**National workshop on Market Access for Trade in Goods**

**20-21 June 2024, Luanda, Angola**

**Trainers:** Darlan F. Martí, Market Access Division, WTO

**Draft Programme**

**8:00 - 8:50** Arrival and Registration of Guests

**8:50 - 9:00** Singing of the Angolan National Anthem

**9:00 - 9:05**  Words of Welcome (His Excellency Manuel Homem, Governor of Luanda)

**9:05 - 9:10** Words of circumstance (His Excellency Rui de Oliveira, Minister of Industry and Commerce)

**9:10 - 9:20** Opening Speech (His Excellency José Massano, Minister of State for Economic Coordination)

**9:25 - 9:50**  PRELIMINARY ITEM, ASSESSMENT OF THE DEGREE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FIRST FORUM

(MINDCOM/ ANAT representative)

**9:55 - 10:15** - Cultural Moment – Theater

**10:20 -10:35 -** Coffee break

**PANEL I “ THE CURRENT CONTEXT OF FOREIGN TRADE IN ANGOLA ”**

**10:30 - 12:30** (WTO resource person and other presenters)

THEME:

Access to Services for Foreign Trade Operations (sectoral authorizations)

- Case study: Agricultural / Export Sector

- Case study: Industrial sector / Exporter

- Case study: Importer / Modern Distribution

MODERATOR: Journalist - João Pedro

PRELECTORS: NOVAGROLIDER company representative

Representative of the Textile and Clothing Industry Association of Angola Representative of the ECODIMA Association

**12:30 - 14:00**  Lunch break

**14:00 - 14:05**  Cultural Moment

**PANEL II “ELIMINATING BARRIERS TO FOREIGN TRADE**”

**14:05 - 16:00**

- THEME:

- Vision within the framework of the World Trade Organization - WTO and Government Vision

- Vision of the private sector

- Vision of the New Customs and Tax Academy – ANAT

MODERATOR: Economist - Jorge Baptista

PRELECTORS: Representative of the Ministry of Industry and Trade / CNFC Representative of the Private Sector - To be confirmed Representative of ANAT - Prof. Sebastião dos Santos

**16:05 - 16:20** Reading of Conclusions and Recommendations

(MINDCOM - GCI Director, Dr. Cláudia Pinto)

**16:25- 16:30** Closing speech - (His Excellency Rui de Oliveira, Minister of Industry and Trade)

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**09:30 – 09:50 Opening**

Statement by a representative from the Ministry of Industry and Trade

Statement by WTO Secretariat

**09:50 – 10:45 WTO Notifications and notification gaps: an overview**

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**10:45 – 11:00 Break**

**11:00 – 12:30 Quantitative Restrictions**

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**12:30 – 13:30 Lunch Break**

**13:30 – 14:30 Import Licensing Procedures**

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**14:30 – 15:00 Customs Valuation and Trade Facilitation**

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**15:00 – 15:15 Break**

**15:15 – 16:00 Notifications: resources**

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**16:00 – 16:30 Next steps and conclusion**

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