



**DRAFT PROGRAMME OF THE SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2020 MEETINGS
OF THE AFRICAN UNION
(Videoconference)**

As of 7 October 2020

AU STATUTORY MEETINGS
From 30 September to 22 October 2020

AU STATUTORY MEETINGS

- (1) FORTIETH (40TH) ORDINARY SESSION OF THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES' COMMITTEE (PRC)
- 30 September - 01 October 2020**
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
(Videoconference)
- **30 September - 01 October 2020: 10.00–13.00 hrs & 14.00–18.00 hrs**
 - **02 & 05 October 2020: 10.00-13.00 hrs - Adoption of the PRC Recommendations**

COMMITTEES OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- (2) MEETING OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON AFRICAN CANDIDATURES WITHIN THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM – AMBASSADORIAL LEVEL – **DPA**
- 23 September 2020**
15.30 – 18.00 hrs.
(Videoconference)
- (3) MEETING OF THE F15 COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS
- 6 October 2020**
11.00 – 14.00 hrs.
(Videoconference)
- (4) MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS OF FINANCE
- 9 October 2020**
11.00 – 14.00 hrs.
(Videoconference)



- (5) MEETING OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON AFRICAN CANDIDATURES WITHIN THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM – MINISTERIAL LEVEL – **DPA** **12 October 2020**
15.00 – 18.00 hrs.
(Videoconference)

- *15.00 - 16.00 hrs: Bureau meeting*
- *16.00 - 18.00 hrs: meeting of the full Committee*

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- (6) THIRTY-SEVENTH (37TH) ORDINARY SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL **13-14 October 2020**
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
(Videoconference)

- *13 October 2020: 12.00 - 15.00 hrs & 16.00 - 19.00 hrs*
- *14 October 2020: 12.00 - 15.00 hrs & 16.00 - 19.00 hrs and Adoption of the Executive Council Decisions*

MID-YEAR COORDINATION MEETING

- (7) 2ND MID-YEAR COORDINATION MEETING OF THE AFRICAN UNION, THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMUNITIES (RECs) AND THE REGIONAL MECHANISMS (RMs) **22 October 2020**
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
(Videoconference)

- *12.00 – 12.30 hrs - Opening ceremony*
- *12.30 - 16.00 hrs – Closed Session*
- *16.00 – 16.30 hrs. – Closing ceremony*



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(1)

**FORTIETH (40TH) ORDINARY SESSION OF THE PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVES' COMMITTEE (PRC)
30 SEPTEMBER – 01 OCTOBER 2020**

Venue: Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (Videoconference)

30 September 2020

Opening Ceremony

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| 10.00 – 10:30 hrs. | : | - Opening Remarks by the Chairperson of the Permanent Representatives' Committee (PRC)
- Welcome Remarks by the Chairperson of the Commission |
| 10:30 – 13:00 hrs. | : | Closed Session |
| 13:00 – 14:00 hrs. | : | Lunch Break |
| 14:00 – 18:00 hrs. | : | Closed Session |

01 October 2020

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| 10:00 – 13:00 hrs. | : | Closed Session |
| 13:00 – 14:00 hrs. | : | Lunch Break |
| 14:00 – 18:00 hrs. | : | Closed Session |

02 & 05 October 2020

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| 10:00 - 13:00 hrs. | : | Adoption of the Recommendations of the PRC |
| | : | Closing |



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(2)

**MEETING OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON AFRICAN CANDIDATURES
WITHIN THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM – AMBASSADORIAL LEVEL**

(Videoconference)

23 September 2020

23 September 2020

15.30 – 18.00 hrs. Meeting of the Ministerial Committee on African
Candidatures within the International System –
Ambassadorial level

NB: Final programme to be circulated by the DPA

The members of the Ministerial Committee are:

