

Mobilizing Aid for Trade: Focus Asia-Pacific

Manila, 19-20 September 2007

18 September / Evening Welcome Reception

DAY 1 - Wednesday, 19 September

Opening Remarks: AfT in the Asia-Pacific

- The President of the Philippines
 - WTO Director General
 - ADB President
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Plenary 1: Why AfT Matters in the Asia-Pacific

- Minister from a large developing country
 - Minister from an LDC
 - Minister from a small state
 - Minister from the Philippines
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Networking Break (30-40 min)

Plenary 2: Public-Private Sector Partnership (PPP) for AfT in the Asia-Pacific

- Infrastructure fund representative
 - Trade finance representative
 - Export credit agency representative
 - 1-2 other private sector finance representatives
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Lunch

- Luncheon address by an eminent person
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Parallel Break Out Sessions 1: Big Picture on AfT in Regions/Philippines

- Philippines (including regional dimension)
 - Greater Mekong Sub-Region (GMS)
 - South Asia
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Networking Break (30-40 min)

Parallel Break Out Sessions 2: Thematic/Sector Issues on AfT in Regions/Philippines

- Philippines (including regional dimension)
 - Greater Mekong Sub-Region (GMS)
 - South Asia
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Conference Dinner

DAY 2 - Thursday, 20 September

Plenary 3: Ministerial Roundtable on AfT in the Asia-Pacific: (reports on break outs and discussion by Ministers)

- Minister from a large developing country
 - Minister from an LDC
 - Minister from a small state
 - Minister from the Philippines
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Networking Break (30-40 min)

Plenary 4: Donor Partnerships for AfT in the Asia-Pacific

- Traditional and new donors
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Closing Remarks: Summary and Next Steps

- WTO Director General
 - ADB President
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Lunch
