### Preparatory Committee for the Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development (FfD4)

First session

Addis Ababa, 22-26 July 2024

### Draft Programme

**Monday, 22 July**

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| 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | Opening of the session by the Co-Chairs of the PrepCom  
• Mr. Zéphyrin Maniratanga, Permanent Representative of Burundi  
• Mr. Rui Vinhas, Permanent Representative of Portugal  

Pre-recorded video message from Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General, UN  

Pre-recorded video message from the Prime Minister of the host country of FfD4  
• Welcome by Mr. Taye Atskeselassie, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Ethiopia  
• Opening by Mr. Ahmed Shide, Minister of Finance, Ethiopia  
• Remarks by Mr. Li Junhua, Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs and Secretary-General of FfD4  

Election of officers  
Organizational matters

| 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Ministerial scene-setter: “Reviewing the progress and the gaps in the implementation of the Addis Ababa Action Agenda as an integral part of the 2030 Agenda, and identifying actions and ideas to accelerate the implementation of the SDGs”  
Chair:  
• Mr. Rui Vinhas, Permanent Representative of Portugal  

Keynote address:  
• Ms. Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General, UN  

Moderator:  
• Mr. Claver Gatete, Executive Secretary, ECA  

Panelists:  
• Mr. Ahmed Shide, Minister of Finance, Ethiopia  
• Mr. Diego Martínez Belio, State Secretary for Foreign and Global Affairs, Spain  
• Ms. Bjørg Sandkjær, State Secretary, Norway
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  - Mr. Zéphyrin Maniratanga, Permanent Representative of Burundi  

Moderator:  
  - Mr. Amar Bhattacharya, Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution  

Panelists:  
  - Mr. Audace Niyonzima, Minister of Finance, Budget and Economic Planning, Burundi  
  - Mr. Ali Haidar Ahmed, Minister of Housing, Land and Urban Development, Maldives  
  - Mr. Kudakwashe David Mnangagwa, Deputy Minister of Finance, Economic Development and Investment Promotion, Zimbabwe  
  - Ms. Dalia Tawakol, Deputy Assistant Minister for International Economic Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Egypt  

Pre-recorded video message from the UNDP Administrator  
Pre-recorded video message from the UNCTAD Secretary-General  
Interactive discussion  
Co-Chair closing remarks |
| 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | General statements by Member States | Chair:  
  - Mr. Konrad Kiedrzymski, Deputy Director of the Department of the United Nations and Human Rights at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland |
| 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | General statements by Member States | Chair:  
  - China |
### General statements by Member States

**Chair:**
- Colombia

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**Wednesday, 24 July**

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Closing

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- Mr. Rui Vinhas, Permanent Representative of Portugal

Closing statements:
- Representative of Ethiopia
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- Mr. Zéphyrin Maniratanga, Permanent Representative of Burundi
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Annex: List of Invited Speakers

Matthew Martin, Development Finance International

Paola Subacchi, Professor, Sciences Po

Betty Wainaina, Center on International Cooperation, New York University

Marina Zucker-Marques, Boston University

Mr. Ishac Diwan, Research Director, Finance for Development Lab

Mr. Reza Baqir, Managing Director, Alvarez & Marsal

Patrick Njoroge, former Governor of the Central Bank of Kenya