- Republic of Tunisia – Chair
- Republic of Equatorial Guinea – 1st Vice Chair
- Republic of Djibouti – 2nd Vice Chair
- Republic of Angola – 3rd Vice Chair
- Republic of Sierra Leone – Rapporteur
- Burkina Faso
- Republic of Congo
- Gabonese Republic
- Republic of Ghana
- Islamic Republic of Mauritania
- Republic of Kenya
- Republic of Malawi
- Republic of Senegal
- Republic of Sudan
- Republic of Zimbabwe



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(3)

MEETING OF THE F15 COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS
(Videoconference)

6 October 2020

6 October 2020

11.00 – 14.00 hrs. Meeting of the F15 Committee of Experts

NB: Final programme to be circulated by the BDCP / PBFA

The members of the Committee of Fifteen Ministers of Finance (F15) are:

- Central: Cameroon, Chad and Congo
- North: Egypt, Algeria and Morocco
- South: South Africa, Botswana and Namibia
- West: Nigeria, Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire
- East: Ethiopia, Kenya and Rwanda



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(4)

MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS OF FINANCE
(Videoconference)

9 October 2020

9 October 2020

11.00 – 14.00 hrs. Meeting of the Committee of Ministers of Finance

NB: Final programme to be circulated by the BDCP / PBFA



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(5)

**MEETING OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON AFRICAN CANDIDATURES
WITHIN THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM – MINISTERIAL LEVEL**
(Videoconference)

12 October 2020

12 October 2020

15.00 – 16.00 hrs.	Bureau Meeting
16.00 – 18.00 hrs.	Meeting of the full Committee

NB: Final programme to be circulated by the DPA

The members of the Ministerial Committee are:

- Republic of Tunisia – Chair
- Republic of Equatorial Guinea – 1st Vice Chair
- Republic of Djibouti – 2nd Vice Chair
- Republic of Angola – 3rd Vice Chair
- Republic of Sierra Leone – Rapporteur
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(6)

**THIRTY-SEVENTH (37TH) ORDINARY SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
13 – 14 OCTOBER 2020**

Venue: Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (*Videoconference*)

13 October 2020

12.00 – 12.30 hrs.

Opening Ceremony

- Opening Remarks by the Chairperson of the Executive Council
(10 minutes)
- Statement by the Chairperson of the AU Commission **(10 minutes)**

Closed Session

12.30 - 12.40 hrs.

Adoption of the Agenda and Organization of Work

12.40 - 15.00 hrs.

Working Session

15.00 – 16.00 hrs.

Lunch Break

16.00 – 19.00 hrs.

Working Session

14 October 2020

12.00 - 15.00 hrs.

Working Session

15.00 – 16.00 hrs.

Lunch Break

16.00 – 19.00 hrs.

- Adoption of the Decisions of the 37th Ordinary Session of the

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Executive Council

- Any Other Business

19.00 – 19.30 hrs.

Closing



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(7)

**2ND MID-YEAR COORDINATION MEETING OF THE AFRICAN UNION,
THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC COMMUNITIES (RECs) AND
THE REGIONAL MECHANISMS (RMs)
22 OCTOBER 2020**

Venue: Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (*Videoconference*)

12.00 – 12.30 hrs

OPEN SESSION

OPENING CEREMONY

- Opening of Proceedings by H.E. Cyril Ramaphosa, President of the Republic of South Africa and Chairperson of the African Union (*15 Minutes*)
- Statement by H.E. Moussa Faki Mahamat, Chairperson of the African Union Commission (*15 Minutes*)

12.30 – 16.00 hrs

CLOSED SESSION

- Adoption of the Agenda and Organisation of Work
- Consideration of the Progress Report on COVID-19 Pandemic In Africa
- Consideration of the Report on the Division of Labour between the African Union, the Regional Economic Communities, the Regional Mechanisms and Member States



- Consideration of the Status Report on Regional Integration
- Consideration and adoption of the Draft Declaration of the 2nd Mid-Year Coordination Meeting between the African Union, the Regional Economic Communities (RECs) and the Regional Mechanisms (RMs)
- Any Other Business

16.00 – 16.30 hrs.

CLOSING CEREMONY

- Closing Statement by H.E. Cyril Ramaphosa, President of the Republic of South Africa and Chairperson of the African Union