

13th Public Dialogue on Trade

GENUINE OPPORTUNITY OR HIDDEN DANGER?

The Interim Economic Partnership Agreement with the European Union.

13 February 2008 (08h00 – 11h00)
Nampower Convention Centre, Windhoek

Programme

Chair: **Mr. Christof Brock**, Chairperson of the Agricultural Trade Forum,

- 07:30 Registration, Tea & Coffee
- 08:00 Opening Remarks and Introduction of the Panel:
Mr. Hubert René Schillinger, Resident Representative,
Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Namibia Office
- Presentations by Panel Members**
- 08:15 **H.E. Ambassador Dr. Elisabeth Pape**, Head of Delegation,
Delegation of the European Commission to Namibia,
- 08:30 **Dr. Malan Lindeque**, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of
Trade and Industry, Namibia
- 08:45 **Professor Gerhard Erasmus**, Senior Associate, Trade Law
Center of Southern Africa, Stellenbosch, South Africa
- 09:00 **Ms. Paulina Elago**, Deputy Director, Trade Facilitation and
Capacity Building at the Southern African Global
Competitiveness Hub, Gaborone, Botswana
- 09:15 **Mr. Paul Kalenga**, Senior Trade Policy Adviser to the
Directorate of Trade, Industry, Finance and Investment,
SADC Secretariat, Gaborone, Botswana.
- 09:30 Question and Answer session
- 10:50 Wrap- up and Closing Remarks: **Mr Jürgen Hoffmann**,
Agricultural Trade Forum