



PROGRAMME FOR 19TH EDITION OF THE JOINT PLANNING BOARD (JPB) / NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (NCDP) MEETINGS

Theme: National Development Planning in Nigeria: Issues and Challenges

Date: Wednesday 24th - Friday 26th March 2021

Arrival: Tuesday 23rd March, 2021

VENUE: NAF Conference Centre, FCT, Abuja

REGISTRATION: Commences from 4:00 pm on Tuesday, 23rd March, 2021 at the Venue

DAY 1: Wednesday, 24th March, 2021

JOINT PLANNING BOARD (JPB) MEETING

OPENING CEREMONY: Chairman, Permanent Secretary, Budget & National Planning

S/N	TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBILITY
1.	8:00am – 09:30am	Arrival/ Registration	All
2.	09:30am – 09:35am	National Anthem	All
3.	09:35am – 09:40am	Opening Prayer	2 nd Stanza of the National Anthem
4.	09:40am – 9:50am	Welcome Address	Permanent Secretary Min. of Budget and National Planning
5.	09:50am –10:00am	Opening Address	Honourable Minister of State, Min. of Budget and National Planning.
6.	10:00am – 10:20am	Goodwill Messages Permanent Secretary, FCTA President, MAN, DG, NGF National Programme Manager, FCDO,	-Mr. Olusade Adesola - Engr. Mansur Ahmed - Mr. A. B. Okauru - Mr. Abu Umar
7.	10:20am – 10:30am	Keynote Address/ Formal Opening	Dr. Mrs. Zainab S. Ahmed, Honourable Minister, FMFBNP
8.	10:30am – 10:45am	Agenda Setting	Dr. (Mrs.) Gloria K. Ahmed, Acting Director, (Special Duties), FMFBNP
9.	10:45am	End of the Opening Ceremony	All
10.	10:45am - 11: 25am	Tea Break/Photographs	All
11.	11:25am – 11:55am	Lead Paper: Sustainable Path to Economic Growth and Development in Nigeria: The Imperatives of Development Planning	Mr. D. T. Adeosun, Director, Macro Economic Analysis, FMFBNP
12.	11:55am-12::25pm	Questions & Answers	All

MATTERS ARISING**Chairman: Mrs. Olusola Olayinka Idowu, Permanent Secretary, MBNP****Anchor: Mr. U. S. Nwozuzu, Deputy Director, Special Duties, FMFBNP****APPOINTMENT OF A TIMEKEEPER BY THE PERMANENT SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF BUDGET AND NATIONAL PLANNING**

13.	12:25pm – 12:35pm	Status Report on the Implementation of Key Resolutions of the 2019 (18 th) JPB/NCDP Meetings	Dr. Gloria Ahmed Ag. Director, Special Duties, FMFBNP
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14.	12:35pm – 1:00 pm	Comments and Suggestions	All
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15.	1:00pm – 1:30pm	National Development Plans and Effective Strategies for the Linkage with Sectoral and Sub-National Plans	Prof. Olalekan Yinusa
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16.	1:30pm – 2:00pm	Comments and suggestions	All
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17.	2:00pm - 2:40pm	Lunch	
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Chairman: Mr. Olusade Adesola, Permanent Secretary, FCTA**Anchors: Mr. Lanre Adekanye, Director, Administration, FMFBNP**

18.	2:40pm – 3:10pm	Presentation on the Macroeconomic Framework: The Growth Diagnostic; and Framework for the Visioning for the MTNDP, 2021-2025 and Nigeria Agenda 2050 by the Central Working Group (CWG)	Prof. Adeola Adenikiju
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19.	3.10pm - 3.40pm	Comments and suggestions	All
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Anchors: Mrs. Victoria Agba-Attah, Director, Information, FMFBNP and**Mrs. E. A. Egharevba, Director, International Cooperation, FMFBNP**

20.	3.40pm - 4.10pm	Fiscal Sustainability and Strategies for Unlocking Factor Endowments at the Sub-national levels	Dr. Baba Musa
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21.	4:10pm – 4:40pm	Comments and suggestions	All
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22.	4:40pm	Closing/End of Day 1	
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DAY 2: Thursday, 25th March, 2021**JOINT PLANNING BOARD MEETING CONTINUES**

25.	9:00am	Opening Prayer	
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26.	9:05 am – 9:15am	RECAP OF DAY 1 PROCEEDINGS	Mrs. Olusola Olayinka Idowu, Permanent Secretary, MBNP
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Chairman: Dr. Zakari Lawal mni, Director, NM&E, FMFBNP**Anchor: Mr. D. T Adeosun, Director Macro Economic Analysis, FMFBNP**

27.	9:15am - 9.55am	An Overview of the Medium -Term National Development Plan, 2021-2025	Dr. (Mrs.) Sarah Alade Chairperson Central Working Group (CWG)
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28.	9.55am-10.25am	Comments and suggestions	All
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Anchors: Mr. I. I. Yusuf, Director, Finance & Account, FMFBNP**Mr. Aso Ovakporaye, Acting Director, Economic Growth, FMFBNP**

