





SASEC ASYCUDA Subregional Network (SASUN) Meeting 8 – 9 June 2016 Kathmandu, Nepal

AGENDA

Expected participants: Objectives:	 Nominated members and alternates from Bangladesh, Maldives, Nepal and Sri Lanka Representative from UNCTAD Representatives from ADB Discussion to be held to finalize the TOR, composition and modality for the SASEC ASYCUDA Subregional Network. To analyze what each of the countries expect from the support mechanism and, upon further discussion, adopt the draft TOR
Day 1	of SASEC ASYCUDA Subregional Network. Opening Session and presentation on SASEC Countries Presentations
0930 – 1000	Registration
1000 – 1030 1030 - 1100	 Opening session Opening Remarks and welcome statement by Chair of the Meeting Opening Statement by Asian Development Bank (ADB) Introduction and Brief Statements by Heads of Country Delegations and UNCTAD Closing of opening session Tea Break and Photo Session Session 1: AW Implementation status and expectation from the SASEC ASYCUDA Subregional Network Each country representative will present on their sustainability mechanism and expectations from the SASEC ASYCUDA Subregional Network. UNCTAD will share the experience of the
1100 – 1115	Pacific support mechanism. Bangladesh
1115 – 1130	Maldives
1130 – 1145	Nepal
1145 – 1200	Sri Lanka
1200 - 1230	Brief overview by UNCTAD on ASYCUDA Support Mechanism for the Pacific (ASMP) – how it functions and its modality

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1230 - 1245	Q & A
	Session 2: Discussion on Draft TOR of the SASUN
	A summary of the expectations from each of the countries presented in session 1 will be accumulated and grouped together to form the foundation of the draft TOR for the SASUN
1245 – 1300	Group Formation (2 Groups) and discussion on two thematic areas
1300 - 1400	Group 1: Discussion and final drafting of TOR
	Group 2: Group for discussion and final drafting of composition and Modality.
1400 - 1500	Lunch
1500 - 1515	Group Presentation by Group 1 (TOR)
1515 - 1530	Discussion on group 1 presentation
1530 – 1545	Presentation by Group 2 (Modality)
1545 - 1600	Discussion on Group 2 presentation
1600 - 1630	Summing up of 1st day program and brief outline of the 2nd day program.
Day 2	Closing Session and adoption of draft TOR for SASUN
	Session: Adoption and endorsement of TOR
0900-1000	Presentation by the Resource Person on draft TOR, modality and composition based on the discussion and presentations by the two groups on day 1 followed by discussion.
1000 - 1015	Tea Break
1015 – 1115	Adoption of proceedings, draft TOR, composition and modality
1115 - 1145	Concluding remarks by Department of Customs, Nepal
:	Lunch

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