Jurgen Hoffmann (Trade Advisor, Namibian Agricultural Trade Forum) Mr Howard Sigwele (Independent Consultant: Botswana)
12h30-13h00	Cotton: Ambassador H.E. Samuel Amehou – Benin (Chair: African Group)
13h00-14h00	Lunch
14h00-15h00	Non-Agricultural Market Access (NAMA): Mr Benjamin Katjipuka (Namibian Trade Office to the WTO)
15h00-16h00	Services: Ms Sabrina Varma (South Centre)
16h00-16h30	Tea Break
16h30-17h00	The TRIPS Amendment Mr Tenu Avafia (Intellectual Property Policy Advisor, UNDP)
17h00	Break
18h00-21h00	Cocktail Case study on Mauritius' preparation for aid for trade Mr Narrainen Streevarsen Pillay, Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (Mauritius)

<b>Tuesday 11 April</b>	CHAIR: Paulina Elago (TradeHUB – Southern Africa)
09h00-09h30	The situation of LDCs in Hong Kong and beyond Isabelle M. Lemba, Permanent Mission of Zambia (Geneva)
09h30-10h30	Aid for Trade & Trade Facilitation: Mr Ivan Mbirimi (Economic Adviser, Commonwealth Secretariat) Mr Kennedy Mbekeani (Trade Advisor, UNDP)
10h30-11h00	Tea break
11h00-13h00	A synopsis of the Hong Kong Ministerial Text: Key Areas of Concern to Africa in 2006: Dr Shishir Priyadarshi (WTO)  The Way Forward: Discussion facilitated by Paul Kalenga (Trade Policy Advisor – SADC), Calvin Manduna (Researcher – <b>tralac</b> )
13h00	CLOSE

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