29.	10.25am – 10.55am	Panel Discussion Medium Term Development Plans (MTDP)/Strategy Document/Development Agenda: Experience Sharing i. Rep. North Central ii. Rep. North East	Panelists - Kwara State - Borno & Gombe States
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30.	10.55am – 11.10am	Tea Break	All
31.	Chairman: Prince Clem Ikanade Agba, Honourable Minister of State, BNP Anchors: Mr. Omotayo Adeyemi, Director, Social Development, FMFBNP Mr. Sam Ekwueme, SA-HMS		
32.	11:10am – 1:10pm	PLENARY SESSIONS (TECHNICAL) Presentations on some Sectors of the MTNDP 2021-2025: i. Agriculture, Food Security and Rural Development; ii. Digital Economy, Bio-economy, Science, Technology and Innovation; iii. Culture, Tourism, Creative Industry and Hospitality; iv. Oil and Gas; v. Financial Sector; vi. Trade & Competitiveness; vii. Power & Alternative Energy; and viii. Crossing cutting issues including Security: issues on forging effective synergy between National and Sub-National levels in implementing the Plan, Communicating the Plan for ownership, etc.	Sector Experts i. Mrs. Ndidi Nwuneli ii. Prof. Ken Ifeh iii. Mr. Obi Asika iv. Dr. Steve Okolo v. Dr. Ayo Teriba vi. Prof. Aremu vii. Mr. Belije Madu viii. Dr. Amina Salihu
33.	1:10pm - 2:10pm	Questions & Answers	All
34.	2:10pm – 3:00pm	Lunch	
35.	3:00pm – 3:30pm	Presentation and Consideration of Major Conclusions from JPB	Perm. Secretary, (BNP)
36.	3:30pm - .3:45pm	Wrap-Up	Hon. Min. of State, Budget & National Planning
37.	3.45 - 3.50pm	Closing Prayers/National Anthem	To be selected
38.	6: 00pm-7:00pm	Gala Night	All
DAY 3: March 26, 2021			
NATIONAL COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (NCDP) MEETING			
GUEST OF HONOUR: HE, Prof. Yemi Osinbajo, SAN, GCON, Vice President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria			Anchor: Dr. Anne Nzegwu, Director, RC&SI, FMFBNP and Dr. Gloria Ahmed, Ag. Director, Special Duties, FMFBNP
S/N	TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBILITY
39.	9.00 - 9.05 am	Arrival of the Hon. Min. of Finance, Budget & National Planning	Dr. Mrs. Zainab S. Ahmed, Honourable Minister, FMFBNP
40.	9:05 am – 9.30 am	Arrival of His Excellency, Mr. Vice President accompanied by Honourable Minister of FCT	H.E. Prof. Yemi Osinbajo, SAN, GCON & Alh. Bello Mohammed
41.	9:30am– 9.35 am	National Anthem	All
42.	9:35 am–9:40 am	Opening Prayer	To be selected
43.	9:40 am-9:55 am	Goodwill Messages	i. FCT Minister ii. OSSAP-SDGs

			iii. Representative of UN
44.	9:55 am-10.05am	Opening Address	Hon. Min. of State, Budget & National Planning
45.	10.05 am – 10.15am	Welcome Address	Hon. Minister of Finance, Budget and National Planning
46.	10:15am – 10.30am	Keynote Address	The Vice President of Fed. Rep. of Nigeria, Prof. Yemi Osinbajo, SAN, GCON
47.	10.30 am-11.05 am	Cultural Performance	Cultural Troupe
48.	11:05 am-11:10 am	Departure of His Excellency, the Vice President of Fed. Rep. of Nigeria	Prof. Yemi Osinbajo, SAN, GCON
49.	11.10 am – 11.40 am	Tea Break/Interactive Session with the Media by the Hon. Minister of FMFBNP, HMSBNP and Commissioners	HMFBNP, HMSBNP, Hon. Minister of FCTA & Hon. Commissioners
50.	11.40 am	NCDP TECHNICAL SESSION UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE HONOURABLE MINISTER OF FINANCE, BUDGET AND NATIONAL PLANNING	HMFBNP
51.	11: 40 am – 12.00 noon	Consideration of the Report of the last NCDP Meeting	HMFBNP, HMSBNP and Hon. Commissioners
52.	12.00 noon-12.30pm	Presentation and consideration of major conclusions of NCDP meeting	Hon. Minister of State, Budget & National Planning
53.	12:30 pm-12.50 pm	Wrap-Up/Reading of Communiqué of 2021 NCDP	Hon. Min. of State, Budget & National Planning
54.	12:50 pm-12:55 pm	Closing Remarks	Hon. Min. of State, Budget & National Planning
55.	12:55 pm-1:00 pm	Vote of Thanks	Mr. D. T. Adeosun, Director, Macro Economic Analysis, FMFBNP
56.	1:00 pm-1:05 pm	Closing Prayers/National Anthem	To be selected
57.	1:05 pm	Lunch & Departure/Juma'at Prayer	All