

The Key Agenda 2063 Flagship Projects

INTEGRATED HIGH SPEED TRAIN NETWORK

Connecting all African capitals and commercial centres through an African High Speed Train to facilitate movement of goods, factor services and people, reduce transport costs and relieve congestion of current and future systems.

AN AFRICAN VIRTUAL AND E-UNIVERSITY

Increasing access to tertiary and continuing education in Africa by reaching large numbers of students and professionals in multiple sites simultaneously and developing relevant and high quality Open Distance and eLearning (ODEL) resources to offer the prospective student guaranteed access to the University from anywhere in the world and anytime (24 hours a day, 7 days a week).

FORMULATION OF A COMMODITIES STRATEGY

Enabling African countries add value, extract higher rents from their commodities, integrate into the Global Value chains, and promote vertical and horizontal diversification anchored in value addition and local content development.

ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ANNUAL AFRICAN FORUM

This is designed to bring together, once a year, the African political leadership, the private sector, academia and civil society to discuss developments and constraints as well as measures to be taken to realize the Aspirations and goals of Agenda 2063.

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CONTINENTAL FREE TRADE AREA BY 2017

To significantly accelerate growth of Intra-Africa trade and use trade more effectively as an engine of growth and sustainable development, through doubling of intra-Africa trade by 2022, strengthen Africa's common voice and policy space in global trade negotiations and establish the following financial institutions within agreed upon timeframes: African Investment Bank and Pan African Stock Exchange (2016); the African Monetary Fund (2018); and the African Central Bank (2028/34).

THE AFRICAN PASSPORT AND FREE MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE

Transforming Africa's laws, which remain generally restrictive on movement of people despite political commitments to bring down borders with the view to promoting the issuance of visas by Member States and enhance free movement of African citizens in all African countries by 2018.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GRAND INGA DAM PROJECT

The optimal development of the Inga Dam will generate 43,200 MW of power to support current regional power pools and their combined service to transform Africa from traditional to modern sources of energy and ensure access of all Africans to clean and affordable electricity.

THE PAN-AFRICAN E-NETWORK

This involves a wide range of stakeholders and envisages putting in place policies and strategies that will lead to transformative e-applications and services in Africa especially the intra-African broad band terrestrial infrastructure and cyber security thereby making information revolution the basis for service delivery in the bio and nanotechnology industries and ultimately transform Africa into an e-Society.

SILENCING THE GUNS BY 2020

Ending all wars, civil conflicts, gender based violence and violent conflicts and prevent genocide. Monitor progress through the establishment and operationalization of an African Human Security Index (AHSI).

AFRICA OUTER SPACE STRATEGY

This aims to strengthen Africa's use of outer space to bolster its development. Outer space is of critical importance to the development of Africa in all fields: agriculture, disaster management, remote sensing, climate forecast, banking and finance, as well as defence and security. Africa's access to space technology products is no longer a matter of luxury and there is a need to speed up access to these technologies and products. New developments in satellite technologies make these very accessible to African countries.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A SINGLE AFRICAN AIR TRANSPORT MARKET

This flagship project aims at delivering a single African air transport market to facilitate air transportation in Africa.

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE AFRICAN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Establishment of the African Continental Financial Institutions aims at accelerating integration and socio-economic development of the continent, as they are important institutions for the mobilization of resources and management of the financial sector.