

**AFRICAN PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE ON:
"AFRICA AND MIGRATION: CHALLENGES, PROBLEMS,
SOLUTIONS"**

Rabat (Morocco), 22 - 24 May 2008

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. REGISTRATION OF DELEGATES

Parliaments and Organizations invited to participate in the **African Parliamentary Conference On: "Africa and Migration: challenges, problems, solutions"** due to be held in **Rabat, Kingdom of Morocco**, from 22 to 24 May 2008 are kindly requested to make known the composition of their delegations **before 10 May 2008**, on the form n° 1 attached hereto.

The number and category of rooms, the hotel chosen as well as the dates of arrival of delegations should be mentioned on the form n° 2 attached hereto. Bookings made after the above mentioned date will be treated according to the reception of mail and availabilities in hotels.

This information should be communicated to the Moroccan National Group and the APU at the following addresses:

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2. ENTRY VISAS

When required, the visa will be delivered free of charge to delegates, in the diplomatic and consular representations of Morocco.

In exceptional cases, for the delegates of the countries where there are no Moroccan diplomatic or consular missions, the visa will be delivered to them on arrival in Mohammed V International Airport in Casablanca or at Rabat International Airport. In such cases, delegates are kindly requested to communicate, by fax, to the National Group of Morocco the number and nature of their passports as well as the flight number, the date and hour of arrival in Morocco.

3. DOCUMENTS

On the occasion of the **African Parliamentary Conference On: "Africa and Migration: challenges, problems, solutions"**, delegates will receive their identification badges and briefcases containing the documents of the Conference (programme, Conference guide-book, invitation cards, working documents, etc.)

4. CLIMATE

Temperature in Rabat during the month of May, is as follows:

average temperature: 21.5°C

low temperature: 12.5°C

high temperature: 25°C

5. TRANSPORTATION FOR DELEGATES

The Moroccan National Group will ensure transport for delegates on arrival and on departure as well as between hotels and the venue of meetings. It is recommended that delegates choose from among the hotels proposed by the Moroccan National Group.

6. AIR CONNECTIONS

Delegates can travel to Morocco via several African and European capitals. For detailed information, they are kindly requested to consult air companies or their travel agencies.

7. VENUE OF MEETINGS

The **African Parliamentary Conference On: Africa and Migration: challenges, problems, solutions**, will take place in Rabat, at the House of Representatives.

The Conference guide-book will include all information about meeting rooms and the offices put at the disposal of the APU.

8. OFFICIAL CEREMONIES

Delegates will find in their brief-cases the invitation cards to official ceremonies.

9. CURRENCY

The national currency is the Dirham. Exchange can be made at the meeting venue, in the authorized hotels and in the banks opened from Monday to Friday.

Following are the exchange rates of some convertible currencies on 1st April 2008:

1 \$.US	=	6.89	Dirhams
1 Euro	=	10. 919	Dirhams
1 £.	=	13. 694	Dirhams

10. HEALTH

It is recommended that delegates have their international vaccination book still valid. During meetings, first aid facilities will be provided within the Conference venue.

11. SERVICES FOR DELEGATES

The following services will be available at the venue of the Conference:

Post and fax office;
Exchange office;
Travel agency;
Medical service;
Cafeteria.

12. HOTELS

The Moroccan National Group recommends the following hotels for the delegates' stay:

Hotel HILTON Rabat ★★★★★	Single Room	1460	dh
	Deluxe Room	1710	dh
	Breakfast Buffet	200	dh
	Tax per person per night	44	dh
Hotel Golden Tulip Farah Rabat ★★★★★	Single Room - Breakfast included	990	dh
	Superior Room - Breakfast included	1200	dh
	Junior Suite - Breakfast included	2500	dh
	Tax/person/night	40	dh
Hôtel Rabat ★★★★★	Single Room - Breakfast included	900	dh
	Double Room - Breakfast included	1100	dh
	Deluxe Room - Breakfast included	1400	dh
	Senior Suite - Breakfast included	1900	dh
	Tax/person/night	40	dh
Hôtel HILNAN CHELLAH ★★★★★	Single Room - Breakfast included	700	dh
	Double Room - Breakfast included	850	dh
	Tax/person/night	16,50	dh
Hôtel Majliss ★★★★★	Single Room - Breakfast included	516,50	dh
	Double Room - Breakfast included	733	dh